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October 1, 2010

Maggie Healy, Acting Director
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City of Redondo Beach
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Dear Ms. Healy:

RESPONSE TO COMMENTS AND REVISED TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS (WDR) – CITY OF REDONDO BEACH, SEASIDE LAGOON (NPDES NO. CA0064297, CI NO. 8034)

Our letter dated September 21, 2010, transmitted the revised-tentative Order which addressed comments submitted August 31, 2010 on the July 12, 2010 version of your permit to discharge wastes under the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES). Attached hereto is a Response to Comments Table which addresses the comments submitted to the Regional Board on September 29, 2010, and a revised version of the WDR. The major modifications incorporated are listed below:

1. Incorporation of total suspended solids (TSS) in the Work Plan for the Special Study.
2. Incorporation of a finding to document development of the TSS daily maximum limitation utilizing best professional judgment.
3. Incorporation of a finding to reference the current Time Schedule Order (TSO), Order No. R4-2010-0066, that includes interim effluent limitations for TSS through September 10, 2013.
4. Incorporation of a footnote which stipulates that the Discharger may utilize the sampling from the Special Study to comply with the requirement to monitor metals in the permit.
5. Incorporation of editorial comments as appropriate.

In accordance with administrative procedures, this Board at a public hearing to be held on October 7, 2010, at 9:00 A.M., at the City of Simi Valley, Council Chambers, 2929 Tapo Canyon Road, Simi Valley, California, will consider the enclosed revised tentative requirements and comments submitted in writing regarding any and all portions thereof. The Board will hear any testimony pertinent to this discharge and the revised tentative requirements. It is expected that the Board will take action at the hearing; however, as testimony indicates, the Board, at its discretion, may order further investigation.

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Ms. Maggie Healy
City of Redondo Beach
Seaside Lagoon

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If you have any questions, please contact Mazhar Ali at (213) 576-6652.

Sincerely,



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Enclosures

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