STATE OF CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD SAN FRANCISCO BAY REGION

STAFF SUMMARY REPORT STAFF: LINDSAY WHALIN MEETING DATE: May 9, 2007

ITEM: 5.C

SUBJECT: Burlingame Landfill, Burlingame, San Mateo County – Amendment

of Waste Discharge Requirements Order No. 95-130

CHRONOLOGY: 1995 – Adoption of Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs)

DISCUSSION: The Revised Tentative Order (Appendix A) amends WDRs for the

Burlingame Landfill.

The now-closed Landfill, owned by the City of Burlingame and located between the cities of Millbrae and Hillsborough on the western shore of the San Francisco Bay, is approximately 50 acres. Construction debris, concrete rubble, wood, plastic, green waste, metal and clean soil was disposed of at the Landfill between 1957 and 1987. Municipal solid waste was not disposed of at the Landfill. A final cap was constructed in 2002, and the land was developed into a recreational park and athletic fields. Current site monitoring indicates no significant water quality impacts to surface water or groundwater at or adjacent to the Landfill.

The Revised Tentative Order amends the WDRs to update the Order regarding the facility's land use change from open space to recreational, and modifies the Landfill's groundwater and site monitoring and reporting frequency.

We circulated a draft order to the City of Burlingame and interested parties. We have made minor revisions now reflected in the language of the Revised Tentative Order, based on comments provided by the State Board. No other comments were submitted, and the City of Burlingame has indicated agreement with the Revised Tentative Order.

RECOMMENDATION: Adoption of the Revised Tentative Order

File No. 2179.7005 (LW)

Appendix: A - Revised Tentative Order

APPENDIX A REVISED TENTATIVE ORDER