## STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 77-22

AUTHORIZING NEGOTIATION AND EXECUTION OF INTERAGENCY AGREEMENTS BETWEEN THE STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD AND THE DEPARTMENTS OF WATER RESOURCES, FISH AND GAME, AND HEALTH TO IMPLEMENT A COORDINATED PROGRAM FOR WATER QUALITY SURVEILLANCE AND MONITORING

## WHEREAS:

- 1. The State Board has the responsibility to coordinate water quality-related investigations of state agencies, and to conduct necessary surveillance and monitoring activities.
- 2. A multiagency "Memorandum of Understanding" was executed on August 27, 1974, between the State Board and the Departments of Water Resources, Fish and Game, and Health for the purpose of coordinating data management and water quality-related data collection programs of various state agencies.
- 3. The State Board, in concurrence with the Regional Boards, has completed development and design of a statewide monitoring network, has implemented a portion of that network pursuant to State Board Resolution No. 76-57, and intends to continue implementation of said program, pursuant to authority granted under Section 13001 and the directive under Section 13163 of the Porter-Cologne Act, for a coordinated water quality control program.
- 4. The Departments of Water Resources, Fish and Game, and Health have the staff and technical capability to provide the specified services and desire to provide such services to the State Board.
- 5. The funds to be allocated to the proposed agreements are: \$240,500 to the Department of Water Resources, \$57,000 to the Department of Fish and Game, and \$33,000 to the Department of Health.

## THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

That the Board authorize the Executive Officer to negotiate and execute Interagency Agreements with the Departments of Water Resources, Fish and Game, and Health to implement a coordinated program for water quality surveillance and monitoring for an amount not to exceed \$330,500 for the period ending December 31, 1978.

## CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, Executive Officer of the State Water Resources Control Board, does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the State Water Resources Control Board held on March 17, 1977.

Bill B. Dendy Executive Officer