

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD
RESOLUTION NO. 84-67

AUTHORIZING NEGOTIATION AND EXECUTION OF A STATE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (SAP) GRANT CONTRACT WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES TO INVESTIGATE THE IMPACTS OF NON-STATE WATER PROJECT AND FEDERAL CENTRAL VALLEY PROJECT APPROPRIATORS ON BAY-DELTA WATER QUALITY

WHEREAS:

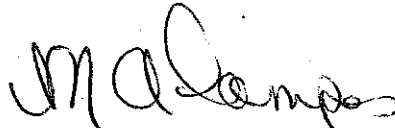
1. The State Board intends to open new hearings in 1986 for the purpose of considering needed revisions to the water quality standards for San Francisco Bay and the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta (Bay-Delta Estuary) contained in the 1978 Delta Water Quality Control Plan (Delta Plan) and Water Rights Decision 1485 (Decision 1485).
2. At the new hearings, the State Board desires to consider not only the responsibilities of the State Water Project (SWP) and federal Central Valley Project (CVP) to protect Bay-Delta water quality, but the responsibilities of non-SWP and CVP appropriators as well.
3. In order to consider the responsibilities of non-SWP and CVP appropriators on Bay-Delta water quality, the State Board will need to obtain specific information by 1986.
4. The California Department of Water Resources (Department) has appropriate expertise to determine the impacts of non-SWP and CVP appropriators on Bay-Delta water quality.
5. The Clean Water and Water Conservation Bond Law of 1978 (Water Code Division 7, Chapter 12.5) authorizes the State Board to enter into State Assistance Program (SAP) Grant contracts with eligible municipalities to aid in the development of water pollution control projects.
6. The Department qualifies as a municipality under Water Code Sections 13959(d) and 13962(c).
7. Approximately \$460,000 in unencumbered SAP Grant funds are currently available for allocation by the State Board.
8. The State Board has authority to allocate unencumbered SAP funds to newly eligible projects on a case-by-case basis.
9. The proposed contract is a water quality control project which is eligible for funding under the State Assistance Program.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

That the Executive Director or his designee is authorized to negotiate and execute a new two-year SAP Grant contract with the Department of Water Resources, at a cost not to exceed \$300,000, to investigate the impacts of non-SWP and CVP appropriators on Bay-Delta water quality.

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 October 18, 1984.



Michael A. Campos
Executive Director