State of California
Regional Water Quality Control Board
North Coast Region

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EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S SUMMARY REPORT
9:00 a.m., December 1, 1988
State Building
50 D Street, Room 410
Santa Rosa, California

ITEM: 18

SUBJECT: Funding for "Investigation for Non-Point Source Pollutants in the Laguna de Santa Rosa Watershed, Sonoma County", A Federal Clean Water Act 205(j)(2) Project

DISCUSSION: At its regular meeting of February 25, 1988, the Regional Board approved the staff proposal for the subject investigation in the Laguna de Santa Rosa. It was assigned the highest rank in a priority list of eight 205(j)(2) proposals evaluated by the Regional Board. The Regional Board's list of proposals was submitted to the State Board, where they were eventually incorporated into a statewide priority list. The Laguna proposal maintained a favorable position throughout the selection evaluation period.

The State Board adopted the 205(j)(2) project priority list at its October 20, 1988, meeting, including the Laguna project. A copy of the proposal is attached.

Total funding for the project is $100,000 of which $75,000 comes from the 205(j) grant from EPA and $25,000 from matching funds or services provided by the Regional Board. The 205(j) funds will not be available until late winter or early spring, 1989. However, the workplan for the project is readily adaptable to the funding schedule. Contractual arrangements necessary to expending these funds have been initiated now in order that work can begin immediately once the funds are available.

PRELIMINARY STAFF RECOMMENDATION: This is an information item. No action by the Board is required.