STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 82-38

ADOPTION OF FY 1983 CLEAN WATER GRANT PROJECT PRIORITY LIST AND POLICY LIMITING GRANT INCREASES, PROJECT SEGMENTING AND ISSUANCE OF NEW GRANTS

WHEREAS:

- 1. The Division of Water Quality has proposed a FY 1983 Project Priority List based on the 1981 Amendments to the Clean Water Act.
- Congress has not yet appropriated FY 1983 funds for the Clean Water Grant Program.
- 3. There is a degree of uncertainty whether or not the City of Los Angeles Consent Decree scheduled can be maintained due to the late FY 1982 appropriation and inadequate federal funds.
- 4. Federal regulations (40 CFR 35.1533-4) require that construction grants under Section 201(g)(1) of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act be made to only designated management agencies for construction of treatment works in conformity with approved water quality management plans.
- 5. The grant program continues to face serious funding shortfalls and, to the extent feasible, the Board wants to assure equal distribution of these limited funds.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

- 1. The FY 1983 Priority List as proposed by the Division of Water Quality is adopted.
- 2. Grant awards for projects shown on the fundable portion of the FY 1983 List will be dependent on a FY 1983 appropriation and/or the availability of FY 1982 carryover funds.
- 3. The fundable portion of the FY 1983 List will include \$200 million for Priority Class A and a few Priority Class B grantees. About \$360 million in contingency projects in Class B will also be placed on the fundable portion of the FY 1983 List. These projects will be funded if additional funds become available.
- 4. In order to comply with Section 208(d) of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, all agencies listed on the FY 1983 Priority List are hereby designated as management agencies pursuant to 40 CFR 35.1533-4 for the purpose of construction of treatment works under Section 201(g)(1) of the Act.

The Policy limiting grant increases, project segmenting, and the issuance of new grants as proposed by the Division of Water Quality is adopted.

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 September 2, 1982.

Clint Whitney

Executive Director