



# California Regional Water Quality Control Board

## Los Angeles Region



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December 18, 2008

Mr. Dan Pfeifer  
Utility Manager  
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### **ADOPTED COPPER WATER EFFECTS RATIO (WER) AMENDMENT FOR WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS (WDRs) AND NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT – CITY OF SAN BUENAVENTURA, VENTURA WATER RECLAMATION FACILITY (CA 0053651, CI-1822)**

Dear Mr. Pfeifer:

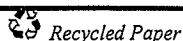
On October 14, 2008, we transmitted a tentative Amendment to change the Copper WER to 2.08 in the WDRs and NPDES Permit for the City of San Buenaventura – Ventura Water Reclamation Facility.

Pursuant to Division 7 of the California Water Code, this Regional Board at a public hearing held on December 11, 2008, reviewed the tentative Amendment, considered all comments received, and adopted Order No. R4-2008-0208 (copy enclosed) for your waste discharge. The Expiration Date, and all other Limitations, Requirements, and Provisions of Order No. R4-2008-0011 are unchanged and will remain in full force and effect.

Enclosed is a copy of the adopted Amendment. Strikethrough lines and underlines shown on the Amendment represent deletions and additions, respectively.

The adopted Amendment will be sent only to the Discharger. However, this document is available on the Regional Board's website for your review. The Regional Board's web address is [www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/).

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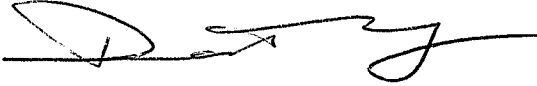
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If you have any questions, please contact Don Tsai at (213) 576-6665 or call David Hung at (213) 576-6616.

Sincerely,




*for* Blythe Ponek-Bacharowski  
Unit Chief, Municipal Permitting Unit (NPDES)

Enclosures

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
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