In the Matter of Water Right Certificate D886 (Registration D032559)

Westminster Woods Camp and Conference Center

ORDER REVOKING WATER RIGHT

SOURCE: Unnamed Springs tributary to Dutch Bill Creek thence the Russian River
COUNTY: Sonoma

WHEREAS:

1. Westminster Woods Camp and Conference Center (right holder) is the right holder of Water Right Certificate D886. Tony Fry (agent) is the authorized agent for the right holder.

2. On October 25, 2016, the agent requested that the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board), Division of Water Rights (Division), revoke Water Right Certificate D886 upon approval of Water Right Application 32372.

3. By signing the voluntary request for revocation, the right holder waived the right to the hearing and notice requirements set forth in Water Code sections 1410 et seq. and 1675 et seq.

4. The State Water Board has delegated the authority to revoke water rights to the Deputy Director for Water Rights (Deputy Director) pursuant to Resolution No. 2012-0029. The Deputy Director has redelegated this authority to the Unit Seniors, pursuant to redelegation order dated July 6, 2012.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED THAT WATER RIGHT CERTIFICATE D886 IS HEREBY REVOKED, AND THE WATER IS DECLARED TO BE SUBJECT TO APPROPRIATION.

This revocation may not result in additional water being available for new appropriations if there are applicable restrictions due to past State Water Board decisions regarding water availability.

Right holder shall document any diversions made under claim of right independent of a permit, license, registration or certification issued by the State Water Board, such as diversions under riparian or pre-1914 rights. With limited exceptions, Water Code section 5101 requires that a Statement of Water Diversion and Use be filed for these diversions. Water Code section 5107 (c)(1) provides that the State Water Board may impose a civil liability of $1,000, plus $500 per day for each additional day on which the violation continues if the person fails to file a statement within 30 days after the board has called the violation to the attention of that person. These penalties are in addition to any penalties that may be imposed if the diverter does not hold a valid right or diverts in excess of what is authorized under that right.
STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY:
KATHERINE LEE, FOR

*Leslie F. Grober, Deputy Director*
*Division of Water Rights*

Dated: JUNE 28, 2017