

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD
RESOLUTION NO. 90-64

APPROVAL OF THE REQUEST
FOR \$950,000 FROM THE
WATER POLLUTION CLEANUP AND ABATEMENT ACCOUNT
FOR MINE SEALING AT MAMMOTH, KEYSTONE, AND STOWELL MINES,
SHASTA COUNTY

WHEREAS:

1. The Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board has requested \$950,000 from the Water Pollution Cleanup and Abatement Account to pay the cost of mine sealing at Mammoth, Keystone, and Stowell Mines, Shasta County; and
2. Requested funds will be used to:
 - a. Contract for the construction of concrete, bulkhead seals in the Mammoth, Keystone, and Stowell Mines.
 - b. Contract for various activities to gain access to the main adit of Keystone mine.
 - c. Contract with a mine engineering firm to assist in preparation of contract documents, assist in technical decisions, and provide construction management for placement of seals and access work.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE STATE BOARD:

1. Orders that the amount of \$950,000 from the Water Pollution Cleanup and Abatement Account be paid to the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board, to be used for the purposes specified in the recitals of this resolution.
2. All unexpended funds shall automatically revert to the Water Pollution Cleanup and Abatement Account twelve months from the date of encumbrance, unless a time extension is granted by the Executive Director or designee.
3. Upon completion of the work funded under this resolution, the Central Valley Regional Board shall submit a report to the Office of Chief Counsel describing the work accomplished and discussing any possible recoupment of funds.

4. Any funds which are recouped shall be returned to the Water Pollution Cleanup and Abatement Account.
5. This payment is conditioned upon receipt of letters from the Department of Fish and Game and the Environmental Protection Agency stating that those agencies will not take any actions which would result in holding either the regional board or the State Water Resources Control Board liable for any releases from the Keystone, Mammoth, and Stowell Mines, short of grossly negligent or intentional actions.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, Administrative Assistant 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 June 21, 1990.


Maureen Marché
Administrative Assistant to the Board