



CENTRAL VALLEY REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD

MINUTES OF BOARD MEETING

November 29/30 2012

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2012

CALL TO ORDER

Chair, Dr. Longley called to order the special meeting of the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, at Buttonwillow Parks and Recreation, 556 Milo Street, Buttonwillow, CA 93206

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

Longley, Karl, Chair Meraz, Sandra Moffitt, Jennifer Lester Schneider, Robert
Ramirez, Carmen

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT

Costantino, Jon

STAFF PRESENT

Creedon, Pamela Keys-Bramlett, Tonya Okun, Lori Rodgers, Clay
Gray, Shelton Lira, Robert Patteson, Doug Snavelly, Karen
Hubbard, Dean Medrano, Anthony Pineda, Kristen Soria, Denise
Moreno, Roberto Pulupa, Patrick

STATE BOARD STAFF PRESENT

Kapahi, Gita

OTHERS PRESENT

Almberg, Eric Corcoran, Greg Winston, Hickox Nielsa, David
Andrew, Louie Cruz, Jesus Martinez, Ana Ward, Scott
Buoni, Marianna Ficke, Jared Martinez, Lupe Wurgler, Ryan

AGENDA ITEM 3 PUBLIC FORUM

AGENDA ITEM 4

Clean Harbors Buttonwillow, LLC Buttonwillow, Kern County - *Amend Special Order 98-165 For Closure of Class II Waste Management Units.*

A public hearing was held. Kristen Pineda presented the staff report.

*Motion to adopt the Settlement Agreement and Stipulation of Entry of ACL Order, with amendments, Made by Member Schneider
Seconded by Member Ramirez
Unanimously approved*

BOARD ADOPTED ORDER R5-2012-0111

Board meeting adjourned at approximately 6:30 p.m.

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 30, 2012

CALL TO ORDER

Chair, Dr. Longley called to order the special meeting of the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, at the Double Tree Hotel, 3100 Camino Del Rio Court, Bakersfield, CA 93308

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

Longley, Karl, Chair Meraz, Sandra Moffitt, Jennifer Lester Schneider, Robert
Ramirez, Carmen

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT

Costantino, Jon

STAFF PRESENT

Booke, Hope	Landau, Ken	Okun, Lori	Soria, Denise
Creedon, Pamela	Laputz, Adam	Patteson, Doug	Soto, Bethany
Cregan, Alan	Lira, Robert	Rodgers, Clay	Vanderburgh, Brent
Hatton, Scott	Mayer, Alex	Sholes, David	
Karkoski, Joe	Medrano, Anthony	Smaira, Nicholas	
Keys-Bramlett, Tonya	Moreno, Roberto	Snively, Karen	

STATE BOARD STAFF PRESENT

Kapahi, Gita

OTHERS PRESENT

(See attached List)

AGENDA ITEM 7

PUBLIC FORUM

No one came forward to comment on any items not on the agenda.

AGENDA ITEM 8

Waste Discharge Requirements General Order For Growers In The Eastern San Joaquin River Watershed That Are Members Of The Third-Party Group - *Consideration of proposed Irrigated Lands Regulatory Program Tentative General Waste Discharge Requirements.*

Before the hearing, Member Moffitt informed the Board that she did not have any economic interest or prejudice in her decision on this item.

Alex Mayer, Legal Counsel, informed the Board of a number of late comment letters as follows:

- Thomas Harter, August 9
- CV Salts
- Talking Points, (excluded)
- Sacramento email November 27, (Ruling deferred)
- Bill Thomas, (Ruling deferred).

Joe Karkoski presented the staff report.

Parry Klassen (Eastern San Joaquin River Watershed Coalition) Timothy Souther and Gary Kramer (AMEC), Joel Kimmelshue (Newfield's Consulting), Blake Sanden (UC Cooperative Extension), and Robert Gailey (SGI Hydrogeology) gave additional testimony.

The Chair granted their requests to include their comments in the record for both Items 8 and 9.

This was followed by comments from environmental justice groups (given by Jennifer Cleary of Clean Water Action, Phoebe Seaton of the California Rural Legal Assistance Foundation, and Susana DeAnda and Omar Carrillo of the Community Water Center).

The Chair granted their request to include their comments in the record for both Items 8 and 9. Comments were then received from the public.

AGENDA ITEM 9

Tulare Lake Basin Area General Waste Discharge Requirements – *Continuation of 21 August 2012 informational item in Tulare to accept comments on administrative draft Irrigated Lands Regulatory Program, General Waste Discharge Requirements for the Tulare Lake Basin Area.*
Informational Item Only

David Sholes presented the staff report. Comments were then received from the public.

