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

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ITEM: 5C

Crockett Community Services District, Port Costa Wastewater Treatment Plant, Port Costa, Contra Costa County – Reissuance of NPDES Permit

DISCUSSION:

This Tentative Order (Appendix A) would reissue the NPDES permit for the Crockett Community Services District's Port Costa wastewater treatment plant and collection system. The plant serves a population of about 250 people in northwest Contra Costa County. The plant discharges about 20,000 gallons per day of treated wastewater to Carquinez Strait through a submerged outfall located about 60 feet offshore.

The Tentative Order would continue to allow the District to discharge secondary treated municipal wastewater to Carquinez Strait, while updating requirements to reflect recent regulatory changes. Most significantly, the Tentative Order includes effluent limits for several chlorinated pesticides detected in the District's effluent in 2019 and requires the District to update its Pollution Minimization Program.

We circulated the Tentative Order for public review and did not receive any comments, but made minor editorial and formatting changes. We expect this item to remain uncontested.

APPENDIX:

A. Tentative Order

Appendix A Tentative Order