REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD SAN DIEGO REGION

EXECUTIVE OFFICER SUMMARY REPORT OCTOBER 14, 2020

ITEM 3

SUBJECT

Future Agenda Items: Recommended Course of Action and Estimated Staff Hours to address Action Items from the September 2020 Board Meeting. (Kelly Dorsey)

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

This in an informational discussion item only. The Board will only offer direction to staff and will not take any formal action.

KEY ISSUE

Many Board Agenda items result in additional actions needed by staff. It is important that staff and the Board clearly understand the expected actions, the time estimated to complete the item and the impact on other projects.

PRACTICAL VISION

This item implements the Practical Vision values of transparency and communication by publicly engaging the Board in directing future staff work and resource commitments.

DISCUSSION

This item affords the Board the opportunity to discuss issues they would like to appear on future agendas. This includes informational items, status reports, general updates, and priorities for consideration of permit issuance / reissuance. Additional tasks outside Board Meetings may also be requested. The public may also address the Board during this item. Updates on requested Future Agenda Items can be found in the Executive Officer's Report.

Three action items resulted from the September 2020 Board Meeting (Supporting Document No. 1). Board Chair Abarbanel requested: 1) staff send a letter to the County of Orange regarding public breaching of the Aliso creek beach sand berm; 2) information regarding the scientific data to support the Governor's assertion that the 2020 wildfires are due to climate change; and 3) an update on new scientific information regarding climate change and how we are including climate change considerations in our work. In total, an estimated 130 hours of staff time is needed to address these requests.

PUBLIC NOTICE

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SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

1. Action Items from the August 2020 Board Meeting.