

**CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION**

ORDER NO. 87-3

**WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
FOR
GARDEN OF THE SETTING SUN
Mecca - Riverside County**

*Resubmitted
by 94-102 - B.O.
on Nov. 15, 1994*

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

1. F. Hormozi (hereinafter also referred to as the discharger), 128 So. Wetherly Drive, Beverly Hills, California, 90211, submitted updated information on the discharge of wastes on September 15, 1986.
2. The discharger is discharging a maximum of about 5,000 gallons-per-day of domestic sewage from 13 residential units. The discharger proposes to construct a recreational vehicle park in phases. The first phase would consist of 120 recreational vehicle spaces, which would produce a total discharge of 40,000 gallons-per-day. The wastewater is to be discharged through septic tanks into earthen oxidation basins located about 1000 feet west of Lincoln Street, which is in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 18, T7S, R9E, SBB&M. Final disposal would be by infiltration and evaporation. The existing residences discharge into a septic tank/oxidation basin system that would be abandoned, when the proposed system is placed in operation.
3. The discharge as described in Finding No. 2 (above) has been subject to waste discharge requirements adopted in Board Order No. 81-82.
4. The Water Quality Control Plan for the Colorado River Basin Region of California was adopted by the Regional Board on November 14, 1984.
5. The beneficial uses of ground waters at the location of the discharge are as follows:
 - a. Deep ground waters are used for municipal supply, agricultural supply and industrial supply.
 - b. Shallow ground waters are influenced by agricultural operations, are saline, and enter irrigation drains and flow to Salton Sea. Ground water depth at the site is about seven (7) feet. There are no domestic wells within 500 feet of the disposal facilities.
6. The proposed RV park sewage disposal facilities are about one-half mile southwest of the nearest sewer line.
7. The Board has notified the discharger and interested agencies and persons of its intent to update waste discharge requirements for the discharge.
8. The Board in a public meeting heard and considered all comments pertaining to the discharge.

9. The Riverside County Planning Department has certified Negative Declaration CU 2540 (filing date August 26, 1981) for the proposed park. The Regional Board has reviewed this Negative Declaration. The below waste discharge requirements are designed to assure against any significant adverse effects on water quality.

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

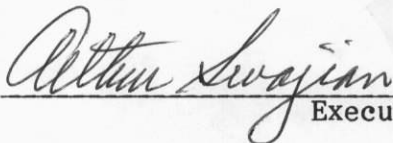
A. Discharge Specifications

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 into the sewage disposal system described in Finding No. 2 (above).
3. A minimum depth of freeboard of at least two (2) feet shall be maintained in the earthen basins.
4. Treated or untreated sludge or similar solid waste materials, shall be disposed only at locations approved by the Regional Board.
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, bypass, or flow of treated or untreated sewage to any irrigation drain or any channel which drains thereto.
9. Disposal by ponding shall be conducted in such manner that there shall be no stranded or exposed sewage solids.
10. Treatment and discharge of wastewater shall be conducted by technical procedures which will maintain a surface aerobic environment.
11. Standby facilities shall be provided in the event of pump and/or commercial power failure.
12. The discharge to the existing facilities shall not exceed 15,000 gallons-per-day, and the proposed discharge to future basins shall not exceed 40,000 gallons-per-day.

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. The discharger shall comply with 'Monitoring and Reporting Program No. 87-3", and future revisions thereto, as specified by the Executive Officer.
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.
4. This Order supersedes Board Order No. 81-82.

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 January 21, 1987.


Executive Officer

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COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION**

**MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM NO. 87-3
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Location of Discharge: Portion of the NE $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 18, T7S, R9E, SBB&M

MONITORING

The discharger shall submit the following information in an annual status report:

1. Estimate of average daily flow (gpd) of sewage discharged to basin(s).
2. Number of spaces (or residences) presently connected to the sewerage system.
3. List of any proposed changes during the coming year.
4. Explain any problems in sewerage system during preceding year.

