



November 3, 2003

Mr. William Miks
Manager
Palo Alto Regional Water Quality Control Plant
2501 Embarcadero Way
Palo Alto, CA 94303

Re: File #: 03-D-07; 03-EIA-07

Dear Sir :

Clean Water Fund, a 501(c)3 research and educational organization, supports the Palo Alto Water Quality Control Plant's Mountain View-Moffett Area Recycled Water Recycling Facility Project.

Recycled water is medically safe and environmentally sound as an alternative to the use of drinking water for non-potable reuse purposes such as agricultural and landscape irrigation, industrial cooling and manufacturing. Use of recycled water for appropriate purposes helps protect sensitive estuarine habitat and preserve endangered species. And by replacing potable water with non-potable, recycled water, we advance regional water security, extend existing drinking water resources, and reduce the overall pressure to further tap our state's limited natural resources.

Clean Water Fund endorses the Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration for the Mountain View-Moffett Area Recycled Water Recycling Facility Project. We believe this important project deserves the community's full support.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Michael Stanley-Jones".

Michael Stanley-Jones
California State Director

cc: Mr. Phil Bobel
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