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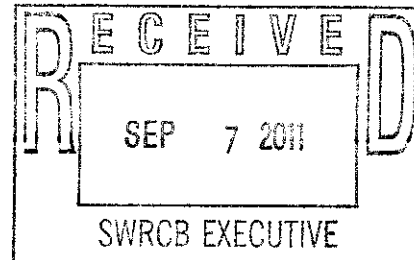
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September 2, 2011



Jeanine Townsend, Clerk to the Board
State Water Resources Control Board
P.O. Box 100
Sacramento, CA 95812-200

Subject: Comments on Draft Phase II Permit



Dear Ms. Townsend and Members of the Board:

On July 18, 2011, the City of Sonoma City Council voted unanimously to authorize the City Manager to sign a letter in support of the California Stormwater Quality Association (CASQA) comments regarding the Draft Phase II Permit. The purpose of this letter is to inform the State Water Resources Control Board that the City of Sonoma fully supports the comments provided by CASQA and respectfully requests to be copied on any responses to the CASQA comment letter.

Thank you again for the opportunity to comment on the permit. We look forward to continuing to work with you and your staff toward a positive outcome on this critical program. Please contact Wendy Atkins directly at (707) 933-2204 should you have any questions or wish to discuss.

Sincerely,

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City Manager

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