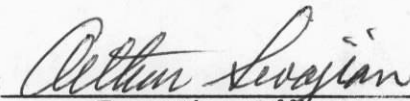
REPORTING

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

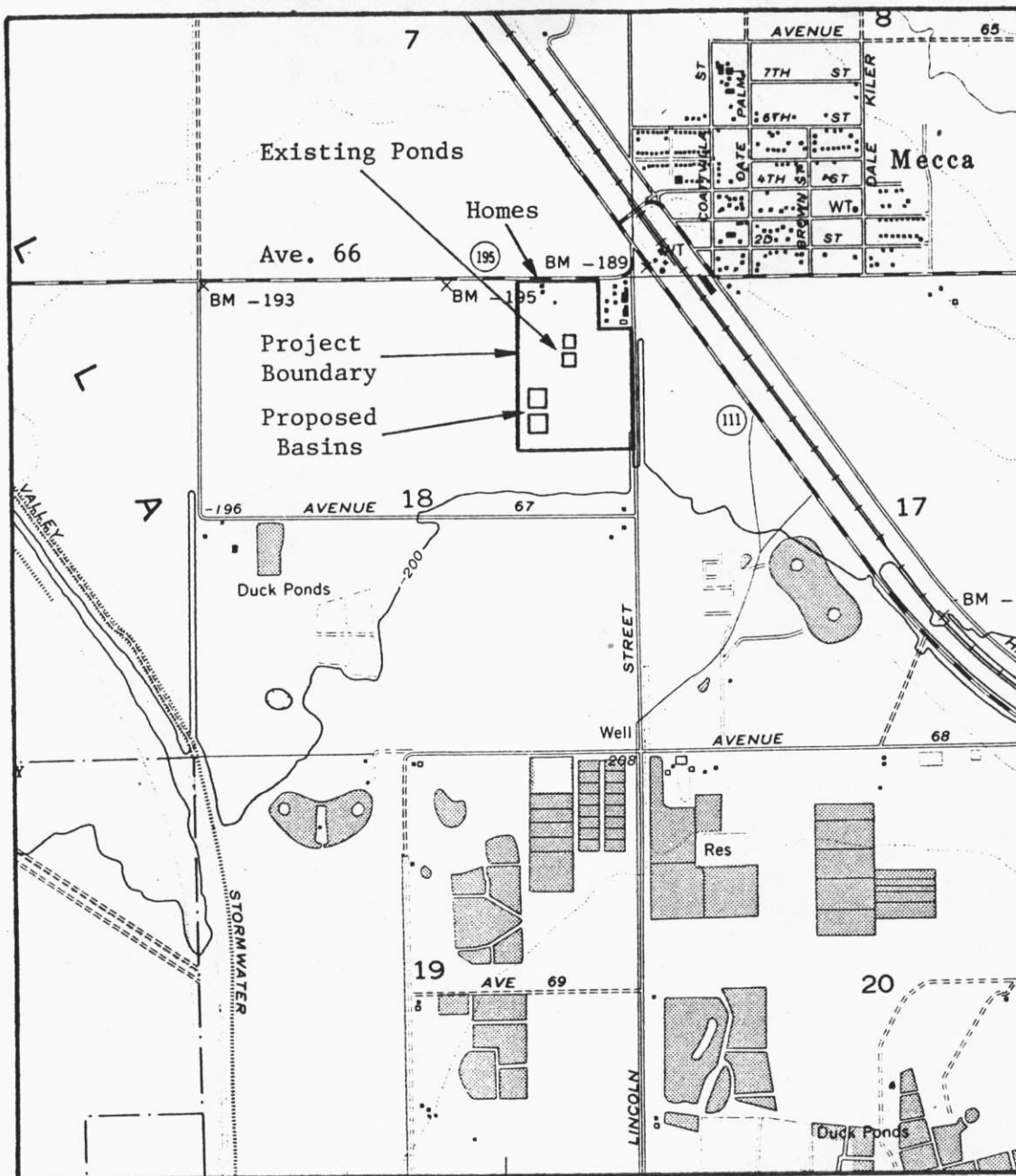
ORDERED BY:


Executive Officer

January 21, 1987

Date

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SITE MAP

GARDEN OF THE SETTING SUN
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 Portion of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 18, T7S, R9E, SBB&M
 USGS Mecca 7.5 min. Topographic Map