

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
CENTRAL VALLEY REGION

RESOLUTION NO. R5-2009-_____

APPROVING A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE STATE WATER RESOURCES
CONTROL BOARD AND THE CENTRAL VALLEY SALINITY COALITION

Whereas, the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region (Central Valley Water Board) finds that:

1. On 31 January 2006 the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) and the Central Valley Water Board held a joint workshop to receive information on salinity in the Central Valley.
2. The Central Valley Water Board has initiated the Central Valley Salinity Alternatives for Long-Term Sustainability (CV-SALTS) initiative to develop a salinity and nitrate management plan for the Central Valley.
3. In July of 2008 the Central Valley Salinity Coalition (CVSC) was formed as a non-profit member organization that works in partnership with the Water Boards to organize, facilitate, and collect funding for efforts needed to complete the CV-SALTS work and efficiently manage salinity and nitrates in the Central Valley.
4. A Memorandum of Agreement has been prepared by the staffs of the State Water Board, the Central Valley Water Board, and the CVSC to memorialize understandings regarding the representation and governance of CV-SALTS; coordination of salinity management, regulatory and planning efforts in and affecting the Central Valley Region; and funding for CV-SALTS projects.

Therefore be it resolved that:

1. The Central Valley Water Board authorizes the Executive Officer to sign the Memorandum of Agreement between the State Water Board, the Central Valley Water Board, and the CVSC.
2. The Executive Officer is hereby directed to certify and submit copies of this resolution to agencies and individuals as appropriate and as requested.

I, PAMELA C. CREEDON, Executive Officer, do hereby certify the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a Resolution adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region on 10 December 2009.

PAMELA C. CREEDON, Executive Officer