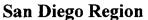


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April 14, 2010

In reply refer to: 255440:chenning

Ms. Milica Kaludjerski Department of Public Works County of San Diego 5555 Overland Ave., Suite 2188 San Diego, CA 92123-1295

Dear Ms. Kaludjerski:

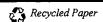
SUBJECT: STAFF ENFORCEMENT LETTER REGARDING REVIEW OF MONITORING REPORTS FOR THE

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The San Diego Water Board identified 24 violations of Order No. 94-04 in the July–December 2009 semi-annual and 2009 annual monitoring reports submitted by the County of San Diego. The following summarizes the 24 violations:

- 1. The County of San Diego exceeded the 30-day average for total suspended solids, established at 30 milligrams per liter (mg/L), during July 2009 and December 2009 with reported values of 31.1 and 48.3 mg/L, respectively.
- 2. The County of San Diego exceeded the daily maximum for total suspended solids, established at 45 mg/L, on December 10, 2009 and December 16, 2009 with reported values of 47 and 49.6 mg/L, respectively.
- 3. The County of San Diego exceeded the daily maximum for total dissolved solids, established at 800 mg/L, on July 15, August 12, September 10, October 13, November 17, and December 10, 2009 with reported values of 846, 876, 924, 920, 870, and 850 mg/L, respectively.
- 4. The County of San Diego exceeded the 30-day average for total dissolved solids, established at 900 mg/L, during September and October 2009 with reported averages of 924 and 920 mg/L respectively.
- 5. The County of San Diego exceeded the daily maximum for chloride, established at 150 mg/L, on July 15, August 12, September 10, October 13, November 17, and December 10, 2009 with reported values of 195, 184, 208, 178, 190, and 191 mg/L, respectively.

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6. The County of San Diego exceeded the 30-day average for chloride, established at 130 mg/L, during July, August, September, October, November, and December 2009 with reported values of 195, 184, 208, 178, 190, and 191 mg/L, respectively.

The San Diego Water Board understands that violations of the total suspended solids discharge specification is due to the presence of wildlife in the aeration pond. In regards to chloride violations, adoption of Order No. R9-2009-0072 addressed these violations by replacing the daily maximum and 30-day average discharge specifications with a single annual average. The 2009 annual average for chloride was 188 mg/L, which is less than the 200 mg/L discharge specification established in Order No. R9-2009-0072. In regards to total dissolved solids, however, the 2009 annual average was 832 mg/L, which is greater than the 800 mg/L discharge specification established in Order No. R9-2009-0072. Please take extra care in 2010 to ensure that salts are properly managed in both the influent and effluent of the treatment plant.

Please be advised that future monitoring reports must be submitted in accordance with Monitoring and Reporting Program No. R9-2009-0072. The next monitoring report required to be submitted is the January to June 2010 semi-annual monitoring report due on July 30, 2010.

In the subject line of any response, please include the requested "In reply refer to:" information located in the heading of this letter. For questions pertaining to the subject matter, please contact Ms. Cathryn Henning of my staff at (858) 636-3161 or at chenning@waterboards.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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