

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD  
RESOLUTION NO. 81-24

AUTHORIZING NEGOTIATION AND EXECUTION OF AN INTERAGENCY  
AGREEMENT WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME FOR CON-  
TINUED OPERATION OF THE MARINE MONITORING PROGRAM

WHEREAS:

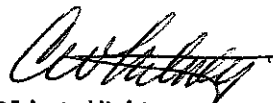
1. Provisions of the Clean Water Act and the Porter-Cologne Act require the State Board to establish and coordinate a statewide water quality surveillance and monitoring program, including the marine environment, to measure compliance with state and federal water quality control objectives.
2. The State Board resolved in Resolution No. 78-2, adopted January 19, 1978, in approving the revised "Ocean Plan", that "The Board hereby declares its intent to require continual monitoring of the marine environment to assure that the Plan reflects the latest available data and that the water quality objectives fully protect the marine environment".
3. The State Board adopted Resolution No. 77-24, authorizing the development and operation of the marine monitoring program by the Department of Fish and Game during F.Y. 1977-78, and authorized continuation of the Program in F.Y. 1978-79 under Resolution No. 78-23 and in F.Y. 1979-80 under Resolution 79-28.
4. The Department of Fish and Game and its cooperators have qualified personnel, facilities, and experience to continue operation of the marine program.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

That the State Board's Executive Director be authorized to negotiate and execute an Interagency Agreement, substantially as proposed, with the Department of Fish and Game for operation of the Marine Water Quality Monitoring Program through June 30, 1982, at a cost not to exceed \$168,000 in F.Y. 1981-82 Bond Funds, subject to the availability of funds.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, Executive Director of the State Water Resources Control Board, does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the State Water Resources Control Board held on March 19, 1981.



Clint Whitney  
Executive Director