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## Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

September 24, 2018

Mr. Adam Furlow  
United States Department of Agriculture-Forest Service  
Casitas Fire Station  
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**TERMINATION OF WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE-FOREST SERVICE, CASITAS FIRE STATION, 3333 CASITAS PASS ROAD, VENTURA, CALIFORNIA (ORDER NO. 95-102, CI-5762, FILE NO. 72-065, GLOBAL ID WDR100000602)**

Dear Mr. Furlow:

Our letter of July 3, 2018, transmitted a tentative order to terminate Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) Order No. 95-102, and the associated Monitoring and Reporting Program (MRP) No. CI-5762, for discharge of treated domestic wastewater at the Casitas Fire Station located at 3333 Casitas Pass Road, Ventura, California.

Pursuant to Division 7 of the California Water Code, this Regional Board at a public meeting held on September 13, 2018, reviewed the tentative order, considered all factors in the case, and adopted Order No. R4-2018-0128 (a copy is enclosed) relative to the termination of the WDRs. No written comments were received related to the termination of the WDRs.

If you have any questions, please contact the Project Manager, Mr. David Koo at (213) 620-6155 ([david.koo@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:david.koo@waterboards.ca.gov)) or me at (213) 576-6683 ([eric.wu@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:eric.wu@waterboards.ca.gov)).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Eric Wu".

Eric Wu, Ph.D., P.E.  
Chief of Groundwater Permitting Unit

Enclosure: Order No. R4-2018-0128, Terminating Waste Discharge Requirements

cc (via email): Mr. Matthew Guzman, Casitas Fire Station  
Mr. Charles Genkel, County of Ventura, Environmental Health Division  
Mr. William Stratton, County of Ventura, Environmental Health Division

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**ORDER NO. R4-2018-0128**

**TERMINATION OF WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS  
FOR DISCHARGES TO LAND/GROUNDWATER**  
(United States Department of Agriculture-Forest Service, Casitas Fire Station)  
File No. 72-065

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Los Angeles Region (Regional Board) finds:

1. On July 17, 1995, this Regional Board adopted Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) Order No. 95-102 and a Monitoring and Reporting Program (MRP) No. CI-5762 for the United States Department of Agriculture-Forest Service (hereafter Discharger) to discharge treated domestic wastewater to the subsurface through a leachfield disposal system at the Casitas Fire Station located at 3333 Casitas Pass Road, Ventura, California.
2. Regional Board Order No. 95-102 allowed the Discharger to discharge 2,000 gallons of domestic wastewater per day (gpd) to an onsite wastewater treatment system (OWTS). Historical maximum waste flow was 500 gpd in 2013.
3. On June 19, 2012, the State Water Resources Control Board (State Board) adopted Resolution No. 2012-0032 for the "Water Quality Control Policy for Siting, Design, Operation and Maintenance of Onsite Wastewater Treatment Systems" (OWTS Policy). The OWTS Policy became effective on May 13, 2013 and provides criteria for siting, design, operation and maintenance of onsite systems and provides a conditional waiver of WDRs for onsite systems that comply with the policy. On May 8, 2014, the Regional Board incorporated the OWTS Policy into its Water Quality Control Plan for the Los Angeles Region (Basin Plan) by Resolution No. R14-007.
4. Based on the volume of waste discharge, location of the OWTS, and the setback from surface water, drinking water wells and groundwater, the Regional Board has determined that the subject facility meets the conditions specified in the OWTS Policy, Tier 0 (section 6.0). Therefore, the subject site is covered by the conditional waiver included in the OWTS Policy.
5. Because the Discharger meets the OWTS Policy Tier 0 requirements, the Regional Board finds that Order No. 95-102 is no longer necessary and should be terminated, except for purposes of enforcement.
6. The termination of Regional Board Order No. 95-102 is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act because the termination of WDRs does not have the potential for causing a significant impact on the environment. See Title 14, Cal. Code Regs. § 15061(b)(3).

September 13, 2018

United States Department of Agriculture-Forest Service  
Casitas Fire Station  
Order No. R4-2018-0128

The Regional Board has notified the Discharger and interested agencies and persons of its intent to consider termination of Regional Board Order No. 95-102 and associated MRP, and has provided them with an opportunity to submit comments. The Regional Board, in a public hearing, heard and considered all comments and testimony pertinent to this Order.

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that Order No. 95-102 is terminated, except for enforcement purposes.

The Executive Officer of this Regional Board is authorized, and is hereby directed, to certify and submit copies of this Order to the Discharger, and to such individuals and governmental agencies that request it.

I, Deborah J. Smith, Executive Officer, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an Order adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Los Angeles Region on September 13, 2018.

  
Deborah J. Smith  
Executive Officer