

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD  
RESOLUTION NO. 84-9

CERTIFICATION OF BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES FOR LOCATING ABANDONED  
HAZARDOUS WASTE SITES IN PREDOMINANTLY AGRICULTURAL AREAS

WHEREAS:

1. The federal Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) awarded the State a Phase II 208 grant which included an element to conduct a survey of abandoned hazardous waste sites in agricultural counties.
2. The State Department of Health Services was awarded a contract to develop a methodology for locating sites, applying the methodology, and prioritizing abandoned sites.
3. The State Department of Health Services developed a Methodology Manual for Abandoned Hazardous Waste Sites in Agricultural Counties (Methodology Manual), prepared a Final Report describing the work conducted in eight counties, and prioritized abandoned sites discovered in these counties.
4. The State Board staff has reviewed the Methodology Manual and the Final Report and finds that the Department of Health Services has completed their contract requirements and that the practices described in the Methodology Manual meet the certification criteria for Best Management Practices as part of the State's 208 Areawide Waste Treatment Management Plan.
5. State Board staff has made recommendations for implementing these practices.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

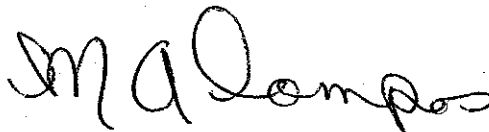
That the State Board:

1. Approves the Department of Health Services' Final Report and Methodology Manual for Locating Abandoned Hazardous Waste Sites in Agricultural Counties as completing contract requirements.
2. Certifies the practices contained in the Methodology Manual as best management practices and includes them as part of the State's 208 Areawide Waste Treatment Management Plan.
3. Approves the recommendations for implementation as contained in Attachment A to this resolution.

4. Transmits the Final Report, Methodology Manual, and Implementing Measures to EPA requesting their approval of these products as meeting the workplan requirements for this project.

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 January 19, 1984.



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Executive Director