

November 15, 2006

Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board
995 Aerovista Place, Suite 101
San Luis Obispo, CA 93401

Dear Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board Members:

I, [REDACTED], have been randomly selected by the Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board prosecution team for alleged violations of a septic system discharge prohibition. Prior to purchasing my home in 1992, the septic tank was inspected and repaired to the specifications and approval of the San Luis Obispo Department of Planning. After moving in, my new neighbors and I obtained the proper permits for removal the eucalyptus trees which posed a continued threat to our septic systems. The bottom of my septic pit is approximately 25 feet above the perched aquifer. My tank was last pumped in August of 2006 by Al's Septic Pumping Service, and reported to be functioning normally. This was five months prior receiving a proposed CDO. The enforcement actions proposed and the actions of the Prosecution Team have violated my due process rights.

Was any consideration given to whether the 45 selected properties were actually impacting the ground water or surface water? The RWQCB staff has neglected to enforce 83-13 for over 20 years and now the first communication with the citizens of Los Osos is random CDOs on individual property owners, including conscientious, cooperative citizens with properly working septic systems, in low risk locations that have not increased their septic usage? In over 20 years the RWQCB staff had no idea which citizens were properly maintaining their septic systems or, as was evident in the May 2006 hearing, little idea as to how a well maintained septic system functions.

At no time during the purchase of my home was I informed that I would be discharging illegally from my new home. Upon purchase I was informed that I would not be allowed to add bedrooms and bathrooms until the issue was resolved. The community had not yet been given an opportunity to challenge the Prohibition Zone or the evidence used for justification.

The Memorandum of Understanding between the County and the RWQCB gave the County responsibility for the septic systems of Los Osos. The County is the discharger. New sources of discharge were prohibited in this agreement. My house/septic system was permitted on April 4 of 1977, before the MOU. The Cease and Desist Order, delivered to my mailbox in late January, of 2006 was my first communication from the RWQCB regarding a discharge violation. I have not increased usage of my septic tank, and no one from the RWQCB staff has ever inspected or tested my septic system. I am not illegally discharging. I am a cooperative citizen of Los Osos. I object to the CDO that

is proposed against me and my property when responsibility lies with the regulating and permitting agencies.

Upon moving to Los Osos I had difficulty determining the true extent of the impact of septic tanks on the groundwater. Nitrate results of tests used to justify the Prohibition Zone were questioned by many as studies had conflicting findings. It was difficult to determine the true facts. Test results for the early studies were obtained from uncertified wells and questionable scientific methods were used. Was the purpose of the studies to obtain results that would qualify Los Osos for a loan or to honestly evaluate the condition of the aquifer?

Building has continued over the water table, both inside and outside the Prohibition Zone. When developers wanted to build, rules were bent and buildings were constructed regardless of the increased discharges. The citizens of Los Osos have questioned, "If there was really a problem, would the building be allowed to continue?" The inconsistent message presented to the citizens by the County and the RWQCB has caused confusion and dissention in Los Osos. Since challenges to the Prohibition Zone were never allowed by the RWQCB, many residents continue to question the evidence and motives.

I have heard it said that I should have a CDO because my home is on a 25 foot lot. I live in a small one bedroom home with 75 foot lots to my north and west. Next door to my south was a small two bedroom home on a 25 foot lot. Since moving here in 1992 the combined number of residents in the two homes ranged from two to four, with three total residents for the past 8 years. A total of three residents on two 25 foot lots are comparable to the occupancy of a three bedroom house on a 50 foot lot.

I have submitted a picture of the house next door to mine. The developer who purchased this very small one story home was issued a building permit to double the cubic footage, after I had been issued a proposed CDO. Obviously an increase in size will allow this home to comfortably accommodate more people. This home is on a 25 foot lot and has a septic pit as I do. It now has the potential to increase discharges, therefore, the permitting agencies must not perceive discharges in this area to be a problem. Since our side by side lots are at the same elevation and have the same soil composition, my septic system must not be a problem.

My home sits on the north side of this new construction and no longer receives any sunlight due to the massive increase in height. I will now have to build a second story to receive any sunlight in my windows and skylights. Will I receive the same rights to add space without bedrooms and bathrooms so my home can again receive sunlight? Or will I have to wait for a sewer connection to again see sunlight in my home? I always knew that I would also have to build up to make my house habitable if the house next door added a second story, but I was truly shocked to find that I was challenging a proposed CDO during the building process. The inconsistent policies of the RWQCB staff have

caused extreme mental anguish and distress as I have endured the constant clamor of construction while taking numerous days away from work to prepare for my defense for each new case brought against the innocent 45 citizens of Los Osos.

Building has been allowed over the LO Valley Basin, both inside and outside the PZ since 1983. Was it allowed for those with power and influence? Was it allowed because the scientific justification for the PZ was known to be faulty? Was it negligence by the very agency entrusted with the protection of our waters? Was it allowed because the RWQCB staff wanted to increase the degradation of the basin to validate their previous actions? The RWQCB staff can not blame the County for continued building because they made the agreement with them and neglected to provide oversight. Any increase in discharges and/or groundwater pollution over the years is the responsibility of the RWQCB staff. And at no time was any effort made by the County or RWQCB staff to develop a septic management plan, which could have had a considerable effect on protecting the water basin and the bay if the contentions of pollution were true.

