CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION

ORDER NO. 78-42

WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR RANCHO MIRAGE MOBILE HOME PARK Rancho Mirage - Riverside County

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

- 1. R.C. Roberts, (hereinafter also referred to as the discharger), P.O. Box 178, Novato, CA 94947, submitted updated information on the discharge of waste on February 14, 1978.
- 2. The discharger is discharging a maximum average of 51,000 gallons-per-day of domestic sewage from a mobile home park having 288 mobile home spaces, 4 restrooms and a laundry room. The wastewater is discharged into septic tank/seepage pit disposal systems located in the NE¹/₄ of the NE¹/₄ of Sec-tion 3, and the W¹/₂ of the NW¹/₄ of Section 2, T5S, R5E, SBB&M.
- 3. The discharger has reserved areas of sufficient size for 100% replacement of each of the seepage pits. These areas are designated on Attachment "A" incorporated herein and made a part of this Order.
- 4. The discharge of this mobile home park has been subject to waste discharge requirements adopted in Board Resolution No. 70-49.
- 5. The Water Quality Control Plan for the West Colorado River Basin was adopted by the Board on April 10, 1975. The Basin Plan contains water quality objectives for the Coachella Hydrologic Subunit.
- 6. The beneficial uses of the groundwaters of the Coachella Hydrologic Subunit are:
 - a. Municipal supply

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- b. Industrial supply
- c. Agricultural supply

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- 7. The discharger states that wastewater from two swimming pools and a hot pool is periodically discharged into a park street gutter with final disposal by evaporation and infiltration.
- 8. The Board has notified the discharger and interested agencies and persons of its intent to update waste discharge requirements for the discharge.
- 9. The Board in a public meeting heard and considered all comments pertaining to the discharge.
- 10. This mobile home park constitutes an ongoing project in accordance with provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (Public Resources Code Section 21000 et seq) and the State Guidelines because the governmental approvals on or after April 5, 1973, do not involve a greater degree of responsibility or control over such activity than the governmental approvals received prior to that date.
- IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, the discharger shall comply with the following:
- A. Discharge Specifications
 - 1. Neither the treatment nor the discharge of wastewater shall create a pollution or a nuisance as defined in Division 7 of the California Water Code.
 - 2. No wastewater other than domestic sewage and swimming pool and hot pool wastewater shall be discharged at this location.
 - 3. Wastewater discharged subsurface shall be retained underground with no surfacing.
 - 4. Seepage pits shall be a minimum horizontal distance of 150 feet from domestic water wells.
 - 5. Sewers and watertight septic tanks shall be a minimum horizontal distance of 50 feet from domestic water wells.
 - 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. Septic tank cleanings shall be discharged only by a duly authorized survice.

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8. Swimming pool and hot pool wastewater shall not be discharged into any sewage disposal system.

B. Provisions

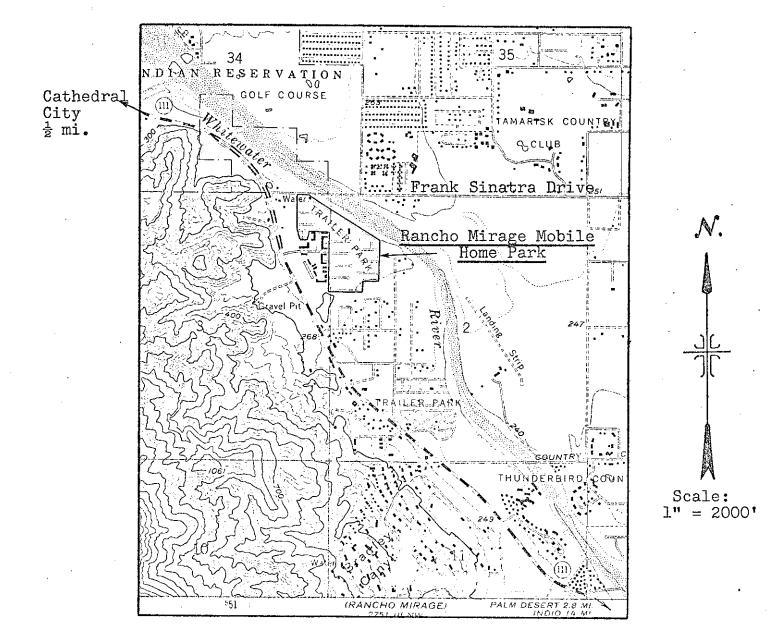
- 1. The areas reserved for 100% replacement of the seepage pits, as shown on Attachment "A", shall at all times be retained servient to this mobile home park, for the purpose of providing additional subsurface sewage disposal capacity, until such time as this park is connected to a municipal sewerage system.
- 2. Upon request from this Board's Executive Officer, the discharge shall furnish technical and/or monitoring reports on the treatment and discharge of waste.
- 3. Prior to any modifications in this facility which would result in material change in the quality or quantity of wastewater discharged, or any material change in location of discharge, the discharger shall report in writing to the Regional Board.
- 4. Prior to any future change of ownership of this mobile home park, the discharger shall:
 - a. Specify as a condition of transfer that said sewage disposal areas must remain servient to the park, for the purpose of providing additional subsurface sewage disposal capacity, until such time as this park is connected to a municipal sewerage system.
 - b. Notify the succeeding owner, in writing, of the existence of this Order, and forward a copy of said correspondence to the Regional Board.
- 5. This Order supersedes Board Resolution No. 70-49.

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 Rvier Basin Region, on May 10, 1978

Executive Officer

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SITE MAP

RANCHO MIRAGE MOBILE HOME PARK Rancho Mirage - Riverside County NE¹/₄ of the NE¹/₄ of Section 3, and the W¹/₂ of the NW¹/₄ of Section 2, T5S, R5E, SBB&M U.S.G.S. Cathedral City 7.5 min. Topographic Map

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