WHEREAS, the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Lahontan Regional, finds:

1. In July 2006, the United State Navy prepared a Draft-Final Record of Decision for six contaminated soil areas at the China Lake Naval Weapons Station. The six areas, collectively known as Site 6 T-Range Open Burn facility, have the following proposed remedial actions.

   a) Areas 2, 4, 5, and 6: No further action.

   b) Areas 1 and 3: Remediation consisting of clearance and removal of surface debris from all six areas and burial of debris in two existing trenches at the site. The trenches will be capped in place by an engineered soil cap. During the remediation, soil samples will be collected and analyzed for perchlorate. If perchlorate is found at concentrations that would change the scope of the remedy, a Record of Decision amendment or Explanation of Significant Differences (ESD) will be prepared for review by the Water Board. Land use controls will be put in place to limit access to the site.

2. The proposed remedial actions in the July 2006 Draft Final Record of Decision comply with all applicable and relevant and appropriate requirements of the Regional Board and are protective of water quality.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

That the Lahontan Regional Board authorizes the Executive Officer to:

1. Approve the remedial actions as documented in the July 2006 Draft-Final Record of Decision; and

2. Sign the final version of the Record of Decision provided there are no significant changes between the Draft-Final and Final Record of Decision.

I, Harold J. Singer, Executive Officer, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a Resolution adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Lahontan Region, on September 14, 2006.

“Original Signed By”

HAROLD J. SINGER
EXECUTIVE OFFICER