Board meeting adjourned at approximately 3:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by
Kiran Lanfranchi-Rizzardi
Assistant to the Board

OTHERS PRESENT 11/30/2012**ORGANIZATION****Spoke**

Adams, Dean	Sunview Viineyards of Ca	no
Alderete, David	Kern - Delta Weedpatch Cotton Ginning	no
Aldridge, Melanie		no
Alexander, Susan		no
Allen, John	John Allen Farms INC	yes
Andrews, Danny	Dan Andrews Farms LLC	no
Andrews, Richard	Puresense	no
Angone, Aldo	Angone Farms	no
Antogiovanni, Mike		no
Antogiovanni, Kevin	Ten Star Farming	no
Antogiovanni, Beau		no
Baldwin, Dave	Community Recycling	no
Barnett, Bill		no
Barrajas, Maria		yes
Bauley, pam	Hewitt Trust Michael J	no
Beagle, Chris	Sunview Viineyards of Ca	no
Beagle, Michael	Sunview Viineyards of Ca	no
Beakside, David	Sun Pcafific Farming	no
Beimer, Dwight	Beimer Farms	no
Beimer, Wallace	Beimer Farms	no
Belluomini, Peter	Lehr Brothers INC	no
Berry, Donald	Sun Pacific Farming	no
Betsy Ramsey		no
Biane, Paul	Almonds Eight LLC	no
Blackemer, Paul		no
Blain, Barrett	Blain Farming Co	no
Blaine, Michael	West Coast Grape Farming INC	yes
Bloemhof, Ted	Bloemhof Farms & Harvesting	no
Bone, Bryan	BB Farms	no
Booth, James	USDA	no
Bowers, Michael	David Valadao	no
Briggs, Norman	Stout Farms	no
Britishgi, Jared	Tejon Ranch	no
Brogan, Dale	Delano Earlimart ID	no
Buonch, Maria		yes
Buoni, Mario	Mario Buoni and Sons	no
Contreras, Dolores		yes
Carr, Michael	AgReserve INC	no
Carrillo, Omar	Community Water Center	no
Carter, Denmas		no
Castillo, L	Booth Ranches	no
Cerrino, Steven	V&C Farms	no
Cerro, Mark	Cerro Farms and D&M Farming	yes
Cerro, Phil	Cerro Farms; Kern Delta Water District	no
Chicca, Antone	Twin Farms	no

Chicca, Jerry	Twin Farms	no
Clary, Jennifer	Clean Water Action	no
Cnuha, Manuel	Nisei Farms League	yes
Cocieutt, Jonathan	Rockview Farms INC	no
Collins, Davald	Progress Farms	no
Collup, Steve	Arvin - Edison WSD	no
Conanl, Ernest	Kern River Watershed Coalition Author	yes
Constantine, Matt		no
Copeland, Thomas	Kundert Bros Farms	no
Cormen, Brad	Sun Pcafific Farming	no
Cornonsty, Richard	NRCS	no
Cox, Bruce		no
Crawford, Laura	Crawford Farms	no
Crowi, John	Golden Valley Ag	no
Cunha, Manuel	Nisei Farms League	yes
Day, Mike	Provost &Pritchard Consuting Group	no
Delihant, Gail	Western Growers	yes
Destefani, AJ	Destefani Farms	no
Devitt, Dennis	DM Carntp Sons	yes
Dianodd, Rick	North Kern WSD	no
Dirl, Darlene		no
Dmohowski, Dave	Quake Knopf INC	no
Easter, Caucun	Kern Ridge Growers	no
Edwards, Dale		no
Ellison, Chris	Sperin Carfish INC	no
Enns, Richard		no
Etchamerndy, John	Etchamerndy Sheep Co	no
Etchelnury, Maurice	Buena Vista WSD	no
Etcheverry, Joseph	Wegis Ranch	no
Etchevery, Frankie	Simplot	no
Eyraud, Eduard	Joseph A. Eyraud & Sons INC	no
Fallock, Charlotte	Westlands Water District	no
Fanuccleu, C		no
Fanuccni, Rob		no
Fast, Royce	R&G Farms	no
Fenton, Donna	Kern County Public Heatlh Specialst	yes
Fisher, Matthew		no
Fonseca Jr, Gerry	Rain for Rent	no
Fox, Tom		no
Franz, Mark		no
Frick, Coraut	Tecuye Tree and Vine	no
Frick, Dennis	Tecuye Tree and Vine	no
Frick, Doug		no
FRICT, Howard		no
Fry, Colhy	Opal Fry and Son Walher Fry Ranch	no
Ftitz, Brain		no
Fugate, Burt		no

