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**Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board**

March 2, 2015

Mr. Jim Thorsen, City Manager  
City of Malibu  
23825 Stuart Ranch Road  
Malibu, CA 90265-4861

Ms. Alix Hobbs, President & Chief Executive Officer  
Heal the Bay  
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**RESPONSE TO COMMENTS –TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS (WDRs) /WATER RECYCLING REQUIREMENTS (WRRs) FOR MALIBU CIVIC CENTER WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY – PHASES I & II, MALIBU, CALIFORNIA (FILE NO. 11-087, ORDER NO. R4-2015-XXXX, CI-10042, GLOBAL ID WDR100000359)**

Dear Mr. Thorsen and Ms. Hobbs:

On December 31, 2014, a tentative WDRs/WRRs Order and a Monitoring and Reporting Program (MRP) for the City of Malibu – Malibu Civic Center Wastewater Treatment Facility – Phases I and II were released for public comment. The comment period ended on January 30, 2015. Comments were received from the City of Malibu and Heal the Bay by the deadline. Regional Board staff has considered all comments submitted, made appropriate revisions to the tentative WDRs/WRRs and MRP accordingly (red line version), and prepared the Response to Comments.

Enclosed please find the following documents:

1. Response to Comments;
2. Revised tentative Board Order R4-2015-XXXX specifying WDRs/WRRs; and,
3. Revised tentative Monitoring and Reporting Program (MRP) (CI-10042).

In accordance with administrative procedures, the Regional Board will consider the enclosed revised tentative WDRs/WRRs and comments thereon, at a public hearing to be held at 9:00 AM on March 12, 2015, at Metropolitan Water District of Southern California, 700 North Alameda Street, Los Angeles, California. The Regional Board will hear any testimony pertinent to this discharge, the tentative requirements, and MRP.

Copies of the revised tentative WDRs/WRRs Order and MRP are also available on the Regional Board's website at [http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board\\_decisions/tentative\\_orders/](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board_decisions/tentative_orders/).

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Dr. Don Tsai at (213) 620-2264 (or [Don.Tsai@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:Don.Tsai@waterboards.ca.gov)) or me at (213) 576-6683 (or [Eric.Wu@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:Eric.Wu@waterboards.ca.gov)).

Sincerely,



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Chief of Groundwater Permitting Unit

Enclosures:

- 1) Responses to Comments
- 2) Revised Tentative WDRs/WRRs Order No. R4-2015-XXXX
- 3) Revised Tentative Monitoring and Reporting Program CI-10042
- 4) Revised Tentative Attachments A to D

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