

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD
RESOLUTION NO. 2000 - 093

AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO ACCEPT A FEDERAL
CLEAN WATER ACT SECTION 319(h) GRANT, APPROVING THE
PROJECT PRIORITY LIST, AND AUTHORIZING EXECUTION AND
AMENDMENT OF CONTRACTS TO IMPLEMENT THE PROJECTS

WHEREAS:

1. The federal Clean Water Act (CWA) section 319(h) provides grant funds for states to implement nonpoint source (NPS) management programs.
2. The State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) is the designated State agency in California to administer the NPS Program.
3. On June 22, 1995, the SWRCB adopted its Strategic Plan which requires the implementation of a Watershed Management Initiative (WMI) and coordination of many SWRCB/RWQCB activities under the WMI.
4. On December 14, 1999 and January 11, 2000, the SWRCB and the California Coastal Commission, respectively, approved the *Plan for California's Nonpoint Source Pollution Control Program* (NPS Program Plan), which includes activities the State will undertake to control NPS pollution.
5. On July 11, 2000 the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) and National Oceanic Atmospheric Administration approved California's NPS Program Plan.
6. The USEPA has notified the SWRCB that the Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2001 CWA section 319(h) grant allocation will not exceed \$11,000,000.
7. Clean Water Action Plan funds must be utilized to support the implementation of restoration actions in Priority Category I Watersheds.
8. The SWRCB's NPS Section distributed a Request for Proposals (RFP) on March 1, 2000 soliciting grant-funded NPS projects.
9. A recommended NPS project priority list (Attachment) was prepared by SWRCB and RWQCBs staffs using the WMI Process in accordance with the RFP specifications.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The SWRCB:

1. Approves the attached NPS project priority list. The project priority list will be submitted to USEPA for funding with FFY 2001 CWA section 319(h) resources.

2. Authorizes the Executive Director, or his designee, to apply for, accept, and amend, if appropriate, FFY 2001 CWA section 319(h) grant for an amount up to \$11,000,000 for support of the NPS Program.
3. Authorizes the Executive Director, or his designee, to negotiate and approve program workplans.
4. Authorizes the Executive Director, or his designee, to negotiate and execute contracts and amendments to implement the projects.

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 November 16, 2000.

/s/

Maureen Marché

Administrative Assistant to the Board

**WMI COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FUNDING
Nonpoint Source (319) Proposals
Federal Fiscal Year, 2001**

A proposal designation followed by a final “n” means a non-CWAP proposal and if the proposal designation ends in a number, it is a CWAP proposal.

SET-ASIDE (NONCOMPETITIVE) PROPOSALS	Cost \$	CWAP \$	Non-CWAP\$
1.d1 Mattole River Restoration	129,800	129,800	
2.d2n Benthic Macroinvertebrate Project	116,532		116,532
3.g1 Agricultural Outreach, Education and BMPs of the Upper Salinas River	130,000	259,800	
4.a1 Stream Team/Stable and Horse BMP's	130,000	389,800	
5.j1n Upper Pit River Watershed Enhancement and Protection Project	130,000		246,532
6.a1 Truckee River Day/Citizen's Monitoring	129,815	519,615	
7.c1 Imperial Valley Drainshed Improvement Program	129,600	649,215	
9.d1n Santa Margarita Home to Ocean	54,302		300,834
9.c1 STAR- Simple Technology Against Runoff	42,000	691,215	
0.e1n.Feed Management on Dairy Farms: Nutrient Management Plan	127,094		427,928

319 CWAP ELIGIBLE

Recommended for funding:

## Project Title	Cost \$	CWAP \$
5.n1 Implementation of BMP's to Mitigate OP Pesticides Runoff	350,000	1,041,215
3.i3 Reducing NPS Pollution in Central Coast Vineyards	256,680	1,297,895
1.g3 Eel River Sediment Reduction and WQ Improvement II	350,000	1,647,895
5.a2 Goose Lake Basin Enhancement Project	300,000	1,947,895
6.b2 Backyard Conservation and BMP Education and Implementation	132,978	2,080,873
2.e2 Sediment and Stewardship in the Napa River Watershed	200,000	2,280,873
2.b1 Apanolio Canyon Steelhead Migration Barrier Removal	248,000	2,528,873
1.h2 Humboldt Agriculture Management & Enhancement-- Phase II	349,510	2,878,383
4.h2 Calleguas Creek Watershed Treatment--Phase III	297,400	3,175,783
2.a3 Mercury Load Reductions in Guadalupe River Watershed	348,782	3,524,565
3.c5 Farm Water Quality Planning	345,004	3,869,569
5.i3 Dairy Waste Practices to Protect Groundwater in the San Joaquin Valley	349,980	4,219,549
6.f3 Piute Creek Restoration Project in Memorial Park	195,155	4,414,704
9.a2 Project Stewardship: Lusardi Creek Preserve	350,000	4,764,704
0.b2 Boating Clean and Green Campaign, Phase III	284,000	5,048,704
3.d6 Project Cleanwater	350,000	5,398,704

319 CWAP ELIGIBLE (continued)

##	Project Title	Cost \$	CWAP \$
0.d1	Partners in Restoration- Interagency Streamlined Permitting Process	347,050	5,745,754
7.a3	Irrigator Training for Water Quality Enhancement	336,082	6,081,836
7.ef2	Maintenance BMP's and MM's at the Brawley Wetland Site	130,000	6,211,836
9.k3	Implementation Project to Reduce/ Eliminate Agricultural Runoff	350,000	6,561,836
6.c4	Tahoe Watershed Education and Restoration Project	306,145	6,867,981
4.d3	East Fork San Gabriel River Restoration and Litter Abatement	350,000	7,217,981
1.c4	Bodega Bay Watershed Enhancement Program	147,000	7,364,981
5.c8	Lodi-Woodbridge Winegrape Commission's Grower Self-Assessment	280,000	7,644,981

319 Non-CWAP ELIGIBLE

Recommended for funding:

##	Project Title	Cost \$	NonCWAP
5.d2n	Integrated On-Farm Drainage Management Education and Outreach	350,000	777,928
8.a1n	Santa Ana Watershed Volunteer Monitoring and Public Outreach Project	201,875	979,803
3.e1n	Protecting and Enhancing WQ in Morro Bay and San Luis Obispo Creek	198,702	1,178,505
M.a1n	Adopt-A-Watershed Leadership Institute	305,094	1,483,599
6.d1n	Public Education Pollution Prevention/ Lake Tahoe Preservation	31,050	1,514,649
4.c1n	FoLAR RiverWatch Bilingual Education and Outreach Project	64,918	1,579,567
2.c1n	Citizen Volunteer Monitoring, education and outreach in Sonoma Creek	129,334	1,708,901
5.b3n	Battle Creek Watershed Stewardship Project	87,900	1,796,801
0.a3n	Linking Citizen Monitoring with the TMDL Process	166,815	1,963,616