

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
SAN FRANCISCO BAY REGION

ORDER NO. 72-63

WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
FOR
BROWN LIVESTOCK COMPANY
NAPA COUNTY

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Francisco Bay Region, finds that:

- A. Brown Livestock Company submitted a Report of Waste Discharge dated April 14, 1972.
- B. Brown Livestock Company is discharging animal waste from a feedlot operation into waters of the State. During the rainy season manure flows into three holding ponds on the discharger's property. Pond capacity is not sufficient to totally confine the waste. Pond overflow discharges into a man-made lake situated partially off the property. The lake spills into an unnamed creek tributary to Milliken Creek and the Napa River.
- C. This discharge has caused unacceptably high levels of coliform organisms, odors and discoloration of the unnamed creek as reported by the Napa County Department of Public Health.
- D. The Board adopted an Interim Water Quality Control Plan for the San Francisco Bay Basin on June 14, 1971.
- E. The beneficial uses of Milliken Creek and the Napa River downstream from the point of discharge are:

Wading

Sport fishing

Migratory routes for spawning runs of steelhead trout

Spawning and nursery areas for steelhead and rainbow trout

Agricultural water supply for stock watering and irrigation

Esthetic enjoyment.

- F. The beneficial uses of ground waters in the Napa River Drainage Basin include:

Domestic supply

Agricultural supply for stock watering, irrigation and frost protection.

- G. Land within 1000 feet of the discharge is used for residence, agriculture, and recreation.
- H. The Board has notified the discharger and interested agencies and persons of its intent to prescribe waste discharge requirements for the proposed discharge.
- I. The Board, in a public meeting on August 22, 1972, heard and considered all comments pertaining to the discharge.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, Brown Livestock Co. shall comply with the following:

A. Discharge Specifications

- 1. The treatment or disposal of waste shall not create a nuisance as defined in Section 13050(m) of the California Water Code.
- 2. The treatment or disposal of waste shall not cause degradation of groundwater suitable for domestic or irrigation usage.
- 3. The waste shall be effectively confined to the discharger's property at all times.

B. Discharge Prohibitions

- 1. The discharge of waste into surface water bodies or into any stream is prohibited.

C. Provisions

- 1. The discharger shall comply with the following time schedules and reporting programs to assure compliance with the Discharge Specifications and Prohibitions of this order:

<u>TASK</u>	<u>Completion Date</u>	<u>Status Report Date</u>
Submit Interim Report on means of reducing total quantity of waste discharge and violation of requirements	October 1, 1972	October 15, 1972
Implement Interim Means	November 15, 1972	November 30, 1972
Select Means of Compliance	January 1, 1973	January 15, 1973
Comply with discharge specifications and prohibitions of this order	August 1, 1973	August 31, 1973

2. This Order includes items numbered 1, 2, 6 and 7 of the attached "Reporting Requirements" dated August 28, 1970.
3. This Order includes items numbered 1 through 7 of the attached "Notifications" dated January 6, 1970.

I, Fred H. Dierker, Executive Officer, do hereby certify the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an Order adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Francisco Bay Region, on August 22, 1972.

Executive Officer