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June 26, 2012

ATTENTION OF:

Office of the Chief
Regulatory Division

Mr. Thomas Duffy County of San Diego Department of Public Works 5469 Kearny Villa Road, Suite 305 San Diego, California 92123

Dear Mr. Duffy:

This is in reply to your application (File No. SPL-2012-00267-MBS) dated June 15, 2012, for a Department of the Army Permit to discharge fill material into waters of the U.S., in association with the County of San Diego Annual Regional General Permit (RGP) 53 2012-2013 Maintenance Year. The proposed work would take place in 285 stream channels, located throughout the County of San Diego, California (Figure 1).

Based on the information you have provided, the Corps of Engineers has determined that your proposed activity complies with the terms and conditions of RGP 53-County of San Diego Routine Flood Control Maintenance.

As long as you comply with the general permit conditions of RGP 53, an individual permit is not required.

Specifically, you are authorized to conduct the following regulated activities:

- 1. Conduct annual stream channel sediment, vegetation, and debris removal activities at 285 locations as identified in the attached figure (Figure 1); and
- 2. Permanently impact 0.69 acre and temporarily impact 3.6 acres of waters of the U.S.

A general permit does not grant any property rights or exclusive privileges. Also, it does not authorize any injury to the property or rights of others or authorize interference with any existing or proposed Federal project. Furthermore, it does not obviate the need to obtain other Federal, State, or local authorizations required by law.

Thank you for participating in our regulatory program. If you have any questions, please contact Meris Bantilan-Smith at 760-602-4836 or via e-mail at Meris.Bantilan-Smith@usace.army.mil.

Please be advised that you can now comment on your experience with Regulatory Division by accessing the Corps web-based customer survey form at: http://per2.nwp.usace.army.mil/survey.html.

Sincerely,

Therese O. Bradford

Chief, South Coast Branch

Enclosure

