



**SAN ELIJO  
JOINT POWERS AUTHORITY**

August 19, 2010

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RE: WDID: 9 000000125:jcofrancesco  
Subject: Tentative Order No. R9-2010-0087, NPDES Permit No. CA0107999

Dear Mr. Gibson:

The San Elijo Joint Powers Authority (SEJPA) has received the subject Tentative Order dated August 2, 2010. After our initial review, we have realized that the proposed order contains significant changes and new requirements that will require in-depth analysis before adequate comments can be made. Our next Board of Directors meeting is not scheduled until September 13, 2010 and we would like the opportunity to discuss the proposed Tentative Order with our Board prior to any action by the Regional Board to adopt the order.

SEJPA is hereby requesting an extension on the comment period for Tentative Order No. R9-2010-0087, NPDES Permit No. CA0107999. We are requesting at least another 30 days in order to complete our review of the Tentative Order, receive direction from our Board of Directors, and give our staff additional time propose innovative solutions to the significant issues that have been identified in our initial review.

Your consideration of this request is appreciated. If you have any questions, please contact me at 760-753-6203 ext. 72.

Sincerely,  
SAN ELIJO JOINT POWERS AUTHORITY

Michael T. Thornton, P.E.,  
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cc: James Smith, Assistant Executive Officer, RWQCB  
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