

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION

ORDER NO. 77-16

WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
FOR
SALTON COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT
Salton City - Imperial County

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Colorado River Basin Region, finds that:

1. Salton Community Services District (hereinafter also referred to as the Discharger), P. O. Box 5268, Salton City, CA 92274, submitted a Report of Waste Discharge dated March 30, 1976.
2. The discharger is discharging an average of 60,000 gallons-per-day of sanitary wastewaters from the sewerage system of Salton City to a raw sewage lagoon treatment system. The treatment system consists of 4 oxidation basins (covering approximately 10 acres) for final disposal by evaporation and infiltration. The discharge site is located in the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 21, T10S, R10E, SBB&M.
3. The discharge of this sewage treatment system has been subject to waste discharge requirements adopted in Board Resolution No. 68-13.
4. The Water Quality Control Plan for the West Colorado River Basin was adopted by the Board on April 10, 1975 and this Order implements the objectives stated in the plan.
5. The beneficial uses of the groundwaters in the West Salton Sea Hydrologic Unit are municipal supply and industrial supply. However, the groundwater supply in the vicinity of the basins is saline and not beneficially used.
6. The Board has notified the discharger and interested persons and agencies of its intent to prescribe waste discharge requirements for this discharge.
7. The Board in a public meeting heard and considered all comments pertaining to the discharge.

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IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, the discharger shall comply with the following:

A. Discharge Specifications

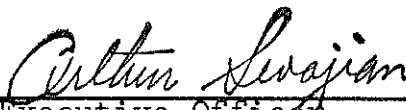
1. Neither the treatment nor the discharge of wastewater shall cause a pollution or a nuisance.
2. No wastewater other than domestic sewage shall be discharged at this location.
3. A minimum depth of freeboard of at least two feet shall be maintained in the earthen basins.
4. Treated or untreated sludge, or similar solid waste materials, shall be disposed of in such a manner that these materials shall not enter the Salton Sea or any channel which will drain to the Sea.
5. Adequate measures shall be taken to assure that unauthorized persons and animal pets are effectively excluded from contact with the discharge.
6. Adequate measures shall be taken to assure that flood or surface drainage waters do not erode or otherwise render portions of the discharge facilities inoperable.
7. There shall be no surface flow of wastewater away from the discharge facilities.
8. There shall be no discharge, by-passing, or flow of treated or untreated sewage to the Salton Sea, or to any channel which drains to the Sea.
9. Disposal by ponding shall be conducted in such manner that there shall be no stranded or exposed sewage solids.
10. Facilities shall be available to handle wastewater in the event of commercial power failure.

B. Provisions

1. Prior to any modifications in this facility which could result in material change in the quality or quantity of wastewater discharged, or any material change in location of discharge; the discharger shall report thereon to the Board.

