

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION

ORDER NO. 80-97

WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
FOR
SANITARY SEPTIC SERVICE
East of Borrego Springs - San Diego County

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

1. Lawrence W. Swires (hereinafter also referred to as the discharger), P.O. Box 184, Borrego Springs, California 92004, submitted a Report of Waste Discharge dated September 22, 1980.
2. The discharger proposes to discharge a maximum of 1,000 gallons-per-day of domestic sewage from pumping out septic tanks, seepage pits, cesspools, service station holding tanks, restaurant grease pits and chemical toilets.
3. The discharger proposes to discharge the waste (collected in a 1500 gallon capacity tank truck) by uniformly spreading it over the surface of a 40-acre natural desert field located in the SE 1/4, SW 1/4 of Section 36, T10S, R6E, SBB&M. The discharger states that the wastes will be disked into the soil within 24 hours after spreading.
4. The proposed discharge area is underlain by recent alluvial fan deposits consisting of mainly coarse sand. The reported depth to the water table from records of nearby wells in the discharge area is approximately 100 feet below ground surface.
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 Anza-Borrego Hydrologic Unit.
6. The beneficial uses of the groundwaters of the Anza-Borrego Hydrologic Unit are:
 - a. Municipal supply
 - b. Industrial supply
 - c. Agricultural supply

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7. The Board has notified the discharger and interested agencies and persons of its intent to prescribe waste discharge requirements for the proposed discharge.
8. The Board in a public meeting heard and considered all comments pertaining to the proposed discharge.
9. These discharge requirements govern the waste discharge from a sewage pumping service that discharges on vacant land. This activity constitutes only a minor modification to land, and such activity is thereby exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (Public Resources Code, Section 21000 et seq.) in accordance with Section 15104, Chapter 3, Title 14, California Administrative Code.

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

A. Discharge Specifications

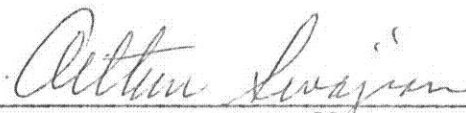
1. Neither the discharge of wastewater nor the discharge operations shall create a pollution or a nuisance as defined in Division 7 of the California Water Code.
2. No wastewater other than that specified in Finding No. 2 (above) shall be discharged at the designated land disposal site.
3. There shall be no discharge of sewage solids at the disposal site.
4. The disposal area shall be protected by natural or artificial features so as to assure protection from any washout and from inundation which could occur as a result of floods.
5. There shall be no surface exposure of wastes at the close of a day's operations.
6. There shall be no concentration of waste within limited areas of the reported disposal site.
7. There shall be no ponding of discharged waste effluent or surface flow of this wastewater away from the designated disposal area.

B. Provisions

1. Prior to any substantial change in the quality or quantity of wastes to be discharged or the location of discharge, the discharger shall report in writing to the Regional Board.

2. The discharger shall comply with the Monitoring and Reporting Program No. 80-97", and the "General Provisions for Monitoring and Reporting", and future revisions thereto, as specified by the Executive Officer.
3. Prior to any proposed change in use, or in control or ownership of the land used as the discharge area, the discharger shall:
 - a. Report in writing to the Regional Board.
 - b. Notify the succeeding owner, in writing, of the existence of this Order, and forward a copy of said correspondence to the Regional Board.
4. Nothing contained herein shall be construed to allow the discharger to discharge wastes onto any land which is not under his ownership or control.

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 November 12, 1980,


Executive Officer

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION

MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM NO. 80-97
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Location of Discharge: SE 1/4, SW 1/4, Section 36, T10S, R6E, SBB&M

MONITORING

The discharger shall report to the Regional Board concerning the following:

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1. Volume of waste discharged during quarter. This information may be reported as the number of truckloads of specific gallonage.

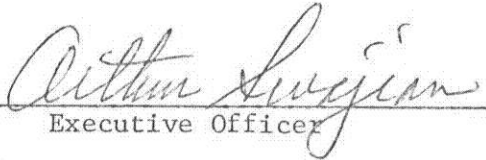
REPORTING

The quarterly reports shall be submitted by January 15, April 15, July 15, and October 15 of each year.

