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

STAFF SUMMARY REPORT (Vic Pal) MEETING DATE: October 14, 2020

ITEM: 6D

SUBJECT:City of Mountain View Shoreline Regional Park - Class III Solid Waste
Disposal Landfill, Mountain View, Santa Clara County – Update of
Waste Discharge Requirements and Rescission of Order No. 96-040

CHRONOLOGY: 1996 – Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) adopted

DISCUSSION: This Tentative Order (Appendix A) would update the 1996 WDRs to reflect the current post-closure land use and upgrades to the leachate collection system, and require the Dischargers to develop a strategy for the long-term protection of the site from flooding and inundation due to sea level rise and extreme weather events.

The Landfill is a closed Class III landfill that occupies approximately 458 acres within the 750-acre Shoreline Regional Wildlife Park and Recreation Area property. The Landfill is owned and maintained by the City of Mountain View. The Park's current use includes an 18-hole golf course, driving range, two restaurants, a boathouse and sailing lake, hiking trails, an open amphitheater used primarily for live music events, parking, open space, and wildlife habitat.

The City of Mountain View completed a Sea Level Rise (SLR) evaluation in 2013. The study assumed a minimum rise of 8 inches and a maximum rise of 31 inches through 2067). Provision 7 of this Order requires the City to update the SLR evaluation in 2022 and every five years thereafter. The updated SLR evaluation will consider select strategies that are consistent with the most recent version of the San Francisco Bay Shoreline Adaptation Atlas (currently 2019), prepared by the San Francisco Estuary Institute (Adaptation Atlas).

Water Board staff inspected the Landfill on September 2, 2020 and found it compliant with the 1996 WDRs as well as this Tentative Order.

No comments were received on the Tentative Order.

DATION: Adoption of the Tentative Order

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APPENDIX A: Tentative Order

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