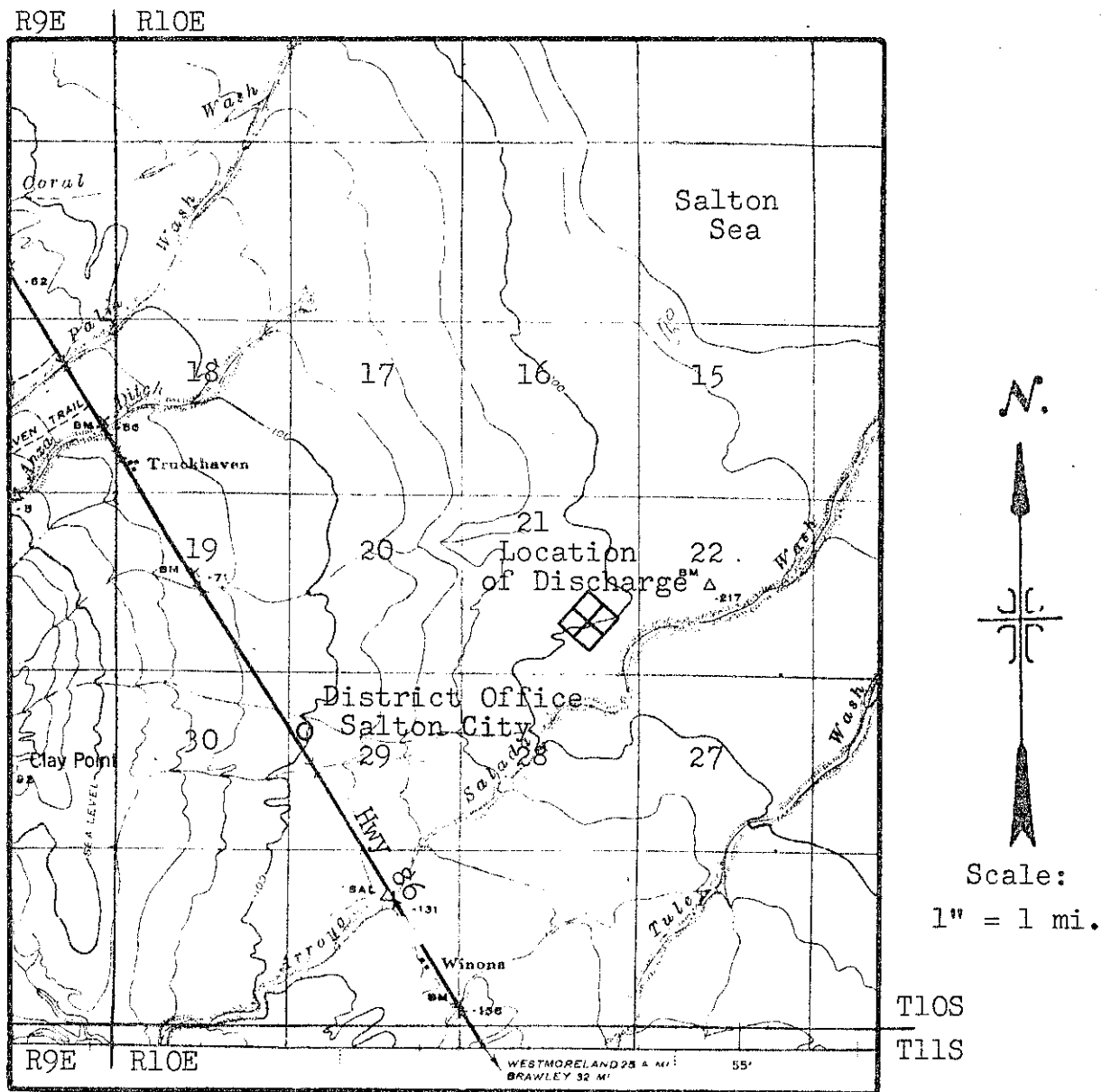
2. Upon request from this Board's Executive Officer, the discharger shall furnish technical and/or monitoring reports on the treatment and discharge of wastes.
3. In the event of any change in operations, or in control or ownership of land and/or waste disposal facilities owned or controlled by the discharger, the discharger shall:
 - a. Notify this Board of such change; and
 - b. Notify the succeeding owner or operator by letter of the existence of this Order, a copy of which shall be filed with this Board.
4. This Order supersedes Board Resolution No. 68-13.
5. The discharger's wastewater treatment plant shall be supervised and operated by persons possessing certificates of appropriate grade pursuant to Chapter 3, Subchapter 14, Title 23, California Administrative Code.

I, Arthur Swajian, Executive Officer, do hereby certify the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an Order adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Colorado River Basin Region, on March 16, 1977.



