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Jeanine Townsend, Clerk to the Board State Water Resources Control Board 1001 I Street, 24th Floor Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: Comment Letter — FFY 2018 DWSRF IUP

Dear Ms. Townsend:

We have reviewed the FFY 2018 DWSRF IUP draft dated April 16, 2018 and have the following comments, which refer to our specific project that appears on page 80 (row 9 in the table on that page) in the draft IUP.

- 1. The title and the amount for our planning project are incorrect in this draft IUP. It should read "Plan and Design of a Manganese Treatment Plant" for the amount of "\$150,000." (See the General Information Package we submitted.)
- 2. Our project is listed in this draft as a Class F project, but should be a Class E project. Our project matches the definition of a Class E project (on page 23 of the draft IUP), specifically matching the first bullet example of a Class E project, which reads "The distribution of water that exceeds secondary drinking water standards." Our water now exceeds the secondary standard for manganese, and this manganese treatment plant project is designed to address this issue.

There is a Sustainability Score from 0 to 2 assigned to every project and included as a column in all the tables of appendices on the various projects. However, nowhere in this IUP draft is the sustainability score's definition or scale explained. We suggest including that definition.

Thank you in advance for your attention to making these changes before finalizing the IUP.

Sincerely,

David L. Jones

President, Board of Directors

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Cc: Victor Lopez, Project Manager, Division of Financial Assistance