Gail, Cary	Grimmway Farming	no	
Garcia, Raul	Gless Ranch	no	
Garmin, Laurie	The Wine Group	no	
Garone, Chad	Mckittrick Ranch	no	
Garone, Fred	Bear Mountain Holding	no	
Gaudian, Jesse	Pacific Ag Management	no	
Gilkey, Kirk	Gilkey Five	no	
Giumarra, Joe	Giumarra Vin Corp	no	
Giumarra, Sam	Giumarra Vin Corp	no	
Giumarra, Jeff	Giumarra Vin Corp	no	
Glende, Winn	AgReserves INC	no	
Goff, Rob	Paramount Farming Co	yes	
Gol, Brook	USDA - NRCS	no	
Gotti, Nick	KCWA	no	
Grass, Skye	Kern - Tulare Water District	no	
Greema, Casey	CCGGA/ WAPN	yes	
Grittin, Jina	Western Unit of Dairy	no	
Griunnelli, Jason	Community Recycling	no	
Gruwdt, Chris	Gruwdt Bros INC	no	
Gruwdt, Jim	Gruwdt Bros INC	no	
Hampton, David	Buena Vista WSD	no	
Haragnehi, Whit	WRCS	no	maybe
Haslenacker, Tom		no	
Hauss, Brian	Westchester	no	
hayes, Tim	Buttonwillow Warehouse Co	no	
Heeringa, Nathan	Innovative Ag	no	
Hein, Martin	Hein Ranch Co	no	
Hersashy, John	JCH Enterprises	no	
Hildebrand, Carly	Paramount Citrus	no	
Holterman, Tim		no	
Hooper, Dustin	Vintage Nurseries	no	
Hopkins, Donny	Bolthouse Farms	no	
Houd, Jason		no	
Hudek, Chanles	Hudeks Pest Control	no	
Hunter, Betsy	Milk Producers Council	no	
Hutchings, Warren	Innovative Ag	no	
Iturriria, Frankia	Grimmway Farming	no	
Jacobson, David		no	
Johnson, Dennis	Johnson Farms	no	
Johnson, Jeff		no	
Johnson, Mark	Johnson Farms	no	
Joughin, Chris	Sunview Viineyards of Ca	no	
Juir, James	Kaweah WCD	no	
Kaiser, John	Adobe Station Ranch	no	
Karr, Jess	Houdo INC	no	
Kielsey, Bruce	Kingsburg Citrus	no	
Kindig, Darren	Kindig Bros INC	no	

Kindig, Doug	Kindig Bros INC	no
Kinschisman, Wayne	Kinschisman Ent INC	no
Kirkorian, L.	El - Rancho Farmers	no
Kirschenman, Kenneth	Kirschenman Bros	no
Kirscherman, Wayde	Kirscherman Ent INC	no
Koatsra, Peruiw		no
Kramo, Gary	AMEC	no
Kreshua, Jerome	Kern County Farm Bureau	no
Kristi Robinson	Meridian Nut Growers	no
Kroiker, Jay	Starra Farms	yes
Kunde, Robert	Weheeler Ridge-Maricopa Water Stora	yes
Kunde, Robert	Wheeler Ridge - Maricopa WSDistrict	yes
Kunz, George		yes
Labords, Jeanes	Bakersfield Land Co LLC	no
lane, Ross	Sill Properties	no
Larsen, Mark	Kaweah River - Sub Warershed	no
Leinbach, Kelly	Rain for Rent	no
Livingston, Bruce	Livingston Dairy Consulting	no
Lutje, Joe	Henry Miller Water District	no
Lytle, Gene	Paramount	no
MacIkvaine, Joe	Paramount Farming Co	yes
MacIlvaine	Paramount Farming Co	yes
Maniaci, Steve	Kern County Farm Bureau	yes
Marchetti, Joe		no
Martinez, Angelica		yes
Martinez, Castalimp	Donald Valpredo Farming	no
Mary, Amanda	Paramount Citrus	no
Mask, David	Sunview Viineyards of Ca	no
Matinez, Esther		yes
Mattock, Chad	Simplot	no
McFarcano, Randy	Farm Water Authority	no
McFarland, Ben	Kern County Farm Bureau	no
Meadows, Brad	BSK Associates	no
Medding, Kevin	Calcot LTD	no
Medellin, Luis		yes
Mello, Michale	Mello's Consulting Service	no
Merldey, Danny		no
Mettler, Don	M&R Mettler Farms	no
Mettler, Ron	M&R Mettler Farms	no
Millan, Marie	Affontranger & Sons	no
Miller, Eric	South Valley Farms	yes
Miller, John	John Miller Farms	yes
Millroe, Mitch	Farm Credit West	no
Milobar, Martin		no
Minor, Barbara	Paramount Farming	no
Monteiro, Darrin	California Dairies INC	no
Moore, John	Moore Farms and White Wolf Potatoe	no

