



# California Regional Water Quality Control Board

## Los Angeles Region



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February 9, 2010

Mr. John Wortmann  
Wortmann Oil Company, Inc.  
3044 Foothill Boulevard  
La Crescenta, CA 91214

Dear Mr. Wortmann:

**TERMINATION OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT—WORTMANN OIL COMPANY, INC.—LA CRESCENTA SERVICE STATION REMEDIATION PROJECT, 3044 FOOTHILL BOULEVARD, LA CRESCENTA, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CAG994004, CI-9430)**

In our letter dated July 9, 2008, we informed you that the subject discharge is regulated under Order No. R4-2008-0032, *Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges of Groundwater From Construction and Project Dewatering to Surface Waters in Coastal Watersheds of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties*, adopted by this Board on June 5, 2008, which also serves as your NPDES permit.


We have received and reviewed the January 7, 2010, letter from your consultant, ATC Associates, Inc., requesting termination of your coverage under the General Permit. The letter indicated that you completed the aforementioned remediation project, and that you have ceased discharging groundwater.

On February 4, 2010, Board staff inspected the project site and verified that there is no discharge of groundwater from the site to the storm drain. Since there is no discharge of groundwater from the site, coverage under Board Order No. R4-2008-0032, General NPDES Permit No. CAG994004, for the subject project is hereby terminated except for enforcement purposes.

Please note that if future discharge of any groundwater to surface water become necessary at the site, you must file a Report of Waste Discharge with this Board and obtain appropriate waste discharge requirements.

If you have any questions, please contact Dr. James Tang at (213) 576-6696.

Sincerely,

  
Tracy J. Egoscue  
Executive Officer

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Mr. John Wortmann  
Wortmann Oil Company, Inc.  
(La Crescenta Service Station Remediation Project)

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cc: Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, Clean Water Act Standards and  
Permits Office (WTR-5)  
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers  
NOAA, National Marine Fisheries Service  
Department of Interior, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service  
State Water Resources Control Board, NPDES Unit  
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Department of Fish and Game, Region 5  
Los Angeles County Department of Public Works, Flood Control and Drainage  
Los Angeles County, Department of Environmental Health  
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