



THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

Public Comment
Anti-Degradation Policy
Deadline: 12/17/08 by 12 noon

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State Water Resources Control Board
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Subject: City of San Diego Comments Letter – Anti-degradation Policy

Dear Ms. Townsend:

The City of San Diego, Storm Water Department, is pleased to provide the State Water Resources Control Board (State Board) with comments regarding the Anti-degradation Policy. We support the existing language of the Resolution No. 68-16. This document provides a broad scope to protect and restore water quality within California by the issuance and enforcement of permits and licenses. Authority over discharges is already granted to protect beneficial uses. The resolution also requires the implementation of best practical treatment to control discharges to protect water quality. Finally, the resolution gives authorization to provide information to the federal government as required.

Your consideration and approval of our recommendations and requests is greatly appreciated. If you have any questions, please contact me at 858/541-4320 or Ruth Kolb at 858/541-4328.

Sincerely,

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Deputy Director

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