

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION

ORDER NO. 78-93

WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
FOR
LOST LAKE RESORT
North of Blythe - Riverside County

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Colorado River Basin Region, finds that:

1. John P. Quirk (hereinafter also referred to as the discharger), Lost Lake Resort, P.O. Box 6246, Lost Lake Station, California 92225, submitted updated information on August 8, 1978 on the discharge.
2. The discharger is discharging a maximum of 17,000 gallons-per-day of domestic sewage from a mobile home park having 93 mobile home spaces and 4 restrooms. A portion of the wastewater is discharged into septic tank/leach field systems and the remainder flows into 2 oxidation basins. The facilities are located in the NE1/4 of the SE1/4 of Section 8, T2S, R24E, SBB&M. The basins are situated at least 1/4 mile from the Colorado River.
3. The discharger reports that if any subsurface disposal system fails, the wastewater which had been discharged to that system would be diverted to the oxidation basins, and the basin capacity would be expanded to handle the increased flow.
4. The discharge from this mobile home park has been subject to waste discharge requirements adopted in Board Order No. 73-50.
5. The Water Quality Control Plan for the East Colorado River Basin was adopted by the Board on April 10, 1975. The Basin Plan contains water quality objectives for the Colorado Hydrologic Unit.
6. The beneficial uses of the groundwaters of the Colorado Hydrologic Unit are:
 - a. Municipal supply
 - b. Industrial supply
 - c. Agricultural supply

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7. The Board has notified the discharger and interested agencies and persons of its intent to update waste discharge requirements for the discharge.
8. The Board in a public meeting heard and considered all comments pertaining to the discharge.
9. This mobile home park constitutes an ongoing project in accordance with provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (Public Resources Code Section 21000 et seq.) and the State Guidelines because the governmental approvals on or after April 5, 1973, do not involve a greater degree of responsibility or control over such activity than the governmental approvals received prior to that date.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, the discharger shall comply with the following:

A. Discharge Specifications

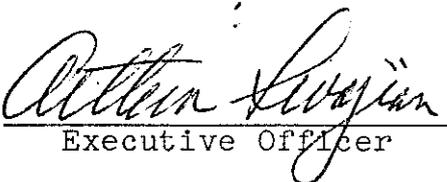
1. Neither the treatment nor the discharge of wastewater shall create a pollution or a nuisance as defined in Division 7 of the California Water Code.
2. No wastewater other than domestic sewage shall be discharged into the sewage disposal systems described in Finding No. 2 (above).
3. A minimum depth of freeboard of at least two feet shall be maintained in the earthen basins.
4. Treated or untreated sludge, or similar solid waste materials, shall be disposed of in such manner that these materials shall not enter the Colorado River or any channel which drains to the River.
5. Adequate measures shall be taken to assure that unauthorized persons and animal pets are effectively excluded from contact with the discharge.
6. Adequate measures shall be taken to assure that flood or surface drainage waters do not erode or otherwise render portions of the discharge facilities inoperable.
7. There shall be no surface flow of wastewater away from the discharge facilities.
8. There shall be no discharge, bypass, or flow of treated or untreated sewage to the Colorado River, or to any channel which drains to said River.
9. Depth of soil between the bottom of the disposal facilities and the high groundwater elevation shall not be less than 5 feet.

10. Septic tank cleanings shall be discharged only by a duly authorized service.
11. Facilities shall be available to handle wastewater in the event of commercial power failure.
12. There shall be no discharge of any water softener brines at the park, except to impervious containers from which there is no seepage or overflow, and said brines shall be periodically discharged at a disposal site approved by the Regional Board to receive these wastes.
13. Oxidation-infiltration facilities shall be maintained and operated so as to maximize infiltration and minimize the increase in salinity of the wastewater discharge.
14. There shall be no installation of sewage disposal facilities within 200 feet laterally from the regulated high-water line of the Colorado River or within 200 feet of any domestic water well.