The Prosecution Team should not be seeking CDO on individual property owners in Los Osos. These hearings are a blatant attempt to change the political will of the people through intimidation and electioneering. This process is prejudiced against individual property owners who can not afford the level of representation required to challenge the RWQCB prosecution team and SWRCB staff, and the concurrent efforts to fine the CSD out of existence have limited the support our community can supply. Law firms with experience working with the RWQCB/SWRCB on water issues require a minimum retainer of \$20,000 to \$50,000. Costs will quickly mount while working through the Regional and State Waterboards. Experienced firms realize that a fair trial will not occur until the case is appealed to the courts with an impartial judicial process. This system may be effective for corporations and large municipalities with legal staff, but it is inherently unfair to individuals for alleged violations that are well beyond the scope of individual control. The 45 citizens of Los Osos are unfairly burdened with proving innocence in this undemocratic process. The final injustice is that lacking prohibitively expensive legal representation, each citizen must stand alone before this board to defend our individual property. Our rights have been violated.

Mr. Roger Briggs, with 18 years at the CCRWQCB, has had far more influence on the present circumstances than I, yet he is excused from testifying and allowed vacation out of the country rather than answer our questions. We were notified in June and July that Roger Briggs would be leaving the country in mid October. The prosecution staff was a month late in responding to the Chair's ruling regarding evidence submission. My October 4, 2006 Request for Deposition of Roger Briggs was quashed because it was not timely, but Prosecution documents were not posted for review until October 4, 2006. Mr. Briggs is the key figure in this hearing due to his involvement in the enforcement actions, the basin plan, and all supporting evidence. I can not have a fair hearing if the Prosecution Team continues to conduct the hearing and Mr. Briggs is not available as a witness at the hearing. My due process rights have been violated.

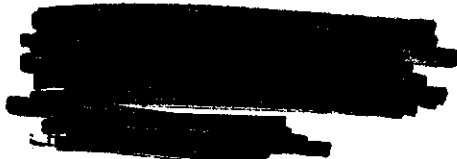
At the May hearing we were told that all efforts would be made to conduct the hearings during the summer so teachers could avoid missing time in the classroom. It is approaching winter, and the December 14 and 15 dates are school days. For 10 months the 45 chosen citizens of Los Osos have dedicated a large portion of their lives to defending the community against persecution for a situation over which we have no control. Our community is trying to move forward, but this enforcement action is forcing us to focus our efforts exposing the past.

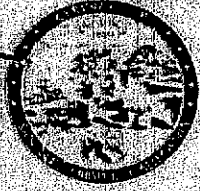
The RWQCB staff continues to portray the citizens of Los Osos as anti-sewer, but the Waterboards prevented the November 2005 compromise plan that would have had us well on the way to a completed project. I did not stop the project. Efforts by Assemblyman Blakeslee and the Waterboards to continue the project at a preferred location were railroaded and the selected course of action by the RWQCB staff was to "fine the CSD out of existence". The town has repeatedly asked for an affordable environmentally sustainable wastewater system OUT OF TOWN. I am currently paying an assessment for a wastewater plan and will hook up when a system is made available to my property. The RWQCB continues to try to dictate the manner of compliance. Los Osos is not anti-sewer but anti TriW.

In spite of all the obstacles, the current Los Osos CSD has actively pursued a sustainable wastewater plan (Ripley Plan), a septic management district, and a public education program. They have improved relations with the County, and worked with many agencies to pass AB 2701. This rapid rate of progress was made while defending the CSD and individuals from CDOs, and managing the financial disaster left by the previous board. This CSD board has intelligent and dedicated environmentalists. The Waterboards need to stop trying to bend the will of the people and instead focus on the common environmental goals. The 2010 date is unreasonable as many from the Waterboards have attested. Lies, intimidation, and manipulation have been attempted by the RWQCB staff over the years along with numerous backroom deals. Any document with 2010 as a target date will only continue on this path. It is time for a cooperative effort with open, honest communication, and the use of current, valid, and reliable science to determine how to best protect the environment.

I reserve the right to incorporate documents, arguments, witnesses, testimony, and evidence from all other designated parties including the CSD and their legal representatives, Exhibit A and B to support my individual case.

Sincerely,

A large black rectangular redaction covers the signature area, obscuring the name and any handwritten notes or dates.



APPLICATION and PERMIT

CANCELLED

Date November 8, 1976

Address of Job 1709 14th Street DATE 4/4/77 Locality Raywood Park/Los Osos

Owner ROBERT, ROBERT Mailing Address 1705 14th Street

Phone 548-0671 Los Osos, CA 93402

Location: Lot 4 Block 119 Tract Town of El Morro

Appraiser Parcel 38-142-17 Contractor owner

BUILDING		SANITATION REQUIREMENTS	
Occupancy (Use when completed) <u>S.F. Residence w deck</u>		<u>800</u> Gallon Septic Tank	
No. Square Feet in Building <u>538</u>	Garage	<u>750</u> Sq. Ft. Leaching	
Exterior Walls <u>redwood</u>	Pitch of Roof <u>2:12</u>	Roof Covering <u>Hot mop rock</u>	
Number of Stories <u>1</u>	Finn plate	ROAD IMPROVEMENT TAX	
Slab Floor <u>XX</u>	Forced Air Heat	Yes <u>XX</u> No	Receipt # <u>3126</u>
Wood Floor	Other <u>wall heater</u>	BOND REQUIREMENT	
VALUATION:		ACTION BY OTHER DEPARTMENTS	
\$ <u>14,800.00</u>		<u>B-2</u>	

ZONING REQUIREMENTS		BOND REQUIREMENT	
District <u>R-1</u>	Other setbacks		
Front Setback <u>20</u> ft.	Parking <u>1</u>	Loading	
Side Setbacks R <u>3</u> ft.	P.C. Action		
Rear Setback <u>10</u> ft.			

