

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD
RESOLUTION NO. 80-42

AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO ENTER INTO SEPARATE AGREEMENTS WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES, THE DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION, DIVISION OF OIL AND GAS, AND THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES CONSISTENT WITH THE UNDERGROUND INJECTION CONTROL PROGRAM WORKPLAN

WHEREAS:

1. The State Water Resources Control Board has been designated by Governor Brown as the lead agency for the Underground Injection Control Program.
2. The State Board has \$737,200 in grant funds from EPA to evaluate effects of underground injections on groundwater.
3. This grant may be used to search for unpermitted wells which are (or were) used for hazardous waste disposal.
4. The Department of Health Services is conducting the Abandoned Hazardous Waste Disposal Site Survey which can be expanded to include searching for abandoned, unpermitted wells.
5. One objective of the Underground Injection Control (UIC) Program is to identify underground sources of drinking water.
6. The Department of Water Resources has comprehensive data files on underground sources of drinking water in the State and the grant funds will allow the compilation of this data for Board purposes.
7. Another objective of the UIC program is to prepare an inventory of known active injection wells (Class I-III).
8. The Department of Conservation, Division of Oil and Gas, regulates and inventories active injection wells used for oil and gas recovery and they can compile an inventory with compliance information for the UIC program.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

1. That the Board authorizes the Executive Director to enter into an agreement for \$90,000 with the Department of Health Services to locate abandoned hazardous waste injection wells (Class IV) as an integrated part of the abandoned hazardous waste disposal site survey.
2. That the Board authorizes the Executive Director to enter into an agreement for up to \$50,000 with the Department of Water Resources to provide information on underground drinking water sources as required by the Underground Injection Control Program.
3. That the Board authorizes the Executive Director to enter into an agreement for up to \$58,000 with the Department of Conservation, Division of Oil and Gas to prepare an inventory of known active and inactive injection wells (Class I-III).

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 June 19, 1980.



Executive Director