

GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT PLAN COMPLIANCE



UPPER SANTA CLARA RIVER 2015 IRWM Implementation Grant

Attachment 1 – Authorization and Eligibility Requirements

Groundwater Management Compliance

CLWA is the applicant and also an urban water supplier that will receive funding from this 2015 Implementation Grant should the Proposal be awarded. CLWA's proposed Residential and Commercial Turf Removal Programs however do not directly affect groundwater levels or groundwater quality. CLWA is not required to re-submit its Groundwater Management Plan Compliance information per the Final 2015 IRWM Implementation Grant Proposal Solicitation Package (pg. 14) as this information was submitted with the 2014 Drought Grant.

NCWD utilizes a mix of imported State Water Project water and local groundwater to meet demands. NCWD is proposing Phase II of its Santa Clara River Trunk Sewer Line Relocation Project, which if implemented will have a positive impact on groundwater quality within the region by preventing the potential future releases of sewage from the exposed trunk line.

The Valencia Water Reclamation Plant Advanced Water Treatment Facilities Project proposed by the SCVSD will directly improve water quality of wastewater effluent from the Valencia Water Reclamation Plant discharged to the Santa Clara River. Improving the water quality of the Santa Clara River will improve the groundwater quality in the Region.

Self-certification of compliance with CWC §10753 regarding Groundwater Management Plans for the NCWD and SCVSD project's are attached hereto.

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**CERTIFICATION FOR GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT PLAN COMPLIANCE
FOR THE
PROPOSITION 84, IMPLEMENTATION
GRANT PROGRAM**

Grant Program: 2015 Proposition 84, Implementation Grant
IRWM Region: Upper Santa Clara River
Agency name: Santa Clarita Valley Sanitation District (SCVSD)
Valencia Water Reclamation Plant Advanced
Project Title (as shown on application form): Water Treatment Facilities

Please check one of the boxes below and sign and date this form.

- As the authorized representative for the agency, I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California, that the agency has prepared and implemented a GWMP in compliance with CWC §10753.7.
- As the authorized representative for the agency, I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California, that the agency participates or consents to be subjected to an existing GWMP, basin-wide management plan, or other IRWM program or plan that meets the requirements of CWC §10753.7(a).
- As the authorized representative for the agency, I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the agency conforms to the requirements of an adjudication of water rights in the subject groundwater basin.
- As the authorized representative for the agency, I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California, that my project is located in a low or very low priority groundwater basin (as defined by CASGEM) and the agency consents to be subjected to a GWMP that will meet the requirements of CWC §10753.7 and be completed within 1-year of the grant application submittal date.

I understand that the Department of Water Resources will rely on this signed certification in order to approve funding and that false and/or inaccurate representations in this Certification may result in loss of all funds awarded to the applicant for its project. Additionally, for the aforementioned reasons, the Department of Water Resources may withhold disbursement of project funds, and/or pursue any other applicable legal remedy.

Philip L. Friess
Name of Authorized Representative
(Please print)

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Signature

Department Head, Technical Services
Title

6/15/2015

Date

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