STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 2012-0046

APPROVE AN INITIAL STUDY/MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION AND ADOPT PROPOSED GENERAL WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR AQUIFER STORAGE AND RECOVERY PROJECTS THAT INJECT DRINKING WATER INTO GROUNDWATER

WHEREAS:

- 1. The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) prepared and circulated draft General Waste Discharge Requirements for Aquifer Storage and Recovery Projects that Inject Drinking Water into Groundwater (General Order).
- 2. The State Water Board considered comments received on the draft General Order.
- 3. The State Water Board prepared an Initial Study and Notice of Proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration (State Clearing House No. 2012082055 and circulated these for public review on August 13, 2012, pursuant to the California Code of Regulations, title 14, sections 15072 and 15073.
- 4. After considering comments received on the Initial Study, the State Water Board determined based on the reasons specified in the Initial Study that the proposed project, the adoption of the General Order, will have a less than significant effect on the environment and will not result in significant cumulative impact; and that specific requirements in the General Order will mitigate any potential adverse impacts.
- 5. The documents and other material that constitute the record for the project are located in files held by the State Water Board.
- 6. The State Water Board will file a Notice of Determination for this project with the Governor's Office of Planning and Research within five days from issuance of this resolution in accordance with the California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15075.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The State Water Board:

- Approves the <u>Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration</u> (https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/board_decisions/adopted_orders/water_quality/w qo12.shtml) for the General Order; and
- 2. Adopts the <u>General Order</u> (https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/board_decisions/adopted_orders/water_quality/w qo12.shtml).

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned Clerk to the 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 September 19, 2012.

AYE: Chairman Charles R. Hoppin

Vice Chair Frances Spivy-Weber

Board Member Tam M. Doduc

Board Member Steven Moore

Board Member Felicia Marcus

NAY: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None

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Jeanine Townsend Clerk to the Board