

**STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD  
RESOLUTION NO. 2010-0027**

ALLOCATE AN ADDITIONAL \$588,720 FROM THE  
CLEANUP AND ABATEMENT ACCOUNT (CAA) TO CONTINUE TO IMPLEMENT  
ASIAN CLAM CONTROLS (PROJECT) IN LAKE TAHOE (LAKE)

WHEREAS:

1. The Lahontan Regional Water Quality Control Board (Lahontan Water Board) is requesting an additional \$588,720 from the CAA to continue to fund implementation of the Project;
2. Asian Clam (*Corbicula fluminea*) is a non-native freshwater bivalve that has established in the Lake and has the potential to cause serious adverse water quality impacts. It has been observed in the Lake at very low densities since 2002, but recently (April 2008) populations have been discovered in much higher, but patchy, densities in the southern portion of the Lake;
3. The Lahontan Water Board is proposing two projects: 1) complete a detailed survey to delineate the extent of the Emerald Bay Asian Clam infestation at the conclusion of the breeding season in fall 2010 and 2) complete a pilot study of eradication methods in Emerald Bay in summer 2011; and
4. The requested allocation is consistent with the purposes of Water Code Section 13442. Section 13442 provides that the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) may order moneys to be paid from the CAA to a public agency with authority to cleanup or abate the effects of a waste "to assist it in cleaning up the waste or abating its effects on the waters of the state."

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The State Water Board:

1. Approves funding an additional \$588,720 from the CAA to the Lahontan Regional Board to continue to implement the Asian Clam Controls Project; and
2. Shall revert to the CAA any unexpended funds as of June 20, 2012, unless the Deputy Director or Assistant Deputy Director of the Division of Financial Assistance authorizes an extension. The funds will be available until June 30, 2012.

**CERTIFICATION**


The undersigned, Clerk 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 Board held on June 15, 2010.

AYE: Vice Chair Frances Spivy-Weber  
Board Member Arthur G. Baggett, Jr.  
Board Member Walter G. Pettit

NAY: Chairman Charles R. Hoppin  
Board Member Tam M. Doduc

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None

  
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Jeanine Townsend  
Clerk to the Board