

California Regional Water Quality Control Board

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Mr. Nell Kit, City Engineer City of Port Hueneme 250 North Ventura Road Port Hueneme, CA 93401 CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED CLAIM NO. 7002 0860 0004 5295 7069

COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM PERMIT AND WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS – CITY OF PORT HUENEME TRITON PUMP STATION ELIMINATION PROJECT, PIPELINE ALIGNMENT NO.1, CHANNEL ISLAND BLVD. & PATTERSON ROAD, PORT HUENEME, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG994004, CI-9027)

Dear Mr. Kit:

We have completed our review of your application for a permit to discharge waste under the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES). You have proposed to discharge up to 1.5 million gallons per day (mgd) of treated groundwater from the above-referenced construction project.

Based on the information provided, the proposed discharge of treated groundwater meets the conditions to be regulated under 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.* You are allowed to discharge up to 1.5 mgd from April 2006 through September 2006 for a period of six months, and there after the discharge will be limited to 1.0 mgd for the remainder of the project duration.

Enclosed are your Waste Discharge Requirements, which also serve as your General NPDES Permit, consisting of Order No. R4-2003-0111 and Monitoring and Reporting Program No. CI-9027. The discharge limitations in Part E.1.a. and c. 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 treated groundwater flows to storm drain and then to Channel Islands Harbor. 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, <u>ATTN: Information Technology Unit</u>. When submitting monitoring or technical reports to the Regional Board per these requirements, please include a reference to "Compliance File No."

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CI-9027 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.

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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.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/html/permits/general_permits.html.

If you have any questions, please contact Namiraj Jain at (213) 620-6003.

Sincerely,

Jonathan S. Bishop Executive Officer

Enclosures

Fact Sheet Monitoring and Reporting Program No. CI-9027 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 Levy, Office of the Chief Counsel, State Water Resources Control Board
Department of Fish and Game, Region 5
Ventura County Department of Public Works
City of Port Hueneme, Department of Public Works, Stormwater Management Division
City of Ventura, Department of Public Works, Stormwater Management Division
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