

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
CENTRAL VALLEY REGION

ORDER NO. R5-2013-0083

RESCISSION OF
CEASE AND DESIST ORDER R5-2004-0093

FOR
CITY OF RIO VISTA AND ECO RESOURCES, INC.
TRILOGY WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT
NORTHWEST WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY
SOLANO COUNTY

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region, (hereafter referred to as Central Valley Water Board) finds that:

1. Prior to 1 August 2006, the City of Rio Vista (Discharger) operated the Trilogy wastewater treatment plant (WWTP). ECO Resources, Inc. formerly operated the Trilogy WWTP under contract to the City of Rio Vista. On 1 August 2006, the Discharger diverted the flow from the Trilogy WWTP to the newly constructed Northwest wastewater treatment facility, ceased operation of the Trilogy WWTP, and commenced decommissioning the Trilogy WWTP.
2. The Discharger was previously regulated under WDRs Order R5-2004-0092. This Order established separate effluent limitations for the Trilogy WWTP and the Northwest Wastewater Treatment Facility because the Discharger was proceeding with design and construction of the Northwest WWTF to replace the Trilogy WWTP. The WDRs name the City of Rio Vista as the owner and ECO Resources as the contract operator. WDRs Order R5-2010-0081 was issued only to the City of Rio Vista Northwest WWTF because the Discharger has decommissioned the Trilogy WWTP. The 2010 WDRs do not name a contract operator.
3. On 9 July 2004, the Central Valley Water Board adopted Cease and Desist Order (CDO) R5-2004-0093 for the City of Rio Vista's Trilogy WWTP and proposed Northwest WWTF. The CDO required the Discharger to complete construction of the Northwest WWTF and required full compliance with effluent limitations in the WDRs for aluminum, ammonia, chloride, electrical conductivity, iron, manganese, MBAS, and nitrite by 1 July 2009 or earlier.
4. Effective May 2008, the Discharger achieved compliance with the effluent limitations in the WDRs by expending \$25.37 million on the construction of the Northwest WWTF, changing the discharge point, and ceasing operation of the Trilogy WWTP.
5. The Central Valley Water Board has notified the Discharger and interested agencies and persons of its intent to rescind Order R5-2004-0093, and has provided them with an opportunity for a public hearing and an opportunity for them to submit their written views and recommendations.

6. Issuance of this Order is exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (Public Resources Code section 21000 et seq.), in accordance with California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15321(a) (2).
7. The Central Valley Water Board, in a public meeting, heard and considered all comments and evidence pertaining to this matter.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Cease and Desist Order R5-2004-0093 is rescinded.

I, PAMELA C. CREEDON, Executive Officer, do hereby certify the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an Order adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region, on 31 May 2013.

Original Signed By

PAMELA C. CREEDON, Executive Officer