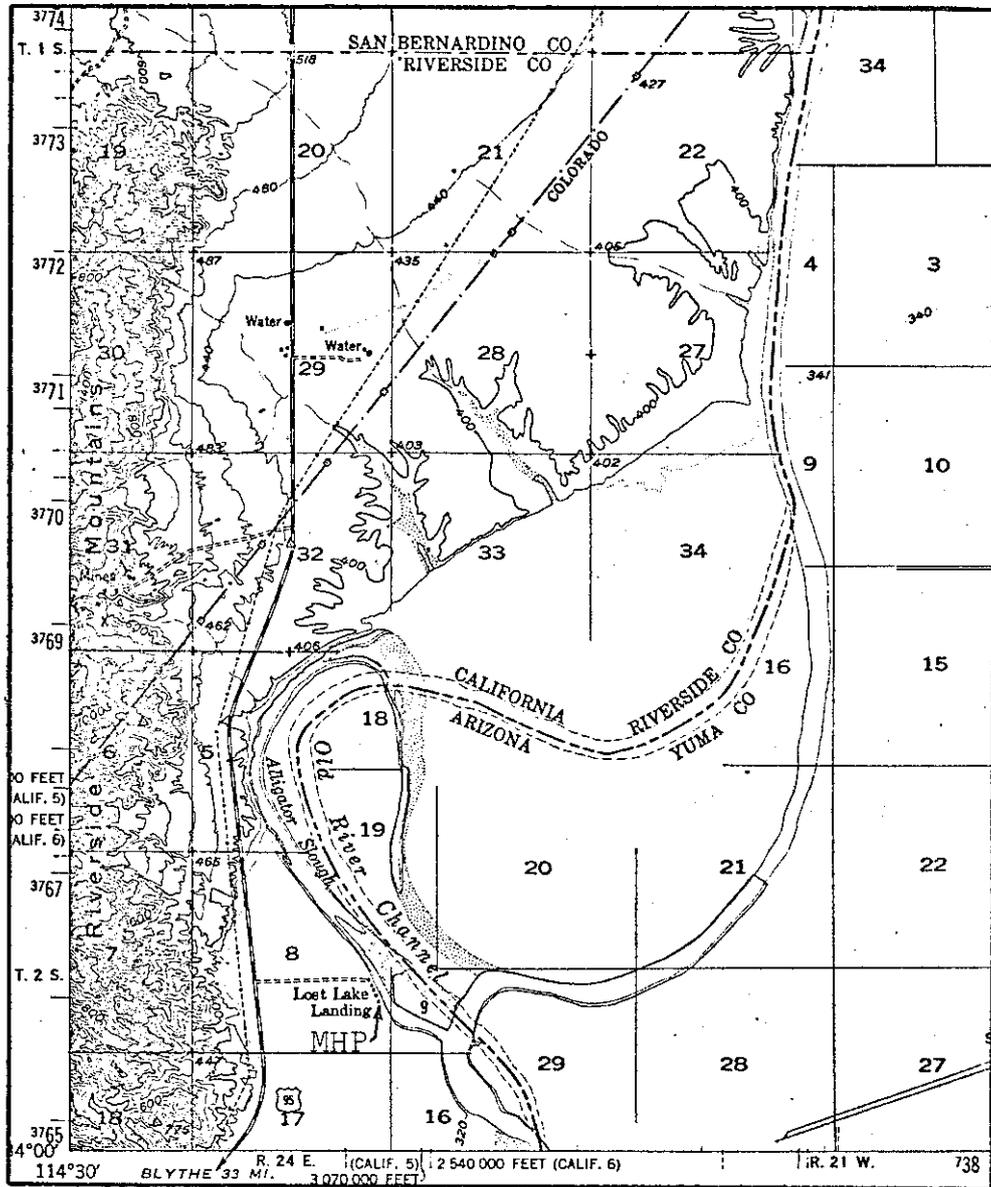
B. Provisions

1. Prior to any material change in the quality or quantity of wastewater discharged, or any material change in location of discharge, the discharger shall report thereon to the Board.
2. Upon request from this Board's Executive Officer, the discharger shall furnish technical and/or monitoring reports on the treatment and discharge of wastes.
3. In the event of any change in operation, or in control or ownership of land or waste disposal facilities owned or controlled by the discharger, the discharger shall:
 - a. Notify this Board of such change; and
 - b. Notify the succeeding owner or operator by letter of the existence of this Order, a copy of which shall be filed with this Board.
4. This Order supersedes Board Order No. 73-50.

I, Arthur Swajian, Executive Officer, do hereby certify the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an Order adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Colorado River Basin Region, on November 15, 1978


Executive Officer

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Scale:
1" = 1 mi.

SITE MAP
 LOST LAKE RESORT
 North of Blythe - Riverside County
 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 of Section 8, T2S, R24E, SBB&M
 USGS Parker 15 min. Topographic Map

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