# CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION

### ORDER NO. 84-80

## WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR BLACK MEADOW LANDING RESORT Northwest of Parker Dam - San Bernardino County

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

- 1. Black Meadow Landing Resort, George Field, owner (hereinafter also referred to as the discharger), P. O. Box 98, Parker Dam, California, 92267, submitted a Report of Waste Discharge, dated April 17, 1984.
- 2. The discharger proposes to discharge a maximum of 62,000 gallons-perday of domestic sewage from 192 mobile home lots, 150 motel units a restaurant and a recreation building, which would be an expansion to an existing resort consisting of 210 recreational vehicle spaces, 51 motel units, 85 campsites, a laundry room and a restaurant. Wastewater from the additional facilities (as from those existing) would be discharged into a separate sewage system of septic tanks that are to be pumped to oxidation basins, which would be located in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 18, T3N, R27E, SBB&M.
- 3. The discharge from the existing facilities is subject to update waste discharge requirements contained in Board Order No. 84-81.
- 4. There are no domestic wells within 500 feet of the proposed discharge facilities described in Finding No. 2 (above).
- 5. The discharger states that the proposed wastewater disposal facilities are more than 200 feet from the high water line of the Colorado River.
- 6. The discharger proposes to divert water from the Colorado River for the park water supply.
- 7. Pursuant to the U.S. Supreme Court ruling in Arizona v. California, 373 U.S. 546, 83 S.C.T. 1468 (1963), diversion of water from the lower Colorado River is regulated by contracts between the diverters and the Secretary of the Interior. The discharger must take whatever steps are necessary to secure a valid right for the diversion of all water needed for the project.
- 8. The Water Quality Control Plan for the Colorado River Basin Region of Juperseder by Board Ord # 9500 1/25/95 California was adopted by the Regional Board on May 16, 1984. The Basin Plan contains water quality objectives for the Colorado Hydrologic Unit.

- 9. The beneficial uses of the ground water of the Colorado Hydrologic Unit are:
  - a. Municipal supply
  - b. Industrial supply
  - c. Agricultural supply
- 10. The Board has notified the discharger and interested agencies and persons of its intent to prescribe waste discharge requirements for the proposed discharge.
- 11. The Board in a public meeting heard and considered all comments pertaining to the proposed discharge.
- 12. The Regional Board approved on <u>September 19, 1984</u>, Negative Declaration SCH #84050701 for this expansion in accordance with California Environmental Quality Act and State guidelines. The Board determined that there will be no substantial adverse effect on the environment as a result of this project.
- 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 shall be discharged at this location.
  - 3. A minimum freeboard depth of at least two (2) feet shall be maintained in each basin.
  - 4. Adequate measures shall be taken to assure that unauthorized persons and animal pets are effectively excluded from contact with the discharge.
  - 5. Adequate protective works shall be provided to assure that a flood which would be expected to occur on a frequency of once in a 100 year period, would not erode or otherwise render portions of the treatment and discharge facilities inoperable.
  - 6. Treated or untreated sludge, or similar solid waste materials, shall not be discharged to or enter any drainage channels or Colorado River.
  - 7. There shall be no surface flow of wastewater away from the discharge facilities, and there shall be no direct discharge to any drainage channel or to Colorado River.
  - 8. Treatment and disposal by ponding shall be conducted in such manner that there shall be no stranded or exposed sewage solids.

- 9. Treatment and discharge of wastewater shall be conducted by technical procedures which will maintain a surface aerobic environment.
- 10. Infiltration facilities shall be maintained and operated so as to maximize infiltration and minimize the increase in salinity of the infiltrating wastewater.
- 11. Standby power and pumping facilities shall be provided in the event of pump and/or commercial power failure.
- 12. The sewage disposal facilities shall not be located within 200 feet of the regulated high water line of the Colorado River.

### 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 in writing to the Regional 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 waste.
- 3. In the event of any change in control or ownership of land or waste disposal facilities owned or controlled by the discharger, the discharger shall:
  - a. Notify the Board of such change; and
  - b. Transmit a copy of this Order to the succeeding owner or operator, and file a copy of the transmittal letter with this Board.

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 September 19, 1984.

Executive Ø

# CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION

MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM NO. 84-80 FOR BLACK MEADOW LANDING RESORT Northwest of Parker Dam - San Bernardino County

Location of Discharge: NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of the SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of Section 18, T3N, R27E, SBB&M

## MONITORING

The discharger shall submit an annual status report on the following:

- 1. Estimate of maximum daily flow (gpd) of sewage discharged to basin(s).
- 2. Number of mobile home and RV spaces, motel units, restaurant, and restrooms presently connected to the sewerage system.
- 3. List any proposed changes in the sewage disposal facilities during the upcoming year.

