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Subject: Surface Water Ambient Monitoring Program (SWAMP) Quality Assurance
Program Plan (EPA R9 QA Document Control Number WATR1030PV1)

Dear Ms Morris:

The subject document, the Surface Water Ambient Monitoring Program (SWAMP) Quality Assurance Program Plan, received on May 2, 2017 and reviewed by the EPA Region 9 Quality Assurance Section, is approved.

The review was based on guidance provided in "*EPA Region 9 Requirements for Quality Assurance Program Plans*" (R9qa/03.2) February 2017.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 415-972-3411 or mчнаughton.eugenia@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Eugenia McNaughton".

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