

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD
RESOLUTION NO. 92-62

APPROVAL OF A STATE REVOLVING FUND (SRF) LOAN FOR THE
CITY OF PORTERVILLE (CITY) WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT EXPANSION

WHEREAS:

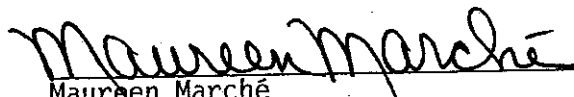
1. The State Water Board on August 18, 1988, adopted the "Policy for Implementing the State Revolving Fund for Construction of Wastewater Treatment Facilities" and amended it on September 20, 1990;
2. The State Water Board on September 26, 1991, adopted the Federal Fiscal Year 1992 State Revolving Fund Loan Program Priority List which includes the City of Porterville for the wastewater treatment plant expansion;
3. The Division of Clean Water Programs has approved the project report and the draft revenue program for the subject project;
4. The City of Porterville has prepared an EIR and Mitigated Negative Declaration (environmental documents) for the proposed project, which has been reviewed and considered, and it has been determined that:
 - a. Changes or alterations have been required in, or incorporated into, the project which avoid or substantially lessen the potentially significant environmental effects identified in the environmental documents with respect to the following aspects of the project: (i) erosion impacts will be mitigated by an erosion control plan; (ii) effects to cultural resources will be mitigated by stopping construction if cultural resources are encountered and using a qualified archeologist to identify areas to avoid, evaluate sites, and develop mitigation programs; and (iii) effects to paleontological resources, if discovered, will be mitigated by halting construction until a qualified paleontologist can develop a plan for the identification, cataloging, curation, and storage of material collected;
 - b. With respect to the other potentially significant environmental effects identified in the environmental documents, appropriate changes or alterations are within the responsibility and jurisdiction of other public agencies. Such other changes or alterations have been adopted or can and should be adopted by such other agencies.
5. The City will be required, as a condition of the loan, to adopt the mitigation measures addressed in the Final Environmental Impact Report; and
6. Staff has determined that the proposed project will not have a significant effect on the environment.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The State Water Board approves a SRF loan of \$11.5 million for the City of Porterville upgrade and expansion project for the wastewater treatment plant (SRF Project No. C-06-4253-110), with a repayment period of twenty (20) years, and the first repayment to be due one (1) year after the completion of construction.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, Administrative Assistant to the State Water 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 August 20, 1992.


Maureen Marché
Administrative Assistant to the Board