

CERTIFICATION

At my direction, the Storm Water Management Plan for the City of Soledad was revised in form of an addendum on February 25, 2010 and pursuant to General Permit Section F.1.d: Report Information Collected; Action Item #21 of N.O.V. dated September 25, 2009; Fulfillment of Proposed Timeline item #2 – *“Remaining 2007-2008 Annual Report Addenda will be submitted by March 1, 2010”*.

I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquire of the person or person who manage the system or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the information submitted is true, accurate, and complete.

I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

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Clifton W. Price, Public Work Director

Date: 2/25/10

ANNUAL STORM WATER REPORT ADDENDUM

ITEM #6

B. BMP 2.2 – Community Workshops

Violation of General Permit Section F.1.d – Failure to report information collected

The SWMP states that the City will request feedback on stormwater pollution prevention media efforts, volunteer participation, the stormwater information students bring home, and awareness of disposal facilities. However, the 2007-08 Annual Report does not contain a summary of the information the City collected. Failure to report the results of information collected is a violation of General Permit Section F.1.d.

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Action: Provide this information as an **addendum to the 2007-08 annual report**, and ensure that it is included **in the 2008-09 annual report and in future annual reports.**

Addendum:

BMP 2.2.

The City of Soledad has received positive response feedback on storm water pollution prevention media efforts through the oil recycling program records provided by Tri-Cities Disposal and Recycling. Those records reflect that the citizens and business owners disposed of 1546 gallons of oil and 1126 filters during the 2007/08 permit year. These records indicate sufficient utilization of the services available.

Moving forward, the City of Soledad will produce an annual questionnaire that requests feedback related to Storm Water education. This questionnaire will be distributed (in English & Spanish) to all utility customers, posted on our website, and made available in City Hall. The data and feedback collected from the questionnaire will be compiled and reported in subsequent annual Storm Water Reports.

The following is an *example* of items that may appear in our feedback questionnaire:

1. Was the information supplied to you about Storm Water Pollution Prevention clear and understandable?
2. Will you be changing your house and yard cleaning, as well as disposal habits now that you have more knowledge about Storm Water Pollution Prevention?
3. How do you currently dispose of household hazardous waste materials such as paint, chemicals, and oil?
4. Do you currently wash your vehicle at your home in your driveway or street, or do you take it to a professional carwash facility?
5. Washing down your driveway or sidewalks with water is an acceptable form of maintenance?

- TRUE
 FALSE