# STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD BOARD MEETING SESSION – DIVISION OF WATER QUALITY JUNE 3, 2008

#### ITEM 6

#### **SUBJECT**

CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING TO EXECUTE AND AMEND LOCAL OVERSIGHT PROGRAM (LOP) CONTRACTS WITH AGENCIES TO OVERSEE LEAKING UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK (UST) SITE INVESTIGATION AND REMEDIATION

## **DISCUSSION**

This resolution authorizes the Executive Director or designee to execute and amend the LOP contracts for the listed agencies to oversee the site investigation and remediation for leaking UST sites.

## **POLICY ISSUE**

The LOP has been established pursuant to Section 25297.1 of the Health and Safety Code to provide funds to local agencies for the oversight of investigation and remediation at leaking UST sites.

#### **FISCAL IMPACT**

Sufficient funds have been included in the State Water Board budget for local agency contracts to oversee leaking UST sites. No significant change from previous year budget.

## **REGIONAL BOARD IMPACT**

All Regional Water Boards benefit from the LOP contracts by reducing the staff case load to oversee and remediate leaking UST sites.

#### STAFF RECOMMENDATION

That the State Water Board adopt the proposed Resolution.

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# STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 2008-

AUTHORIZATION TO EXECUTE AND AMEND LOCAL OVERSIGHT PROGRAM (LOP) CONTRACTS WITH AGENCIES TO OVERSEE LEAKING UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK (UST) SITE INVESTIGATION AND REMEDIATION

## WHEREAS:

Leaking UST sites require remediation to protect public health, drinking water supplies and other beneficial uses of ground and surface waters.

- The State Water Board encourages qualified local agencies to participate in the oversight of the investigation and remediation of leaking petroleum USTs.
- The LOP has been established pursuant to Section 25297.1 of the Health and Safety Code to provide funds to local agencies for the oversight of investigation and remediation at leaking UST sites.
- Sufficient funds have been included in the State Water Board budget for local agency contracts to oversee leaking UST sites.
- The LOP contracts include priorities and performance measures in an effort to effect efficient, cost effective, and expedient site remediation.
- The following agencies are interested in participating in the LOP consistent with available funding and the legislatively established cap:

Alameda County
El Dorado County
<b>Humboldt County</b>
Kern County
Merced County
Napa County
Nevada County
Orange County

Riverside County
Sacramento County
San Bernardino County
San Diego County
San Francisco County
San Joaquin County
San Mateo County

Santa Barbara County
Santa Clara County
Solano County
Sonoma County
Stanislaus County
Tulare County
Ventura County

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## THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

This Resolution replaces <u>Resolution No. 91-15</u> and the State Water Board authorizes the Executive Director or designee to execute and amend the LOP contracts for the following agencies consistent with available funding and the legislatively established cap:

Alameda County El Dorado County Humboldt County Kern County Merced County Napa County Nevada County Orange County	Riverside County Sacramento County San Bernardino County San Diego County San Francisco County San Joaquin County San Mateo County	Santa Barbara County Santa Clara County Solano County Sonoma County Stanislaus County Tulare County Ventura County
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# **CERTIFICATION**

The undersigned, Clerk to the Board, does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the State Water Board held on June 3, 2008.

Jeanine Townsend Clerk to the Board