MOBILE HOME

Occupancy RESIDENT No. Bedrooms 2

Manufacturer Carport Size Cabana Year Porch

Arriving Carport Cabana Porch

State DMV License

Mover or Installer

Contractor's License #

Source of Water

Wall Approval Date

PLANNING REVIEW

Permit Ready to Issue

GRADING PERMIT DATA

Cu. Yds. Cut Fill

Date Forwarded to County Engineer

Date Returned

COASTAL ZONE

Project in Permit Area? Yes No XX

Note: If your project is in the Coastal Zone Permit Area you are advised to contact the Coastal Commission for further information regarding project approval.

SUMMARY OF FEES

Building Permit	\$ 72.00
Plan Check	\$ 36.00
Electrical Permit	\$ 13.60
Plumbing Permit	\$ 28.50
Earthquake Fee	\$ 1.04
Xerox Fee	\$.20
Grading Permit	\$
Driveway	\$
T-Pole	\$
Accessory Structures	\$
TOTAL	\$ 151.34

I hereby acknowledge that I have read this application and state that the above is correct and agree to comply with all County Ordinances and State Laws regulating building construction.

Signature of Permittee Robert H. Hopcraft

PLANNING DIRECTOR

By

No. 30221

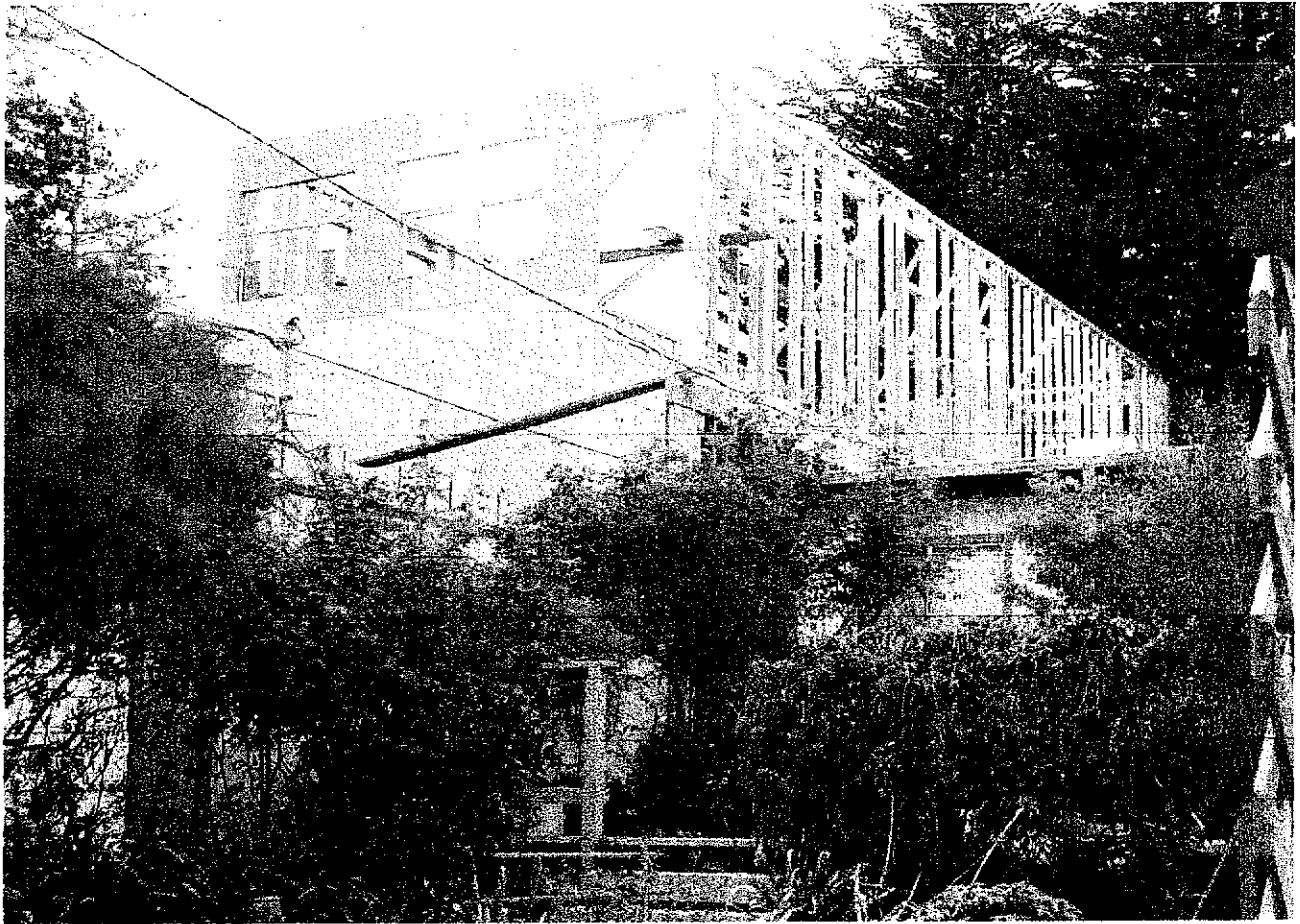


Photo #1 Construction next door

Mail Message

Novell.

