## CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD SANTA ANA REGION

## **RESOLUTION R8-2017-0012**

## APPROVING THE LOCAL AGENCY MANAGEMENT PROGRAM FOR CITY OF RANCHO CUCAMONGA DEPARTMENT OF BUILDING AND SAFETY

- WHEREAS, on June 19, 2012, the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) adopted Resolution No. 2012-0032, which in part approves the Water Quality Control Policy for Siting, Design, Operation, and Maintenance of Onsite Wastewater Treatment Systems (OWTS Policy) statewide; and
- 2. WHEREAS, the OWTS Policy, allows Local Agencies to propose Local Agency Management Programs (hereafter LAMP) for California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Santa Ana Region approval, as conditional waivers of waste discharge requirements; and
- 3. WHEREAS, City of Rancho Cucamonga and the LAMP's area of applicability extends within the boundaries of the Santa Ana Regional Water Quality Control Board; and
- 4. WHEREAS, on May 11, 2016, City of Rancho Cucamonga submitted an initial draft LAMP for review by the Santa Ana Regional Water Board; and
- WHEREAS, on July 5, 2016, the Santa Ana Regional Water Board solicited, received, and incorporated comments from the State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Drinking Water into the draft LAMP; and
- 6. WHEREAS, on March 13, 2017, the Santa Ana Regional Water Board completed discussions on the draft LAMP and checklist; and
- 7. WHEREAS, on May 16, 2017, the Santa Ana Regional Water Board provided an opportunity for the public to review and submit comments by posting a notice of public hearing, staff report, draft LAMP; tentative Resolution R8-2017-0012; and
- 8. WHEREAS, City of Rancho Cucamonga and the Santa Ana Regional Water Board staff worked collaboratively in the development of the LAMP and has determined that the LAMP addresses the required elements of the OWTS Policy; and therefore recommends Santa Ana Regional approval by adoption of Resolution R7-2017-0012; and
- 9. WHEREAS, In compliance with California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the City of Rancho Cucamonga has determined that approval of the LAMP and adoption of an ordinance implementing the LAMP to regulate Onsite Wastewater Treatment Systems in the City will be exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15308: Actions by Regulatory Agencies for Protection of the Environment.
- **10. WHEREAS,** on June 16, 2017, the Santa Ana Regional Basin Water Board, in a public meeting, heard and considered all comments pertaining to this action;

## THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

- 1. That the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Santa Ana Region, hereby approves the LAMP submitted by City of Rancho Cucamonga Building and Safety; and
- 2. That the approved LAMP becomes effective upon adoption of the implementing ordinance by the City of Rancho Cucamonga; and
- 3. That the OWTS Policy's Tier 0 (zero), Existing OWTS, extends regulatory coverage to existing systems, which are properly functioning and do not need corrective action, and can otherwise comply with the criteria in the Waiver of Waste Discharge Requirements (Waiver), prescribed as Section 12 in the OWTS Policy, and for the purposes of compliance with the Waiver, City of Rancho Cucamonga shares Board authority to designate that an existing system needs corrective action; and
- 4. The Santa Ana Regional Water Board directs that City of Rancho Cucamonga may continue to implement onsite programs within their local jurisdiction; and
- That the Board further directs its Executive Officer to act on its behalf, to process for review, comment and ultimate approval of future modifications to the LAMP submitted by the City of Rancho Cucamonga.

I, Kurt V. Berchtold, Executive Officer, do hereby certify the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of Resolution R8-2017-0012 adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Santa Ana Region, on June 16, 2017.

Kurt V. Berchtold Executive Officer