

Resolution Number R8-2022-0011

Resolution of Appreciation

for

Lana Ong Peterson

Whereas:

Lana Ong Peterson ably served as a Member of the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Santa Ana Region (Santa Ana Water Board) from December 2016 through November 2021, having been appointed by Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr.; and

Lana Ong Peterson served the Santa Ana Water Board as Chair from March 2021 to November 2021, and

Lana Ong Peterson played a critical role in the Board's major accomplishments during her tenure, including, but not limited to, adoption of the Newport Bay Watershed Selenium Total Maximum Daily Loads, the Human Right to Water Resolution, the Quail Valley Septic System Prohibition Modification, and the Huntington Beach Desalination Facility Permit; and

Lana Ong Peterson's leadership on the Santa Ana Water Board resulted in fair and equitable enforcement actions, including adoption of a Cleanup and Abatement Order for United El Segundo, Inc. and My Montecito, Inc. and Administrative Civil Liability Orders for K&G Ready Mix, Inc., Los Alamitos Race Course, and Cham-Cal Engineering Company, as well as oversight of the wastewater treatment plant expansion and upgrades mandated for the City of Beaumont; and

Lana Ong Peterson's expertise as a public and community leader provided effective and thoughtful approaches when considering the many diverse regulatory actions taken to address water quality and human right to water issues; and

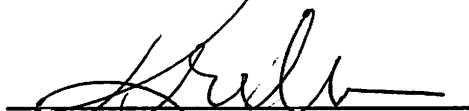
Lana Ong Peterson was an enthusiastic and engaged Chair and Board Member of the Santa Ana Water Board who generously gave her time and talent to support Board activities and created a culture of mutual respect in which collaboration with stakeholders was able to flourish; and


Lana Ong Peterson's contributions during her tenure on the Santa Ana Water Board have benefited residents of the Santa Ana Region and will continue to do so long into the future.

Therefore, the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Santa Ana Region, hereby adopts Resolution Number R8-2022-0011 and resolves to:

Commend Lana Ong Peterson for her service as a Chair and Member of the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Santa Ana Region, from 2016 through 2021, and

Wish the best for Lana Ong Peterson in her future endeavors.


Kris A. Murray
Chair


Jayne Joy, P.E.
Executive Officer