Close Previous Next Forward Reply to Sender Reply All Move Delete Read Later Properties

From: "Matt Thompson" <Mthompson@waterboards.ca.gov>
To: [Redacted]
Date: Wednesday - March 1, 2006 3:08 PM
Subject: Re: CDO Alternative
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[Redacted]

Thanks for your email. I appreciate you exploring options to comply with the Cease and Desist Order's interim requirements to reduce pollutant loading and your desire to have a positive effect on the environment. Composting toilets may initially sound promising, but are not a viable alternative. The Uniform Plumbing Code does not allow composting toilets unless approved by the local health officer. Dr. Greg Thomas of San Luis Obispo County Environmental Health Department has indicated that he will not approve composting, portable, or incinerator toilets in Los Osos.

-Matt Thompson

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>>> "[Redacted]"
I received a Cease and Desist order (# R3-2006-1034) and am very interested in installing a composting toilet as an alternative. This would be reducing nitrates entering my septic tank by over 22%. I have found general information on your Waterboard website as well as the EPA website, but I am having difficulty finding anyone locally with experience with this technology. Is this a reasonable alternative to persue?
I am a full time special education teacher and don't have time or energy to waste on ideas that are unlikely to be approved, but I sincerely like to find an alternate that has a positive effect on the environment.

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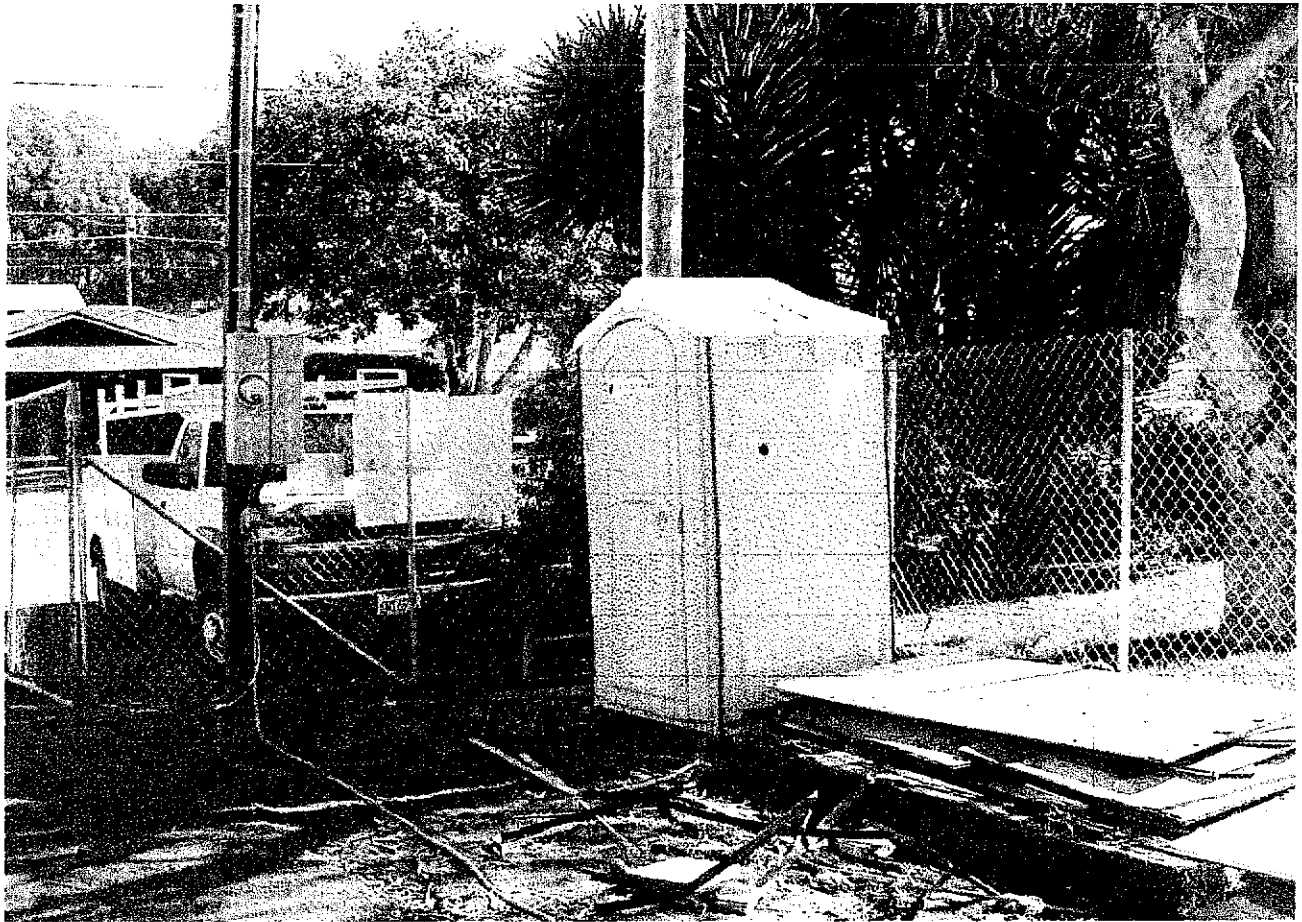


