

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
COLORADO RIVER BASIN REGION

ORDER NO. 77-2

WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
FOR
TWELVE BY TWELVE SEWER SERVICE
North of Thousand Palms - Riverside County

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

1. Robert E. Swindell (hereinafter also referred to as the discharger), P. O. Box 176, Thousand Palms, California 92276, submitted a Report of Waste Discharge dated October 18, 1976.
2. The discharger proposes to discharge a maximum of 22,500 gallons-per-month of domestic sewage from pumping out septic tanks, seepage pits and cesspools.
3. The discharger proposes to discharge the waste (collected in a 1500 gallon capacity tank truck) by uniformly spreading it over the surface of a 10-acre natural desert field located in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 7, T4S, R6E, SBB&M. The discharger states that the wastes will be disked into the soil within 24 hours after spreading.
4. The proposed discharge area is underlain by recent alluvial fan deposits consisting of boulders, gravel, sand, silt and the Ocotillo Conglomerate. The reported depth to water table from records of nearby wells in Thousand Palms is approximately 100 feet below ground surface.
5. The Water Quality Control Plan for the West Colorado River Basin was adopted by the Board on April 10, 1975, and this Order implements the objectives stated in the Plan.
6. The beneficial uses of the groundwaters of the Coachella Hydrologic Subunit 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 prescribe waste discharge requirements for the proposed discharge.
8. The Board in a public meeting heard and considered all comments pertaining to the proposed discharge.

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

A. Discharge Specifications

1. No wastewater other than domestic sewage shall be discharged at this location.
2. The discharge of waste material and the discharge operations shall not cause water pollution or nuisance.
3. There shall be no ponding of waste material, or surface flow of the discharged waste material away from the designated disposal area.
4. The disposal area shall be protected by natural or artificial features so as to assure protection from any washout and from inundation which could occur as a result of floods having a predicted frequency of once in 100 years.
5. There shall be no surface exposure of wastes at the close of a day's operations.
6. The discharge of waste shall not cause concentration of waste within limited areas of the reported disposal site.

B. Provisions

1. Prior to any substantial change in the quality or quantity of wastes to be discharged or the location of discharge, the discharger shall report in writing to the Regional Board.
2. The discharger shall comply with the "Monitoring and Reporting Program No. 77-2", and the "General Provisions for Monitoring and Reporting", and future revisions thereto, as specified by the Executive Officer.
3. Prior to any proposed change in operation, or in control or ownership of the land used as the discharge area, the discharger shall:
 - a. Report in writing to the Regional Board.

- b. Notify the succeeding owner, in writing, of the existence of this Order, and forward a copy of said correspondence to the Regional Board.

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

January 26, 1977 . .

Arthur Swajian
Executive Officer

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MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM NO. 77-2
FOR
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Location of Discharge: NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 7, T4S, R6E, SBB&M

MONITORING

The discharger shall report to the Regional Board concerning the following:

ITEM:

1. Volume of waste discharged during quarter. This information may be reported as the number of truckloads of specific gallonage.

REPORTING

The quarterly reports shall be submitted by January 15, April 15, July 15, and October 15 of each year.

Mail reports to:

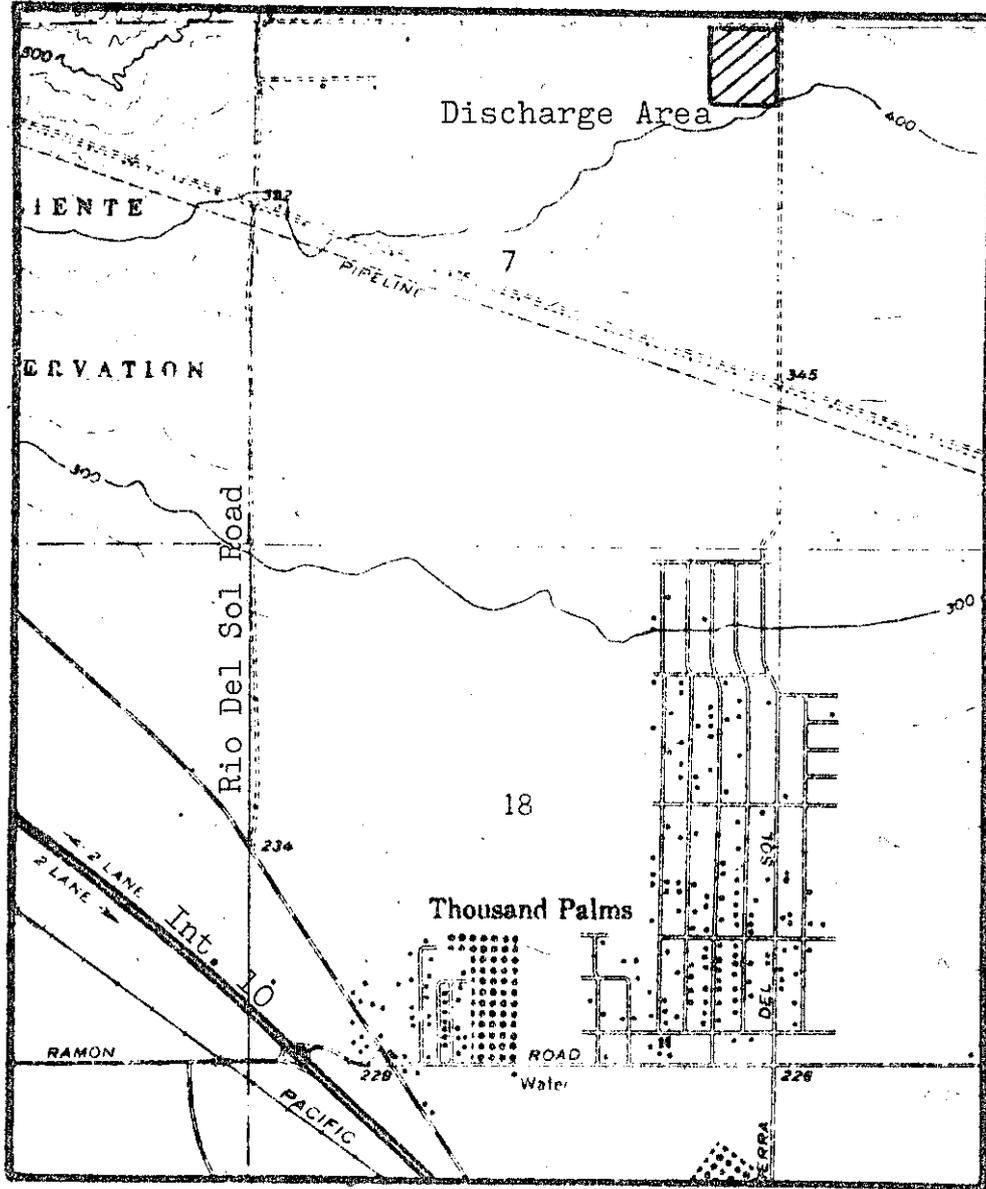
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Ordered by:

Arthur Levajian
Executive Officer

January 26, 1977
Date

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SITE MAP

TWELVE BY TWELVE SEWER SERVICE
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Location: NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 7, T4S, R6E, SBB&M
U.S.G.S. Cathedral City 7.5 min. Topographic Map

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