Muhar, Gurder		no
Muhar, Jeavan	Arvin - Edison WSD	no
Nachtigall, Terry		no
Nelson, Harold	Delano Earlimart ID	no
Nelson, Isaac		no
Nelson, Robert		no
Nesh, Brian	Nesh Farm	no
Neufeld, Brian	Agricare INC	no
Nijin, Phil	Lost Hills WD	no
Nikolich, George	Gerawar Farming	no
Nordstrom, Michael	Tulare Lake Basin Water Storage District	yes
Nydan, Ben	Dellavalle	No
O'Connell, Heil		no
Oglivie, Jill		no
Olinmara, Doug	CAPCA	no
Oliveira, Frank	Mels's Farms and Clarks Fork Ranch	no
Oliveira, Tiffany	Livingston Dairy Consulting	no
Orth, David	SSJVWQC	yes
Ortiz, Rudy	Rainbow Disposal Farm	no
Oversteet, David	West Coast Grape Farming	no
Page, Ted R.	KCWA	no
Palla, Dennis		yes
Palla, Edd	Fairway Farms	no
Palla, Gline		no
Palla, Kevin	Ralph Palla Farming Co	no
Palla, Mark		no
Pandol, Andrew	Pandol & Sons	no
Parker, Larry M.	Parker Farms	no
Parva, Eucario	Paramount Farming Co	no
Patino, Dominic		no
Payne, Jay		yes
Pena, Jose Luis	Langers Farms	no
Peters, Darrell	Sunview Viineyards of Ca	no
Pierucci, Roy	Pierucci Farms	no
Punis, Krystina	Livingston Dairy Consulting	no
Purker, Glenn	Parker Farms	no
Quintel, Gary		yes
Ramerez, Alex		no
Ramerez, Joe		no
Ramirez, Walter	CRLA Foundation	yes
Rasmussen, Jeff	Kern County Farm Bureau	no
Rios, Martin	Grimmway Farming	no
Rivos, Guadalupe		no
Robani, Hossein	Robani Agricultural Enterprises	no
Robertson, Dwight		no
Rodben, Sharon	Roden Farms	yes
Rodgers, Candice	Paramoumt Farms	no

Rodgers, Scott		no
Rush, Carol	USDA - NRCS	no
Sanden, Blake	Univ Ca Coop Ext	no
Schaap, Christine		no
Schaap, John	Kern River Watershed Coalition Author	yes
Schock, Sean	Schock Family Farms	no
Scroggs, Alan		no
Seaton, Phoebe	CRLA	no
Selvidge, Jason	Buttonwillow Land and Cattle Co	no
Selvidge, Wes	Buttonwillow Land and Cattle Co	no
Sevidge, JB	Buttonwillow Land and Cattle Co	no
Shcik, Clinton		no
Singn, Davinder	Large Juice Co	no
Solis, Abigail	Community Water Center	yes
Souther, Tim	AMEC	yes
Spitzer, Ross	H. Spitzer & Sons INC	no
Squire, Kirk	Horizon Nut Co	no
Stendorup, Andy		no
Stonecipher, Bernadine		no
Stouderup, Verman	Stouderup Ag Partners	no
Streiff, Kevin		no
Stuller, Zach	Sun Pcafific Farming	no
Sutt, Benjamin H.	South Valley Farms	no
Taft, Ben	Corotto Co	no
Terran, Erasjd		yes
Tesch, Greg	Tesch Family Farms	no
Thomas, Bill	SSJWQC	yes
Thomas, Biru	SSJWQC	yes
Tiner, Irma	Tiner Farm	no
Tom, Oglesby		yes
Tracy, Todd	Buttonwillow Land and Cattle Co	no
Trillen, Rick	Rickmar	yes
Turnipseed, Michael	Kerntax	no
Valadez, Chris	CA Grape and Tree Fruite League	yes
Valedez, Chris	CGTFL	yes
Varuh, Gary		no
Vass, Carl	Grimmway Farming	no
Vidaurete, Bernardo		no
Wade, Danny M.	Tranquillity Irrigation District	no
Wade, Rodney	Tranquillity Irrigation District	no
Wahlen, Tanner	Edwin Carry Farms	no
Warren, Ron	Warren Ag Services INC	no
Wedel, Mathew	Monache Meadow Ag	no
Wegis, Rick	Semitropic WSD	yes
Wegis, Robert	Grimmway Farming	no
Wiebe, Bob		no
Wiens, Rod	R&K Wiens Farms	no

Wilke, Dan		no
William, Carl G.	Tulare Ag	no
Wilson, Aarin	Livingston Ag	no
Wilson, Ben	Hardel & Wislon Farms	no
Wilson, Woody	Woodrow Wilson Farms - King Fresh Pr	no
Wise, Geordy	Pacific Ag Management	no
Wisehart, Frank	Lucich Farms INC	no
Wornitart, Johann		no
Wright, Dennis		yes
Wyer, Richard		no