Executive Officer

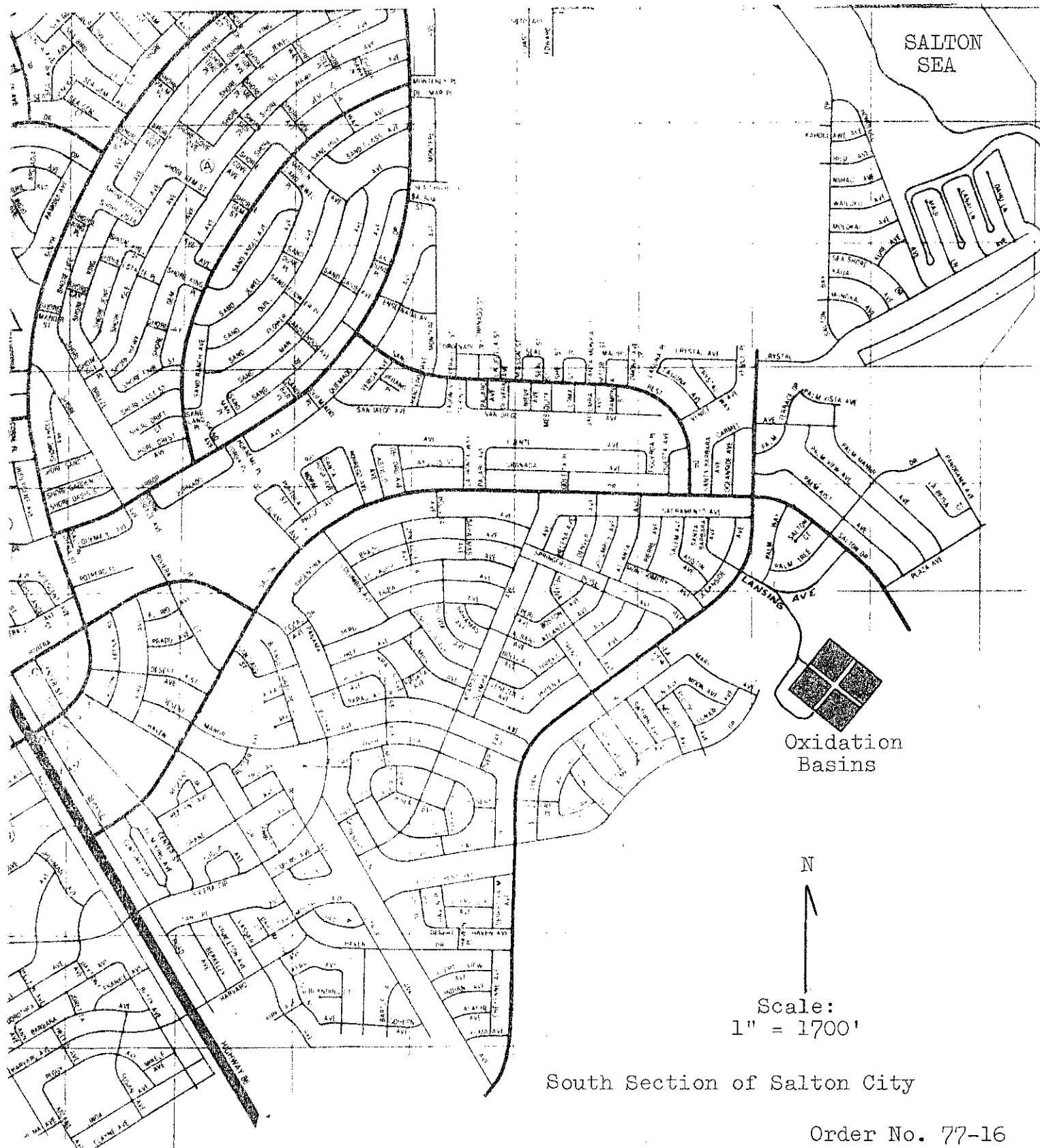
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SITE MAP #1
FOR
SALTON COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT
Salton City - Imperial County
Location: SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 21, T10S, R10E, SBB&M
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SITE MAP #2
FOR
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