

Executive Officer's Summary Report  
8:30 a.m., April 26, 2012  
Regional Water Quality Control Board  
David C. Joseph Hearing Room  
5550 Skylane Boulevard, Suite A  
Santa Rosa, California

ITEM: 9

SUBJECT: **Public Hearing** on Order No. R1-2012-0016 to consider Rescinding Cease and Desist Order No. R1-2006-0073 for **Town of Scotia Company, LLC., Wastewater Treatment Facility**, WDID No. 1B83104OHUM, NPDES No. CA0006017

#### DISCUSSION

National Pollution Discharge Elimination System Permit, Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) Order No. R1-2006-0020 (Order No. R1-2006-0020) governs the Town of Scotia (Discharger) municipal wastewater treatment facility (WWTF). Order No. R1-2006-0020 established new, more stringent effluent limitations for discharges from the WWTF. In anticipation of the increased requirements the Discharger collected supplemental monitoring data in 2005 and early 2006 which showed that the WWTF was not likely to achieve effluent limitations for 85% removal of biological oxygen demand (BOD) or total suspended solids (TSS) newly applied under Order No. R1-2006-0020. Accordingly, the Board adopted Cease and Desist Order R1-2006-0073 to establish a time schedule for compliance with WDRs no later than August 2011.

Ongoing effluent monitoring indicates that the Discharger has demonstrated compliance with 85% removal effluent limitations. A copy of the draft order rescinding Cease and Desist Order No. R1-2006-0073 was posted on the Regional Water Board website and mailed to the Discharger, interested agencies, and persons. This item was opened for public comment between January 19, 2012, and February 20, 2012. No comments were received from either the Discharger or any other interested party.

Preliminary Staff  
Recommendation:

Adopt Order No. 2012-0016 as proposed.