Photo #2

Portable Toilet on Lot next
to CDO recipient on 11-15-06

ID	Item	Category	DocDate	Document Description
CSD	1			Any documents submitted by CSD or other designated parties
Personal	2	septic system	8/15/2005	AI's Septic Plumbing Service Invoice # 3257
Personal	3	septic system	4/7/1992	Frank Merrill Back-Hoe Services - system repair
Personal	4	septic system	6/11/1992	SLO County Department of Planning - Hazardous tree removal
Personal	5	septic system	4/13/1992	SLO County Department of Planning - permit for septic system repair
SWQCB	6	Compost toilet	3/11/2006	Non discharging systems at http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/ab885/docs/techonsite/chapter3.pdf
USEPA	7	Compost toilet	Sep-99	http://www.epa.gov/owwm/mtb/comp.pdf
Personal	8	SLO County	4/4/1977	Building Permit
General	9	Photo	Sep-06	Construction in Prohibition Zone
General	10	Email	3/1/2006	regarding alternative compliance
General	11	Photo	11/15/2006	Portable toilet

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
	Last Name	First Name	Address	Phone #	e-mail	Affiliation	
1	Harris	Spencer	1390 Oceanaire Dr. SLO 73405	543-1413		Cleath & Assoc.	Hydrologist
2	Schicker	Lisa	1543 8th St.	305-9166	lisschicker@charter.net	CSD Board, LOTTF advisor	
3	Cesena	Chuck	591 Ramona Ave	534-0131	CLCesena@charter.net	CSD Board, LOTTF	
4	Mc Pherson	Gail	2582 Pecho Valley Rd	534-1913	mcp@charter.net	LOTTF	Expert-Wastewater Sewer plant operator
5	Ruehr	Dr. Thomas	2276 Palisades, LO 93402	528-0151	truehr@calpoly.com	LOTTF/Cal Poly	Expert-Soil scientist
6	Calhoun	Ann	1698 16th St.	528-5465	churadogs@aol.com	Media- Bay News	centralcoastmission news.com
7	Thompson	Matt		549-4623		RWQCB	Enforcement
8	Patterson	James R	SLO 93408			SLOCO BoS	Supervisor
9	Garcia	Percy	3453 El Camino Real, Atas				Lab-denitrification study
10	Sprague	Stanley		714-319- 1228		Consultant-Water	
11	Shipe	Rob	P.O. Box 6753	528-6772	scsprague@sbcglobal.net		
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AL'S SEPTIC PUMPING SERVICE, INC.
P.O. BOX 6996
LOS OSOS, CA 93412
528-0432 541-8283 773-0123 927-1722

Invoice

Date	Invoice #
8/15/2005	3257

Bill To
Rhian Gulassa 1709 14th Street Los Osos, CA. 93402

Job Address
Rhian Gulassa 1709 14th Street Los Osos, CA. 93402

P.O. No.	Terms	Due Date	Maintenance	Leach Failure	Escrow	Other
PL8/11/05	Net 30	9/14/2005	XXX			

Description	Qty	Rate	Amount
<p>Service call to pump exposed septic holding tank. Tank operating at normal level. Owner on site for disclosures.</p> <p>Pumping and disposal</p> <p>Thank you ! We appreciate your business !</p> <p>Please include the invoice number or job address with your payment. Thank you.</p> <p>We gladly accept MasterCard or VISA,</p>		275.00	275.00

To be paid in full upon receipt. All invoices not paid within 30 days subject to finance charge 1.5%

Total	\$275.00
Payments/Credits	\$-275.00
Balance Due	\$0.00

Frank Merrill
528-4900
Back-Hoe Services

P.O. Box 1497, Morro Bay, CA 93442
 Telephone: (805) 528-4900 License: 337347

**PROPOSAL AND
 ACCEPTANCE**

PROPOSAL SUBMITTED TO JOE DENMAN		PHONE 528-1011, 2496	DATE 4-7-72
STREET 1442 15TH ST		JOB NAME 1709 14TH ST	
CITY, STATE AND ZIP CODE LOS OSOS CA 93402		JOB LOCATION 1709 14TH ST LOS OSOS	
ARCHITECT N/A	DATE OF PLANS N/A	APN 058,542,017	JOB PHONE

We hereby submit specifications and estimates for:

INSTALL ONE SEEPAGE PIT TO S.L.O. COUNTY BUILDING DEPT. STANDARDS FOR A THREE BEDROOM HOUSE.
WE ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DAMAGE TO DRIVEWAY, LANDSCAPING, OR IRRIGATION LINES.

