

## California Regional Water Quality Control Board

## **Los Angeles Region**





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February 24, 2005

Mr. Donald Jordan Assistant Deputy Director Los Angeles County Department of Public Works 900 S. Fremont Avenue Alhambra, CA 91803

**CERTIFIED MAIL** RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED CLAIM NO. 7002 2030 0002 1673 0601

REVISED GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT AND WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS - LOS ANGELES COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, HOLLYHILLS DRAIN UNIT 8B, PHASE 1 & 2 PROJECTS, ORLANDO AVENUE & ROSEWOOD AVENUE, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG994004, CI-8738)

Dear Mr. Jordan:

In our letter dated April 19, 2004, we authorized the discharge of treated groundwater from the construction of Hollyhills Drain Unit 8B, Phase 1 Project under the NPDES General Permit No. CAG994004, Order No. R4-2003-0111; General National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit and Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges of Groundwater From Construction and Project Dewatering to Surface Waters in Coastal Watersheds of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties, adopted by this Board on August 7, 2003.

We have received and reviewed your February 9, 2005, submittal requesting to include your Phase 2 Project (which is an extension of your Phase 1 Project) under your coverage for the above referenced general permit. We have no objection to including the proposed discharge from the Phase 2 construction activities under the general permit.

The discharge limitations in Part E.1.a. and b. of Order No. R4-2003-0111 for the specific constituents listed on the Table with the enclosed Fact Sheet are applicable to your discharge. The groundwater discharge flows to the Ballona Creek. Therefore, the discharge limitations listed in Attachment B. are not applicable to your discharge.

The Monitoring and Reporting Program requires you to implement the monitoring program on the effective date of coverage under this permit. All monitoring reports should be sent to the Regional Board, ATTN: Information Technology Unit. When submitting monitoring or technical reports to the Regional Board per these requirements, please include a reference to "Compliance File No. CI-8738 and NPDES No. CAG994004", which will assure that the reports are directed to the appropriate file and staff. Also, please do not combine other reports with your monitoring reports. Submit each type of report as a separate document.

California Environmental Protection Agency

Los Angeles County Department of Public Works (Hollyhills Drain Unit 8B, Phase 1 & 2 Projects)

In order to avoid future annual fees, please submit written notification when the project has been completed and the permit is no longer needed.

We are sending Board Order No. R4-2003-0111 only to the applicant. For those on the mailing list, please refer to the Board Order sent to you previously or download a copy of the Order from our website at: http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/~rwqcb4/html/permits/general\_permits.html.

If you have any questions, please contact Dr. James Tang at (213) 576-6696.

Sincerely,

Jonathan S. Bishop Executive Officer

## **Enclosures**

Fact Sheet
Monitoring and Reporting Program No. CI-8738
Order No. R4-2003-0111, General NPDES Permit No. CAG994004

cc: Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, Clean Water Act Standards and Permits Office (WTR-5)

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

NOAA, National Marine Fisheries Service

Department of Interior, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

Michael Lauffer, Office of the Chief Counsel, State Water Resources Control Board Department of Fish and Game, Region 5

Los Angeles County Department of Public Works, Flood Control and Drainage

Los Angeles County Department of Environmental Program

City of Los Angeles, Department of Public Works, Stormwater Management Division

City of West Hollywood, Department of Public Works

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