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Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

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Mr. Theodore A. Johnson
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Lakewood, CA 90702

TERMINATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM PERMIT AND WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS—WATER REPLENISHMENT DISTRICT OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, LAKEWOOD, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG994005, CI-9379):

- 1. MADRONA WELL—20520 MADRONA AVENUE, TORRANCE**
- 2. DELTHORNE PARK WELL—3401 SPENCER STREET, TORRANCE**
- 3. TORRANCE POLICE DEPARTMENT WELL—3300 CIVIC CENTER DRIVE, TORRANCE**

Dear Mr. Johnson:

The subject discharges are regulated under Order No. R4-2003-0108, *General National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System and Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges of Groundwater from Potable Water Supply Wells to Surface Waters in Coastal Watersheds of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties*, adopted by this Board on August 7, 2003.

On November 18, 2014, the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) adopted the *Statewide National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit for Drinking Water Systems Discharges to Waters of the United States* (Order WQ 2014-0194-DWQ, General Order No. CAG140001). The Order provides regulatory coverage for short-term or seasonal planned and emergency (unplanned) discharges resulting from a water purveyor's essential operations and maintenance activities undertaken to comply with the federal Safe Drinking Water Act, the California Health and Safety Code, and the State Water Board's Division of Drinking Water permitting requirements for providing reliable delivery of safe drinking water. The order became effective on February 26, 2015.

On August 17, 2015, Water Replenishment District of Southern California (WRD) submitted a completed application package to State Water Board for coverage under the Statewide Drinking Water Systems Discharge Permit. On September 13, 2016, the State Water Board issued a Notice of Applicability to City of Torrance Water System for coverage under the Statewide Drinking Water Systems Discharge Permit. Therefore, coverage for Water Replenishment District of Southern California's Madrona Well, Delthorne Park Well, and Torrance Police Department Well (WDID 4B197600088, CI-9379), under the Regional Water Board Order R4-2003-0108, General NPDES Permit No. CAG994005 are no longer necessary and are hereby terminated, except for enforcement purposes.

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(CI-9379)

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If you have any questions, please contact Vilma Correa at (213) 576-6794.

Sincerely,


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Executive Officer

cc: Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, Permit Section (WTR-5)
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NOAA, National Marine Fisheries Service
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