READ AND APPROVED BY:

[Handwritten Signature]

USA #96515

We Propose hereby to furnish material and labor -- complete in accordance with above specifications, for the sum of:

ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED THIRTY + ^{11/100} ~~100~~ dollars (\$ **1,230.¹¹**)

Payment to be made as follows:

IN FULL NO LATER THAN APRIL 24, 1972

All material is guaranteed to be as specified. All work to be completed in a workman-like manner according to standard practices. Any alteration or deviation from above specifications involving extra costs will be executed only upon written orders, and will become an extra charge over and above the estimate. All agreements contingent upon strikes, accidents or delays beyond our control. Owner to carry fire, tornado and other necessary insurance. Our workers are fully covered by Workmen's Compensation Insurance.

Authorized Signature *[Handwritten Signature]*

Note: This proposal may be withdrawn by us if not accepted within **10** days.

Acceptance of Proposal - The above prices, specifications and conditions are satisfactory and are hereby accepted. You are authorized to do the work as specified. Payment will be made as outlined above.

Date of Acceptance

4-9-72

Signature *[Handwritten Signature]*

Signature

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Designated Parties Master List Submitted 11/15/2006

	Documentary Evidence	Doc Date	ID (CDO-CSD)
848	LOCSD Resolution to support interim compliance plan -Voluntary compliance with CCRWQCB Enforcement for PZ.	10/5/06	141.
849	Press release from Blakeslee-Gov signs AB 2701	9/20/06	142.
850	O&A Ripley Pacific Project Report	9/06	143.
851	Town hall meeting-Video, PDF copy PPT presentation mms://www.slo-span.org/Video_Files/LOCSD/LOCSD_06-08-04/LOCSD_06-08-04.wmv	8/4/06	144.
852	Orenco Collection system -Turn key options -saving time & cost/ comparisons. http://www.lososocsd.org/pdf/LOCSD%20Presentation%20101906.pdf	10/19/06	145.
853	Draft Report Update Ripley Pacific http://www.lososocsd.org/pdf/Ripley_Drft_Rpt_Update_072806.pdf	7/28/06	146.
854	Spalding Report		147.
855	Civil Subpoena -Gregory		148.
856	Civil Subpoena-Karner		149.
857	SLO Co PW Staff Report/Project Implementation Assessment of Multiple Benefits of Integrated Water- Energy Efficiency Ca Institute for Energy Efficiency http://www.lososocsd.org/pdf/Wilkinson_Energy_Intensity_CA_Water.pdf		150.
858			151.
859	LOCSD Meet CDO w/ Voluntary compliance http://www.lososocsd.org/pdf/Resolution_2006-27.pdf	10/6/06	152.
860	Energy down the drain-NRDC Pacific Institute Oakland CA http://www.lososocsd.org/pdf/Energy_Down_the_Drain.pdf	8/04	153.
861	Conservation History		154.
862	Hearing Regulations Title 23. Div 3 General provisions 648 -Definitions		155.
863	Composting Toilets Rhian To Matt Thompson.Response to email RE: alternatives to discharge.		156.
864	Upper Aquifer water mgmt plan		157.
865	Blank		158.
866	Exparte Issue Sept 8 transcription of tape	9/10/06	159.
867	Tim Rochte How to submit evidence	2/1/06	160.

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868.	Telephone notes-Mary Ellen	2/23/06	161.
869.	Complaint against Roger Briggs-Bud Sanford	1/1/06	162.
870.	Overview info Rob Shipe efforts for public education	2/06	163.
871.	Ron Shipe Extension request	9/5/06	164.
872.	10/4/06 Deposition by Rob Shipe of Roger Briggs (video/CD transcript ordered)	1/18/05	165.
873.	April 5, 2005 Revised Appendix A	4/5/05	166.
874.	Effect of CSD Bankruptcy on Individual CDOs	7/21/06	167.
875.	Bear Pride Newsletter	4/06	168.
876.	Blakeslee Letter/Resolution	6/9/06	169.
877.	County's Response to LAFCO	5/12/06	170.
878.	Draft Revised Revenue Plan tables based on awarded bids	2/05	171.
879.	NRDC - Energy Down the Drain	8/04	172.
880.	SLO County Estero Area Plan	11/02	173.
881.	SWQCB Ex Parte Communications	7/25/06	174.
882.	LOCSD Wastewater Treatment Facility Final EIR	3/1/01	175.
883.	Final Waste Discharge Requirements - Order No. R3-2003-007	2/7/03	176.
884.	Ground Water Management Plan for the LO Valley Basin	7/05	177.
885.	CCRWQCB Hearing Transcripts	4/28/06	178.
886.	CCRWQCB Hearings - Dr. Wickham - Septic		178.
887.	RWQCB Staff Memo enforcement team	1/18/06	179.
888.	LAFCO Letter Re: Collaborative Options	5/12/06	180.
889.	LOCSD Amended Engineer's Report	6/28/01	181.
890.	LOCSD Disposition of Harvest Water	6/11/04	182.
891.	LOCSD Geotechnical Report Vol.1	3/9/04	183.
892.	LOCSD Geotechnical Report Vol.2	3/29/04	184.
893.	LOCSD Nitrate Monitoring Program, Ground Water Mon	4/05	185.
894.	LOCSD Nitrate Monitoring Program, Ground Water M	10/05	186.
895.	LOCSD Payment Evaluation	1/28/05	187.
896.	LOCSD Report Addendum and Response to Comments Cleath & Assoc	6/04	188.

