

**AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT OF 2009  
SECTION 1511 CERTIFICATION**

**Napa River Restoration – Rutherford Reaches 1 and 2**

**County of Napa**

**Agreement No.: 08-348-550**

**Project No.: C-06-6924-110**

The authorized representative of the State Water Resources Control Board hereby certifies, and/or affirms that the Napa River Restoration- Rutherford Reaches 1 and 2 Project (Project) has received the full review and vetting required by law and that such representative accepts responsibility that the Project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars. Subject to the provisions of the Financing Agreement, the following general description is provided in order to comply with Section 1511 of American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA):

- Project description: The Project, commonly known as Napa River Restoration – Rutherford Reaches 1 and 2, generally consists of a river rehabilitation project on 1.3 miles of the Napa River on agricultural land. It is the first phase of implementation of a 4.5 mile ongoing project. This Project will address the identified problems of sedimentation due to channel incision and bank erosion, restore channel complexity and habitat diversity, and reconnect historic side channels. Treatments include excavation of floodplain benches, biotechnical methods to stabilize eroding stream banks, installation of woody debris and other structures to increase pool/riffle variability and promote deposition of large sediment, installation of grade control structures/riffles to stabilize the channel bed and improve fish passage, and vegetation with native plants.
- Estimated total cost of the Project: One million, seven hundred ninety-four thousand, five hundred dollars and no cents (\$1,794,500).
- Type of assistance: full principal forgiveness
- Estimated amount of ARRA funds to be used: Nine hundred seventy-seven thousand, three hundred seven dollars and no cents (\$977,307).

**STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_