

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
CENTRAL VALLEY REGION

RESOLUTION NO. R5-2003-0163

APPROVING THE INDUSTRIAL PRETREATMENT PROGRAM
FOR
CITY OF PORTERVILLE
WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY
TULARE COUNTY

WHEREAS, The United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) promulgated General Pretreatment Regulations for Existing and New Sources of Pollution, codified in Title 40, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Part 403; and

WHEREAS, the State Water Resources Control Board and regional water quality control boards received approval authority from the USEPA to administer the Pretreatment Regulations on 25 September 1989; and

WHEREAS, on 27 April 2001, the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region (hereafter Regional Board) adopted Waste Discharge Requirements Order No. 5-01-103 (WDRs) for the City of Porterville (City) Wastewater Treatment Facility (WWTF); and

WHEREAS Porter Vista Public Utilities District serves the community of Porter Vista and discharges its wastewater to the City's wastewater collection system; and

WHEREAS the WDRs require that the City comply with all pretreatment requirements contained in 40 CFR, Part 403, including implementing the necessary legal authorities; and

WHEREAS, the City requested approval of its Industrial Pretreatment Program in accordance with 40 CFR, Part 403.9, *et seq.*; and

WHEREAS, on 17 January 2003 the Regional Board staff notified the City in writing that its proposed Industrial Pretreatment Program was substantially complete conditioned upon minor revisions; and

WHEREAS, on 4 February 2003, the City submitted the minor revisions; and

WHEREAS, on 1 July 2003, the City adopted an ordinance implementing the Industrial Pretreatment Program; and

WHEREAS, on 17 June 2003, Porter Vista Public Utilities District (District) adopted the City of Porterville ordinance by reference; and

WHEREAS, the City and the District have executed an interjurisdictional agreement for implementation of the City's Industrial Pretreatment Program; and

WHEREAS, the City's proposed legal authority meets the legal authority requirements contained in 40 CFR Part 403; and

WHEREAS, the Regional Board notified the City and interested parties of its intent to approve the City's Industrial Pretreatment Program and provided them with an opportunity for public hearing and an opportunity to submit comments and recommendations; and

WHEREAS, the Regional Board, in a public meeting, heard and considered all comments pertaining to this action: Therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region, hereby approves the Industrial Pretreatment Program submitted by the City of Porterville.

I, THOMAS R. PINKOS, Executive Officer, do hereby certify the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a Resolution adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region, on 17 October 2003.

THOMAS R. PINKOS, Executive Officer

BLH:10/17/03