



Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

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APPROVAL TO PARTICIPATE IN THE DELTA REGIONAL MONITORING PROGRAM, NPDES GENERAL PERMIT FOR WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR STORM WATER DISCHARGES FROM SMALL MUNICIPAL SEPARATE STORM SEWER SYSTEMS

Thank you for your letter requesting to participate in the Delta Regional Monitoring Program (Delta RMP). As described in our letter dated 12 June 2014, participation in a regional monitoring program such as the Delta RMP, may be considered in lieu of monitoring required under section E.13 of the *National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System General Permit for Waste Discharge Requirements for Storm Water Discharges from Small Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems, Order No. 2013-0001-DWQ ("Small MS4 General Permit").* The Small MS4 General Permit was adopted by the State Water Resources Control Board on 5 February 2013, and became effective on 1 July 2013.

This letter approves your request to participate in the Delta RMP. Participation in the Delta RMP by a Small MS4 Permittee consists of providing funds and/or in-kind services to the Delta RMP at least equivalent to the individual monitoring and study efforts that would be required under the Small MS4 General Permit. Active participation by permittee representatives on the Delta RMP Steering Committee, technical, or other advisory committees that may be formed is encouraged.

For more information on the Delta RMP, please visit our website at http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/centralvalley/water_issues/delta_water_quality/comprehensive_monito-ring_program/. If you have any questions regarding participation in the Delta RMP, please contact the Delta RMP Steering Committee Phase II MS4 community representative, Stephanie Reyna-Hiestand at (209) 831-4333 or stephanie.hiestand@ci.tracy.ca.us.

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