# STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 79-20

DETERMINATION TO REVIEW THE PROPOSED WASTEWATER PROJECT
OF THE HUMBOLDT BAY WASTEWATER AUTHORITY (HBWA),
THE STATUS OF COMPLIANCE WITH EXISTING STATE ORDERS
REGULATING THOSE ENTITIES CURRENTLY DISCHARGING WASTE
TO HUMBOLDT BAY AND THE APPLICATION
OF THE BAYS AND ESTUARIES POLICY TO THE BAY

### WHEREAS:

- The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, North Coast Region (Regional Board), has issued waste discharge requirements and cease and desist orders, as provided in Attachment A hereto, for entities currently discharging waste into Humboldt Bay.
- The Humboldt Bay Wastewater Authority (HBWA) has proposed a regional wastewater treatment project for the Humboldt Bay area in order to comply with all applicable water quality standards.
- 3. There is growing public concern regarding proper wastewater management in the Humboldt Bay area.
- 4. It would be appropriate, in view of this public concern, for the State Board, on its own motion, to review the Proposed Wastewater Project of the HBWA, the Status of Compliance with Existing State Orders Regulating Those Entities Currently Discharging Waste to Humboldt Bay, and the Application of the Bays and Estuaries Policy to the Bay.
- 5. A hearing in Eureka, California, on April 23 and 24, 1979, by the State Board would be appropriate.

#### THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

That the State Board will review, at a hearing scheduled for April 23 and 24, 1979, the Proposed Wastewater Project of the HBWA, the Status of Compliance with Existing State Orders Regulating Those Entities Currently Discharging Waste to Humboldt Bay and the Application of the Bays and Estuaries Policy to the Bay.

#### CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, Executive Director 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 15, 1979.

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## ATTACHMENT A

The Regional Board has adopted Waste Discharge Requirements and Cease and Desist Orders for the City of Eureka, City of Arcata, Humboldt County Service Area No. 3, and Redwood Junior College District regarding waste discharges to Humboldt Bay.

The applicable Waste Discharge Requirements are as follows:

DISCHARGER	NPDES Order No.	Date Issued
City of Eureka, Hill Street	CA0023418	1-30-75
City of Eureka, Murray Street	CA0023396	1-30-75
City of Eureka, McCullens Avenue	CA0023400	1-30-75
City of Arcata	CA0022713	12-4-74
Humboldt County Service Area No. 3 King Salmon	CA0023515	5-29-75
Humboldt County Service Area No. 3  South Bay	CA0023531	5-29-75
Humboldt County Service Area No. 3 Seaview Manor	CA0023523	5-29-75
Redwood Junior College District	CA0006700	4-24-74

The applicable Cease and Desist Orders are as follows:

DISCHARGER	Cease and Desist Order No.	Date Issued
City of Eureka, Hill Street Amended by:	76180 7822	9-23-76 1-25-78
City of Eureka, Murray Street  Amended by:	76—182 78—24	9-23-76 1-25-78
City of Eureka, McCullens Avenue Amended by:	76—181 78—23	9-23-76 1-25-78
City of Arcata	78–25	1-25-78