October 19, 2006

Song Her, Clerk to the Board
State Water Resources Control Board
Executive Office
1001 I Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

SUBJECT: COMMENT LETTER – 2006 FEDERAL CWA SECTION 303(d) LIST

Dear State Water Resources Control Board:

The City of Burbank Public Works Department appreciates the opportunity to comment on the State Water Resources Control Board's (State Board) 303(d) list of impaired waterbodies. The creation of the Listing Policy (Water Quality Control Policy for Developing California’s Clean Water Act Section 303(d) List) has made the listing process much more transparent and straightforward. We applaud the implementation of the Listing Policy and the hard work by the State Board staff to review data in accordance with it.

Upon reviewing the proposed 2006 Clean Water Act 303(d) list, we are in agreement with all of the listing and delisting decisions made by the State Board as it regards the Burbank Western Channel. The only correction needed on these listing is moving both trash and copper to “List as Being Addressed.” TMDLs have been created for both of these pollutants for the Los Angeles River and its tributaries, which includes the Burbank Western Channel. Therefore, the

Thank you for your consideration of our concerns. If you have any questions, please call me at (818) 238-3931.

Sincerely,

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