STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 96-077

APPROVAL OF A STATE REVOLVING FUND LOAN TO THE NAPA COUNTY RESOURCE CONSERVATION DISTRICT FOR THE HUICHICA CREEK VINEYARD SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURAL DEMONSTRATION PROJECT (LOAN NO. C-06-6043-110)

WHEREAS:

- 1. The Napa County Resource Conservation District (RCD) has requested a \$165,000 State Revolving Fund (SRF) loan for the Huichica Creek Vineyard Sustainable Agriculture Demonstration Project (Project).
- 2. The Project was approved for a \$355,000 grant from the State Coastal Conservancy which was used to purchase 19 acres for the Project site.
- 3. The Napa RCD filed a categorical exemption for the Project from the California Environmental Quality Act.
- 4. The Project is in accordance with the Natural Resource Protection and Enhancement Plan, the development of which came from a Clean Water Act (CWA) Section 205(j) grant from the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB).
- 5. The Project will complement the Huichica Creek Enhancement Project which is funded by a CWA Section 319 (h) grant and is also in accordance with the Natural Resource Protection and Enhancement Plan.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The SWRCB:

- 1. Amend the Federal Fiscal Year 1996 Project Priority List to include the Huichica Creek Vineyard Sustainable Agriculture Demonstration Project.
- Approve the SRF loan for \$165,000 for the Huichica Creek Vineyard Sustainable Agriculture Demonstration Project.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, Administrative Assistant to the 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 19, 1996.

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