



Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

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APPROVAL OF THE TASK 4 WORK PLAN FOR COUNTY OF LAKE WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

On 25 October 2022, County of Lake Water Resources Department (Lake County) submitted the Task 4 Work Plan to comply with the requirements established by the Clear Lake Nutrient Total Maximum Daily Load (Clear Lake Nutrient TMDL) and the 10 October 2019 Order pursuant to California Water Code Section 13267 (Order) issued to Lake County.

The Order required Lake County to submit technical information describing the management practices implemented to reduce phosphorous loads to Clear Lake per the Clear Lake Nutrient TMDL. On 11 August 2021 the Central Valley Water Board notified Lake County that based on its 09 April 2021 submission, Lake County was not in compliance with its assigned load allocation and was therefore required under the Order to submit a Work Plan to reduce discharges of phosphorous and comply with the designated load allocation. This Work Plan was required to include a detailed timeline outlining when Lake County will be in compliance with the specified load allocation, additional management practices that will be implemented, the potential locations of future management practices, and a quantitative estimate of the load reduction based on the methods outlined in the Work Plan.

Central Valley Water Board staff reviewed Lake County's Task 4 Work Plan and find that it meets the applicable Clear Lake Nutrient TMDL and Order requirements for Task 4. Based on the information provided, I approve Lake County's Task 4 Work Plan and consider Lake County's responsibilities under the Order fulfilled.

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Sincerely,

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