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RE: Tentative Order No. R9-2007-0002,
The Orange County Municipal Storm Water
Permit for the San Diego Region

Dear Mr. Haas:

The Orange County Vector Control District would like to thank the San Diego Regional Water Quality Board and staff for your thoughtful consideration of our comments on the draft Tentative Order No. R9-2007-0002, the Orange County Municipal Storm Water Permit for the San Diego Region. We appreciate the Boards recognition and responsive action to our concerns and challenges that stormwater treatment control BMPs present for our agency in our mission to protect the citizens of Orange County from vectors and vector-borne diseases.

We believe the considerations, inclusions, and requirements the Board has incorporated into the tentative order are an appropriate initial effort which will prove affective in helping to mitigate the potential for vector production in stormwater treatment control BMP features.

We look forward to a continued cooperative relationship working to meet the needs of our respective responsibilities to the public and the environment.

Sincerely,

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Biologist