

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

STAFF SUMMARY REPORT (Robert Schlipf)
MEETING DATE: November 12, 2014

ITEM: **15**

SUBJECT: **City of Oakland, Wastewater Collection System, Alameda County**
- Reissuance of NPDES Permit and Rescission of Cease and Desist Order

CHRONOLOGY: 1984, 1989, 1994, 2004, and 2009 – NPDES permits reissued
November 2009 – Cease and Desist Order (CDO) amended
December 2009 – Filed lawsuit against East Bay Communities for violations of NPDES permits and unauthorized discharges
September 22, 2014 - Consent Decree by and among U.S. EPA, Board, State Board, EBMUD and East Bay Communities entered by Court

DISCUSSION: The attached Tentative Order (Appendix A) would reissue the permit for the City's wastewater collection system. And rescind the City's CDO. The Staff Summary Report for Item 11 provides the background for this item along with comments received and Board staff responses to those comments. This item proposes requirements identical to those in Item 11 and shares one set of comments that pertains to all items, 11 through 17.

There are two main differences between this item and Item 11. One is that this item has facility descriptions specific to Oakland. The other is that this item would also rescind the CDO for Oakland since all of the work required by the CDO has been completed.

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DATION: Adoption of the Tentative Order

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Appendix A: Tentative Order
(See Item 11 for comments and Board staff responses to comments)