STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 91-51

APPROVAL OF A STATE REVOLVING FUND (SRF) LOAN FOR THE CITY OF WILLOWS (CITY) WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT (C-06-4052-110)

WHEREAS:

- 1. The State Board, on August 18, 1988, adopted the "Policy for Implementing the State Revolving Fund for Construction of Wastewater Treatment Facilities" and amended it on September 20, 1990;
- The State Board, on September 20, 1990, adopted the Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 1991 SRF Loan Program Priority List which includes the Willows Wastewater Treatment Facility Improvements project as unscheduled;
- 3. The City of Willows has requested that the State Board amend the FFY 1991 SRF Loan Program Priority List to include their project in the fundable year;
- 4. The Division of Clean Water Programs has approved the project report, environmental documents, and the draft revenue program for the Willows Wastewater Treatment Facility Improvements project; and
- 5. The information contained in the Negative Declaration and Initial Study prepared for the project (State Clearinghouse No. 90031052) has been reviewed and considered, and:
 - Changes or alterations have been required in, or incorporated into, Α. the project which avoid or substantially lessen the potentially significant environmental impacts identified in the Negative Declaration and Initial Study with respect to the following aspects of the project: (1) hazardous waste impacts associated with soil and ground water will be mitigated by performing site investigations, preparing mitigation plans, undertaking cleanup, and properly disposing of contaminated materials as necessary; (2) cultural resources impacts will be mitigated, when evidence of cultural resources are found by notifying the Landmarks Preservation Advisory Board, stopping construction and bringing in an archeologist to evaluate the find and prepare an archeological report documenting the discovery and make recommendations for preservation or mitigation. If evidence of archeological or historical materials are discovered in the construction zone, all work will cease within a radius of 150 feet of the discovery until a qualified archeologist can evaluate the discovery and make recommendations for mitigation of the resource.

If the archeologist determines based on his/her field inspection that construction has impacted the resource to such a degree that it has lost its ability to meet the criteria for listing in the National Register of Historic Places, he/she shall prepare a report documenting the finding and submit three (3) copies of the report to the Division of Clean Water Programs Cultural Resources Officer.

B. With respect to the potentially significant environmental impacts identified in the Negative Declaration and Initial Study, appropriate changes or alterations are within the responsibility and jurisdiction of other public agencies and such other changes or alterations have been adopted or can and should be adopted by such other agencies.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE STATE BOARD:

- 1. Amend the SRF Loan Program Priority List to reschedule the City's project to FFY 1991 for funding, and
- 2. Approve a SRF loan of \$620,000 for the Willows Wastewater Treatment Facility Improvements Project No. C-06-4052-110, with a repayment period of twenty (20) years, and the first repayment to be due one (1) year after completion of construction.

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 20, 1991.

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Administrative Assistant to the Board