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897.	LOCSD Revised Project Report Design Documents	3/24/03	189.
898.	LOCSD Simulated Effects of a Proposed Sewer Project	11/6/03	190.
899.	LOCSD Value Engineering Report	5/8/03	191.
900.	LOCSD Wastewater Revenue Program	11/04	192.
901.	LOCSDACLPresJan06	1/06	193.
902.	Los Osos CSD document list	11/05	194.
903.	Memo BP Amendment Res.83-13	9/27/83	195.
904.	MOU SLO	12/78	196.
905.	RWQCB Notice Proposed Settlement	11/06	197.
906.	Objection to Individual Requests for Designated Party Status	2/21/06	198.
907.	OCR Text Wastewater Facilities Final Project Report	3/7/01	199.
908.	OSWT Tech. Preservation of Ag Lands Report - CSU-Chico	1/03	200.
909.	request Blakeslee assistance 2006-06	3/06	201.
910.	Res. 83-12 Consideration of Amendment	9/16/83	202.
911.	Res.84-13	1/24/84	203.
912.	Resolution 2006-27	10/5/06	204.
913.	Response to May12 2006 LAFCO Letter	5/26/06	205.
914.	Ripley LOWWUpdate Prsrtn 080406	8/4/06	206.
915.	rs2005-0083 Attachment A		207.
916.	Sato-Response to questions-Presentation	6/19/06	208
917.	Sato-Response to questions	7/20/06	209.
918.	Sea Water Intrusion Report	10/05	210.
919.	StaffReportSept06	8/29/06	211.
920.	SW Intrusion Fina IGrant	10/05	212.
921.	tacker.ltr12 Records Request	10/13/05	213.
922.	Wastewater Facilities Final Project Report	3/7/05	214.
923.	Water Master plan	7/05	215.
924.	Wilkinson Energy Intensity CA Water	1/00	216.
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926.	LOCSD -RWQCB Quarterly Rpt, Blesky	4/13/06	218.
927.	Tribune (Nathan Welton) Public Records Request -2005 Blakeslee compromise failure	12/06	219.
928.	Fax to Art Baggett to freeze ISA and contracts	5/14/05	220.
929.	Lawsuits filed CCLO v LOCSD Challenge funding approval vote	5/24/05	221.
930.	Letter w/ election results to Monowitz from Schicker RE: CDP	4/11/05	222.
931.	Letter to SWRCB Baggett from McPherson RE: SRF Loan-Pending recall & lawsuits	1/14/05	223.
932.	Letter From BWS to Gustafson & CSD RE: Bids-H& SC 5470 4/5 approval required for assessing fees	4/07/05	224.
933.	Voter Initiative -Measure B	3/05	225.
934.	Email John Fouche & Darrin Polhemus SWRCB SRF Loan-RE phone call Affordability criteria response	12/21/04	226.
935.	Friendly words Quotes from PRR for individual fines (Confirmed text)	NA	227.
936.	BOS -Bianchi opposes compromise solution	10/20/05	228.
937.	Simulated Effects of a Proposed Sewer Project on Nitrogen Concentrations in the LO Valley Groundwater Basin-Key conclusions/recommendations	11/03	229.
938.	Cal Cities Feedback request from LOCSD w/ attached Hydro geologic information Kennedy-Jenks report	11/2/00	230.
939.	County website -failing septic systems	12/12/05	231.
940.	Affidavit of R. Glenn Stillman-PZ boundaries etc.	8/21/01	232.
941.	Response to 3/17/06 request for low income assistance -CDO w/response	4/28/06	233.
942.	3 years addresses for septic compliance w/pumping & inspection for homes sold in LO.	NA	234.
943.	Workshop doc, MOU, and 83-13 draft plus 19.20.224comm sewage disposal systems building code	1978- 1983	235.
944.	Original assessment ballot package -formation of an assessment district	5/4/01	236.
945.	LOCSD SSMP onsite inspection forms	5/2/06	237.
946.	Declaration of Mary Ellen Schroeder-Matt Thompson/Harvy Packard	3/24/06	238.
947.	Assemblyman Chuck De Vore -Human events article-Unchecked Power	4/25/06	239.
948.	Memo re legal notice for payment of assessment	7/9/01	240.
949.	Residential disclosure CDO	5/03	241.
950.	Regulatory taking and inverse condemnation explained, Stuart Lieberman	9/28/00	242.
951.	Armstrong v United States	na	243.
952.	Regulatory takings after Lucas, Henry N Butler	5/9/06	244.

Exhibit B
Designated Parties Master List Submitted 11/15/2006

	Documentary Evidence	Doc Date	ID (CDO-CSD)
953.	Notice of Chairman's ruling regarding subpoena documents submitted on Oct 4	10/16/06	245.
954.	Objections/Motion to quash notice of taking deposition and deposition subpoenas	10/10/06	246.
955.	Declaration of Reed Sato in support of objections/motion to quash subpoenas and deposition notice and opposition to petition	10/10/06	247.
956.	Settlement Agreement w/sign page	11/1/06	248.
957.	RWQCB Briggs to Leonard Jones	12/14/84	249.
958.	Jerry Gregory To RWQCB Guidance for granting exemptions		250.

