

California Regional Water Quality Control Board

Los Angeles Region



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Arnold Schwarzenegger Governor

April 24, 2007

Mr. Bruce Crable The Newhall Land and Farming Company 23823 Valencia Boulevard Valencia, CA 91355

Dear Mr. Crable:

TERMINATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM AND WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS – THE NEWHALL LAND AND FARMING COMPANY, SEGMENT C OF RIVER PARK DEVELOPMENT, NEWHALL RANCH ROAD/BOUQUET CANYON ROAD, VALENCIA, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG994004, CI-8948)

The subject discharge is regulated under Order No. R4-2003-0111, Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges of Groundwater from Construction and Project Dewatering to Surface Waters in Coastal Watersheds of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties, which also serves as your NPDES permit.

In a letter dated October 10, 2006, you requested termination of the subject permit because you have completed your construction project. An inspection conducted by staff from this office on April 13, 2007, found that there is no discharge of groundwater at the site to surface waters.

Since you have ceased the discharge of groundwater to surface waters at the site, an NPDES permit is not necessary and coverage under Board Order No. R4-2003-0111 for the subject site is hereby terminated except for enforcement purposes.

Please note that if future discharges of groundwater to surface waters become necessary, you must file a Report of Waste Discharge with this office and obtain Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) prior to discharging any groundwater from the site to surface waters. If you have any questions, please contact Gensen Kai at (213) 576–6651.

Sincerely,

Jonathan S. Bishop Executive Officer

California Environmental Protection Agency

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