Mail reports to:

California Regional Water Quality Control Board
Colorado River Basin Region
73-271 Highway 111, Suite 21
Palm Desert, CA 92260

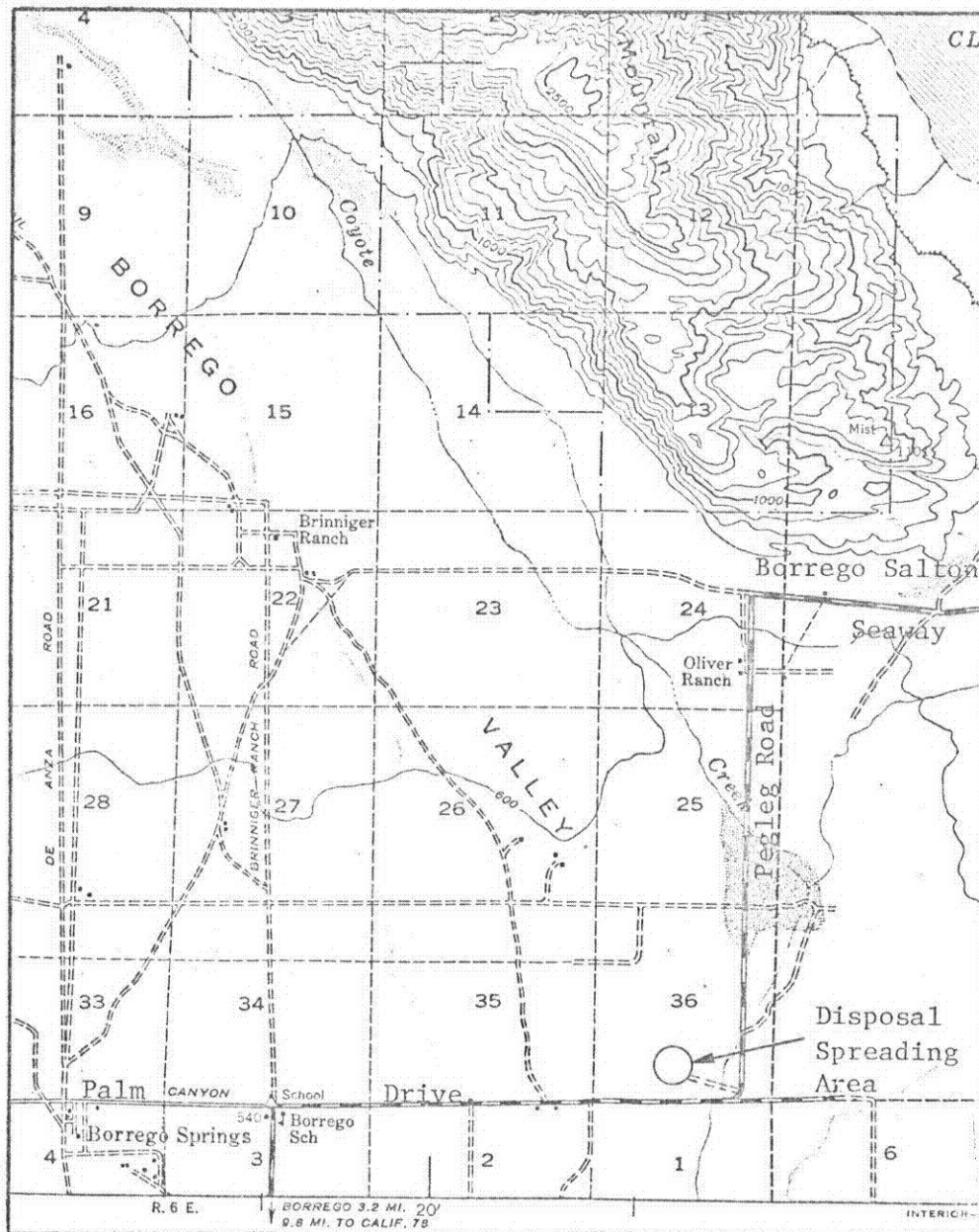
ORDERED BY:


Executive Officer

November 12, 1980

Date

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SITE MAP
 SANITARY SEPTIC SERVICE
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 Portion of SE 1/4, SW 1/4 of Section 36, T10S, R6E, SBB&M
 USGS Clark Lake 15 min. Topographic Map

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