REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD SAN DIEGO REGION

SUPPLEMENTAL EXECUTIVE OFFICER SUMMARY REPORT June 20, 2018

ITEM 8

SUBJECT

Informational Item: Presentation from Southern California Edison on the Status of the Decommissioning and the Storage of Spent Fuel at the San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station (SONGS). (*Ben Neill*)

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

This is an informational item and the Board will not take an action.

KEY ISSUE

This item provides an update on the status of SONGS decommissioning including the long-term storage of spent nuclear fuel and climate change considerations. Mr. David Asti, a Principal Advisor in Environmental Policy & Affairs for Southern California Edison (SCE), will be presenting to the Board. (See Supporting Document No. 1)

PRACTICAL VISION

San Diego Water Board engagement in the SONGS decommissioning process supports chapter 1 of the Practical Vision, *Strategizing for Healthy Waters*¹, by ensuring that the chemical, physical, and biological integrity of aquatic resources within the Board's purview are maintained and protected throughout the SONGS decommissioning process.

DISCUSSION

The San Diego Water Board received correspondence from the following interested persons expressing a variety of concerns about today's informational item for distribution to Board Members.

- George and Karen Courser of Oceanside, California to San Diego Water Board Members, email and comment letter dated June 12, 2018 with attachments (See Supporting Document No. 3).
- Nina Babiarz of La Mesa, California, Board Member and Treasurer of Public Watchdogs to David Gibson, San Diego Water Board Executive Officer, email dated June 12, 2018 with attached slide presentation (See Supporting Document No. 4).

PUBLIC NOTICE

This item was publicly noticed in the Meeting Notice and Agenda for the June 20, 2018 meeting.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

Supporting Documents 1 and 2 were previously provided.

- 3. Email and attachments from George and Karen Courser
- 4. Email and attachments from Nina Babiarz, Public Watchdogs

¹ The San Diego Water Board's Practical Vision is available at this website: https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sandiego/water_issues/Practical_Vision/index.shtml