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In cooperation with the Frank G. Wells
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VIA FAX

February 18, 2004

State Water Resources Control Board 1001 "I" Street Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: Support of 2/18/04 Environmental Caucus of the AB 982 Public Advisory Group Comments on SWRCB, "Water Quality Control Policy for Developing California's Clean Water Act Section 303(d) List"; Comments on the draft "Total Maximum Daily Load ("TMDL") Guidance "A Process for Addressing Impaired Waters in California"; and Comments on the draft Implementing Water Quality Control Policy for Addressing Impaired Waters.

Dear State Water Resources Control Board,

Out of concern for clean water, Santa Monica Baykeeper supports and joins in the AB 982 environmental caucus comments on the state's proposed Section 303(d) Listing and TMDL Implementation Policies as stated above, and herein fully incorporates these comments by reference. Santa Monica Baykeeper represents over 2000 members in California, committed to protecting and restoring the Santa Monica Bay, San Pedro Bay and adjacent waters through enforcement, fieldwork, and community action.

Sincerely,

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