

California Regional Water Quality Control Board  
Santa Ana Region

RESOLUTION NO. R8-2002-0056  
Orange County Sanitation District Ocean Monitoring Program  
Phase II - Year 5 Strategic Process Studies

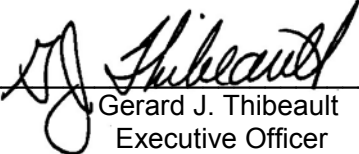
WHEREAS:

1. Board Order No, 98-5, waste discharge requirements for Orange County Sanitation Districts (OCSD), requires that OCSD annually propose strategic studies to address specific receiving water quality, discharge impact, or ocean process questions relating to the discharge. Order No. 98-5 further requires that OCSD obtain Regional Board and USEPA approval of strategic studies proposed.
2. OCSD has submitted its proposal for Ocean Monitoring Program Phase II - Year 5 strategic process studies, which include the continuation of the following multi-year projects:
  - Evaluation and application of Physical Oceanographic Model(s).
  - Mapping of Spatial Current Patterns.
  - Central Bight Regional Water Quality Monitoring Program.
3. Regional Board staff has conferred with OCSD and USEPA staff concerning OCSD's proposed Year 5 strategic process studies.
4. Regional Board and USEPA staffs believe the proposed Year 5 studies are appropriate and within the intent of the Order No. 98-5 requirement that OCSD conduct strategic studies of the effects of its discharge on the marine environment.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The Ocean Monitoring Program Phase II – Year 5 strategic process studies proposed by OCSD is approved.

I, Gerard J. Thibeault, Executive Officer, do hereby certify that the forgoing is full, true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Santa Ana Region, on May 31, 2002.

  
Gerard J. Thibeault  
Executive Officer