

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD

In the Matter of Contempo/Green)
River Mobile Home Park - Petition)
for Review of Waste Discharge)
Requirements Prescribed by)
Regional Board)

Order No. 71-5

On January 12, 1971, Contemporary/Green River Mobile Home Corporation petitioned the State Water Resources Control Board to review the action of the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Santa Ana Region, in prescribing waste discharge requirements in Resolution 69-50 (12-70) on December 18, 1970.

The State Water Resources Control Board having considered the petition and the regional board's records pertaining to this matter finds:

1. Green River Mobile Home Park is presently under construction. The development is located on 41 acres in mountainous terrain alongside the Santa Ana River approximately 2½ miles below Prado Dam. It will contain 333 spaces for mobile homes.

2. In its petition, Green River Mobile Home Park states that the regional board, "...acted partially and arbitrarily in imposing unreasonable requirements on the waste discharge system of the mobile home property."

3. The petition also states that "...the resolution makes no allowance for any incremental increase through normal

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domestic usage of the extracted and untreated river water (excepting a small allowable increase of chloride)...and since no incremental increase is allowed for, we feel the imposed requirements are unfair and unreasonable."

4. The quality of the water supply to Contempo/Green River Mobile Home Park in October, 1970 was as follows:

<u>Constituent</u>	<u>Concentrations - mg/l</u>
Sodium	126
Sulfate	376
Chloride	130
Nitrate	1
Fluoride	0.6
Total Hardness	599
Electrical Conductivity	1,470 micromhos

5. The waste discharge requirements prescribed in Resolution 69-50 (12-70) state that:

"1. The electrical conductivity (EC) of the waste discharge shall at no time exceed that of the untreated water supply to the sewered area.

"2. The waste discharge shall not contain an average concentration of the following constituent in excess of the concentration of the same constituent in the water supply by more than the following increment:

Chloride 35 mg/l"

6. The discharger proposes to treat the water supply using the cold lime with recarbonation process for water softening. This process, commonly called the lime or excess lime-soda ash process, is a precipitation method employing calcium hydroxide or calcium hydroxide plus sodium carbonate.

7. The waste discharge requirements prescribed in Resolution 69-50 (12-70) are reasonable and necessary to protect the beneficial uses of the surface water of the Santa Ana River in the reach downstream from Prado Dam.

8. The petitioner did not present or offer to present any evidence why petitioner cannot comply with waste discharge requirements prescribed in Resolution 69-50 (12-70).

9. The Santa Ana Regional Board acted appropriately in adopting Resolution 69-50 (12-70).

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

The petition of Contempo/Green River Mobile Home Park is denied.

Adopted as the decision and order of the State Water
Resources Control Board at a meeting duly called and held at
Los Angeles, California.

Dated: February 4, 1971

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