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## Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

20 October 2023

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### **ORDER AMENDING CLEAN WATER ACT SECTION 401 WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION AND ORDER; LANCE GODDARD, GODDARD DRIVEWAY CONSTRUCTION PROJECT (WDID NO. 5A29CR00086A1), NEVADA COUNTY**

This Order responds to the 16 October 2023 request for an amendment of the Goddard Driveway Construction Project Section 401 Water Quality Certification (WDID No. 5A29CR00086). The original Water Quality Certification (Certification) was issued on 5 February 2015. The requested amendment is hereby approved, and the original Certification is therefore amended as described below. Please attach this document to the original Certification.

#### **AMENDMENT:**

Lance Goddard (hereinafter Permittee) is requesting an amendment to the Section 401 Water Quality Certification and Order to change the United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) permit referenced in the Certification from Nationwide Permit 29 to Nationwide Permit 14. The request has been approved and the expiration date of the certification is **14 March 2026**, which aligns with the expiration date of U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' 2021 Nationwide Permit 14. **No additional work may be conducted that was not included and authorized in the original certification.**

The Permittee is also requesting an amendment to the Section 401 Water Quality Certification and Order to change the required compensatory mitigation to the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation's Sacramento District California In-Lieu Fee Program in the Bear/Yuba Watershed Service Area or an Army Corp of Engineers approved mitigation bank. The following sections are amended:

**U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Permit Number:** Nationwide Permit 14 (Linear Transportation Projects)

**Compensatory Mitigation for Permanent impacts:**

The Permittee is required to provide compensatory mitigation for the authorized impact to 0.04 acre of jurisdictional wetland by purchasing 0.04 Aquatic Resource Credit from the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation's Sacramento District California In-Lieu Fee Program in the Yuba/Bear Watershed Service Area.

**OR**

The Permittee is required to provide compensatory mitigation for the authorized impact to 0.04 acre of jurisdictional wetland by purchasing 0.04 Aquatic Resource Credits from a United States Army Corp of Engineers approved mitigation bank in the Yuba/Bear Aquatic Resource Service Area.

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**WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION:**

I hereby issue an Order amending the existing Clean Water Act Section 401 Water Quality Certification and Order for Goddard Driveway Construction Project (WDID No. 5A29CR00086A1). All other conditions and provisions of the original Water Quality Certification remain in full force and effect, except as modified based on the conditions of this Order. Failure to comply with the terms and conditions of the original Water Quality Certification, previously approved amendments, or of this Order may result in suspension or revocation of the Water Quality Certification.

Original Signed by Bryan J. Smith, P.E.  
(for) PATRICK PULUPA, Executive Officer  
Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

10/20/2023  
Date

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