

**CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
LAHONTAN REGION**

RESOLUTION NO. R6V-2018-0036

**APPROVING THE LOCAL AGENCY MANAGEMENT PROGRAM
FOR INYO COUNTY**

WHEREAS, the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Lahontan Region (Water Board) finds that:

1. On June 19, 2012, the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) adopted Resolution No. 2012-0032, which approved the Water Quality Control Policy for Siting, Design, Operation, and Maintenance of Onsite Wastewater Treatment Systems (OWTS Policy).
2. The OWTS Policy defines a local agency as any subdivision of state government that has responsibility for permitting the installation of and regulating OWTS within its jurisdictional boundaries; typically, a county, city, or special district.
3. The OWTS Policy allows local agencies to propose Local Agency Management Programs (LAMPs) for Water Board approval. Upon approval, the local agency would manage the installation of new and replacement OWTS under that LAMP.
4. The OWTS Policy requires the Water Board to solicit comments from the State Water Board, Division of Drinking Water (DDW) regarding a LAMP's proposed setbacks and notifications to water purveyors.
5. On May 12, 2016, Inyo County submitted a proposed LAMP to the Water Board.
6. On November 15, 2016, the Water Board issued a comment letter to Inyo County regarding their submitted proposed LAMP.
7. On March 16, 2017, Inyo County submitted a revised draft LAMP to the Water Board.
8. On April 2, 2018, the Water Board provided comments on the revised draft LAMP to Inyo County.
9. On April 30, 2018, staff forwarded a copy of the proposed LAMP to DDW and solicited comments from DDW regarding the proposed LAMP's policies and procedures, including notification to local water purveyors prior to OWTS permitting. DDW comments involving set back requirements were addressed in the LAMP.
10. On May 15, 2018, Inyo County submitted the final Inyo County LAMP.

11. On May 24, 2018, the Water Board notified Inyo County and interested parties of the opportunity for public comment and public hearing concerning consideration of a resolution to approve the Inyo County LAMP.
12. On July 3, 2018, the Inyo County Board of Supervisors approved the Inyo County LAMP.
13. On July 19, 2018, the Water Board, in a public meeting, heard and considered all comments pertaining to this action.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The Water Board hereby approves the Local Agency Management Program submitted by Inyo County.

I, Patty Z. Kouyoumdjian, Executive Officer, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a Resolution adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Lahontan Region, on July 19, 2018.



PATTY Z. KOUYOUMDJIAN
EXECUTIVE OFFICER