

**SUBMITTAL TO THE FLOOD CONTROL AND
WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT BOARD
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

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FROM: General Manager-Chief Engineer

SUBMITTAL DATE:
March 18, 2008

SUBJECT: NPDES Stormwater Discharge Permit – Implementation Agreement
Between the District, County of Riverside, Coachella Valley Water District (CVWD), and the
Cities of Banning, Cathedral City, Coachella, Desert Hot Springs, Indian Wells, Indio, La
Quinta, Palm Desert, Palm Springs and Rancho Mirage

RECOMMENDED MOTION:

Approve the Agreement and authorize the Chairman to sign the Agreement on behalf of the District.

BACKGROUND:

This Implementation Agreement sets forth the terms and conditions by which the County, District, CVWD and the Cities perform and/or execute certain activities and responsibilities prescribed in the NPDES MS4 Permit issued by the Colorado Regional Water Quality Control Board – Colorado River Basin Region (CRWQCB), pursuant to Order No. 01-077. A new permit and order will be issued on May 21, 2008, by the CRWQCB.

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Steve Thomas
FOR **WARREN D. WILLIAMS**
General Manager-Chief Engineer

FINANCIAL DATA	Current F.Y. District Cost:	N/A	In Current Year Budget:	N/A
	Current F.Y. County Cost:	N/A	Budget Adjustment:	N/A
	Annual Net District Cost:	N/A	For Fiscal Year:	N/A

SOURCE OF FUNDS:	Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Requires 4/5 Vote	<input type="checkbox"/>

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:

APPROVE

BY: *Alex Gann*
Alex Gann

County Executive Office Signature

- Dep't Recomm.: Policy
- Per Exec. Ofc.: Consent
- Policy
- Consent

Prev. Agn. Ref.: 3.17 of 2/26/2008 | District: 4th & 5th | Agenda Number:

ATTACHMENTS FILED
WITH THE CLERK OF THE BOARD

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BACKGROUND:

On March 6, 2006, the District, County, CVWD and the Cities reapplied for an area-wide NPDES MS4 Permit in accordance with the permit requirements administered by the CRWQCB. It is anticipated that the CRWQCB will issue a new NPDES MS4 Permit on May 21, 2008, pursuant to Section 402(p) of the Federal Clean Water Act. The permit designates the District and the County as Principal Permittees and designates the CVWD and the Cities as Co-Permittees. It is in the best interest of the Principal Permittees and the Co-Permittees to work cooperatively to facilitate the administration and implementation of the NPDES MS4 requirements.

A cost share formula agreed upon by the District, County, CVWD, and the Cities has been devised to provide funding support for regional program costs that are incurred during the five-year permit term as identified in the Implementation Agreement.

County Counsel has reviewed and approved the agreement as to legal form.