Friday, November 17, 2006
(Copy of letter sent previously but not posted)

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RE: Response to Reed Sato and CCRWQCB Request

Dear Mr. Thomas:

I am aware of several citizens, including myself, who are assisting with hearings for designated parties. There are as many reasons for assistance as there are levels of assistance. For some it is translating regulatory language. Others it is encouragement and reminders. Still others, it is because of their inability to prepare and present their case independently. Some are unable to attend the hours of hearings. To my knowledge none of the "volunteer assistants" including myself are attorneys, or intend to be named as "attorney-in-fact."

Water Board notice dated June 28, 2006 *"only designated parties or their attorneys shall be entitled to present evidence or arguments to the water board for each designated party; anyone other than attorneys admitted to practice by the State Board of California who intends to represent or speak for Designated Parties in this proceeding (i.e., act as an "attorney-in-fact") must provide the water board with a notarized power of attorney from each Designated Party they intend to represent. The notarized power of attorney must clearly state that the person authorized to act as "attorney-in-fact is specifically authorized to:*

- a. Represent the Designated Party's interest in the Water Board proceedings to consider proposed individual Cease and Cease Orders for Los Osos residents.*
- b. Speak for the designated Party at the Hearings.*
- c. Receive service of process for the party for all documents related to the proceeding."*

"Designated Parties who grant power of attorney to a representative (attorney-in-fact), as noted above, will be bound by their representative's statements or testimony in these proceedings."

The full fledged legal representation that you are requiring confirmation of, and transfer of liability for, is a far cry from the simple and kind citizen assistance I am providing. This assistance may entail providing transportation, preparing and processing paperwork, delivering materials and research, explaining what the staff or hearing board members are saying, or helping with rebuttals and questions so their defense is understood by the hearing board.

In the final Paragraph of the response to the Chairs request on hearing issues (June 19, 2006) Mr. Sato requires a similar legal transfer of representation to "Ms McPherson if she is to assist anyone in any way." "Notarized lists" "Power of Attorney" and "under penalty of perjury" requirements are hardly needed and will not be obtained.

I have not to date, and it is not my intention to provide legal representation to any party, but to provide support and assistance in preparation and presentation of materials. I requested standing as a designated party several times based on the definition your board provided. However, Ms. Okun denied my requests each time.

I intend to continue assisting Designated Parties in the hearings and to support their defense against the injustice of individual Cease and Deist Orders. Many designated parties have testified that they are unable to afford legal representation, as well as not sure they will be comfortable presenting the total of their testimony before the hearing board alone. While they may not require attorneys, or cannot afford such, they do require some help.

Several noted *"Ms McPherson is not providing legal representation but practical help. Her administrative help as well as my right to exercise my right of free speech, with assistance, should be preserved. In this uneven playing field any expertise in support of our individual or collective cause is welcome and will be used."*

Just translating your notices and complex procedures and schedules for the general public's understanding has been needed. Your procedures and enforcement actions were designed for industrial and corporate polluters, and wrongly applied to individuals. This "force fit" application of CDO's enforcement against the people- instead of holding the responsible government agencies accountable is the real issue to consider- not my assistance.

Many feel as this CDO defendant, Special Education Teacher, *"The process to this point has been prejudiced against me personally because I can not afford the level of representation required to challenge the RWQCB and SWRCB. Law firms with experience working with the RWQCB/SWRCB on water issues require a minimum retainer of \$20,000 to \$50,000. Costs will quickly mount while working through the Regional and State Water Boards. Experienced firms realize that a fair trial will not occur until the case is appealed to the courts with an impartial judicial process. If I were to acquire legal counsel, the high costs would cause me to lose my home before I ever made it into the court system. Without legal counsel, I could lose my home through unfair governmental actions. Free legal services contacted by defendants refused to take on a case involving the Water Boards prior to entering the courts on appeal due to the inherit bias in Water Boards hearings."*

This system may be effective for corporations and large municipalities with legal staff, but it is inherently unfair to individuals for alleged violations that are well

beyond the scope of individual control. Large entities have the power to negotiate with RWQCB, but I am powerless, therefore, I do not have any control over the outcome of the hearings regardless of guilt or innocence. My due process rights have been violated.

I ask you to consider that many individuals that are facing this long and arduous process do so in alone in self-defense, only because of the government agencies (at all levels) failed to succeed in delivering a wastewater solution to Los Osos. I ask that these taxpayers, who pay the salaries and costs for the very services to deliver a wastewater project, and now ironically pay for the enforcement against them, be afforded the dignity of assistance with the most basic help.

If they freeze up and can't think when presenting their case, if they are ailing or of an age that they cannot perform in this setting, but do want to participate, please allow this assistance for them to make their case. If they are on the spot, and fail in their ability to recall some of the questions, or need help with cross examination of staff, or other witnesses, please allow assistance. This is not the job of an attorney. It is that of good neighbor. The assistance may come from others, not necessarily me, but from among a group of citizens who face this trial together.

I ask that you reconsider the issue of assistance in this light and allow the Designated Parties, all of them, to provide for their best defense, with free speech and civil rights held firm in an atmosphere of fairness.

Very Sincerely Yours,

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