### REPORTING

1. Monitoring reports shall be submitted to the Regional Board annually by January 15th of each year.

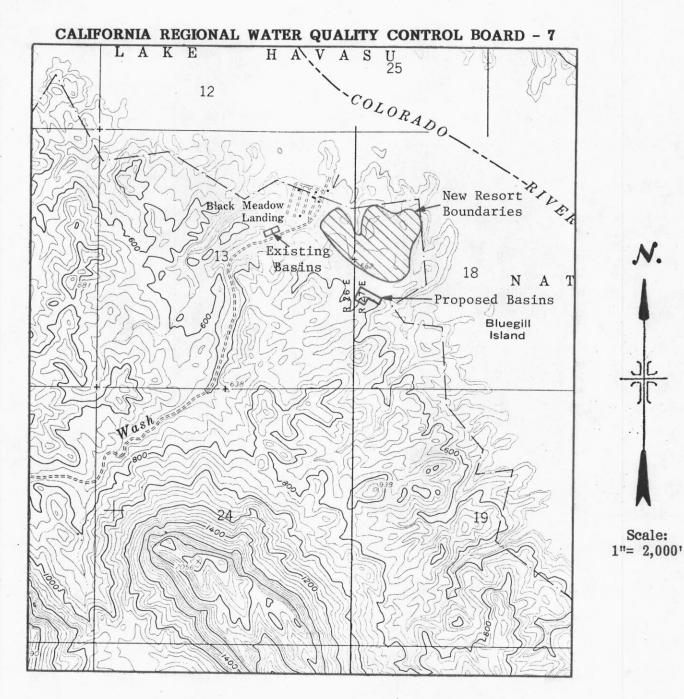
Submit monitoring reports to:

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

2. Immediately report to this office by telephone and follow-up by letter any failures of the sewerage system.

ORDERED BY: Executive Officer

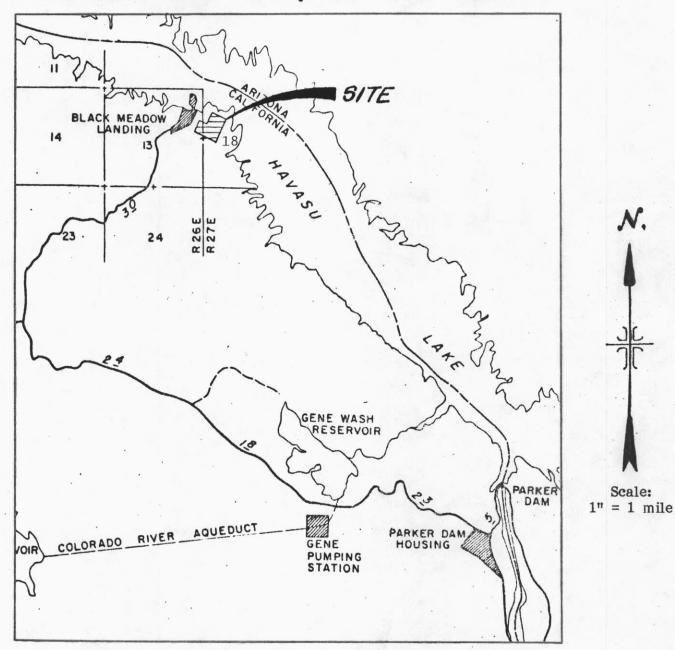
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# SITE MAP NO. 1

BLACK MEADOW LANDING RESORT Northwest of Parker Dam - San Bernardino County NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of the SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of Section 18, T3N, R27E, SBB&M USGS Gene Wash 7.5 min. Topographic Map

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# SITE MAP NO. 2

BLACK MEADOW LANDING RESORT Northwest of Parker Dam - San Bernardino County NW<sup>1</sup> of the SW<sup>1</sup> of Section 18, T3N, R27E, SBB&M

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### NEGATIVE DECLARATION

### SCH #84050701

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PROJECT TITLE:

Black Meadow Landing Resort - Northwest of Parker Dam

#### PROJECT PROPOSAL

Black Meadow Landing Resort proposes to expand by adding 192 mobile home lots and 150 motel units to 210 recreational vehicle spaces, 51 motel units, 85 campsites, a laundry room and a restaurant. Domestic sewage from the additional facilities (as from those existing) would be discharged into a separate system of septic tanks that are to be pumped to oxidation basins. The site proposed for sewage treatment and disposal is situated more than 700 feet from Lake Havasu. The project would use about 25 acres of natural desert land near the lake.

THE CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD, COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION, HAS DETERMINED THAT THE PROPOSED PROJECT WILL NOT HAVE A SIGNIFICANT EFFECT ON THE ENVIRONMENT FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS:

- 1. This project is in accordance with existing County and regional plans, including the Water Quality Control Plan for the Colorado River Basin Region of California.
- 2. No significant adverse impacts to beneficial uses of surface or ground waters as a result of changes in water quality or quantity are indicated.
- 3. No significant adverse impacts upon fish, wildlife, or natural vegetation are indicated.
- 4. No significant adverse impacts to rare or endangered species as a result of this project are indicated.
- 5. No significant adverse impacts on esthetics, air quality, noise levels, land forms, or nonrenewable resources are indicated.
- 6. No significant secondary impacts resulting from growth inducement or limits to potential uses are indicated because of the limited effects and purposes of the project.
- 7. This project will not result in adverse impacts to historic or archaeological sites.

September 19, 1984 Date

Signature