Appendix XIV. Certification of Adequate Legal Authority

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CITY OF SAN DIEGO

SCOTT CHADWICK CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER

January 27, 2017

Mr. David W. Gibson, Executive Officer Regional Water Quality Control Board San Diego Region 2375 Northside Drive, Suite 100 San Diego, CA 92108

Subject: Certification of Adequate Legal Authority

Dear Mr. Gibson:

Pursuant to San Diego Regional Water Quality Control Board Order No. R9–2013–0001, as amended by Order No. R9–2015–0100 (Municipal Permit or Permit), Provision E.1.b, the City of San Diego, as a Copermittee in the above referenced permit, submits this certification of adequate legal authority with the first Water Quality Improvement Plan Annual Report. The City has adequate legal authority to implement and enforce each requirement contained in 40 C.F.R. section 122.26(d)(2)(i)(A)–(F), and the Municipal Permit (including Provision E.1.a(1)–(10)). The San Diego Municipal Code, including the following provisions, provides the City with adequate legal authority as required by the Municipal Permit:

- 1. Storm Water Management and Discharge Control, sections 43.0301 through 43.0312. These provisions are being amended, although the current version also complies with the requirements of the Municipal Permit.
- 2. General Construction Permit Authority and Procedures, sections 129.0101 through 129.0120.
- 3. Grading Regulations, sections 142.0101 through 142.0150.
- 4. Storm Water Runoff Control and Drainage Regulations, sections 142.0201 through 142.0230.

The City looks forward to working with you and the Regional Board on storm water management matters. If you have any questions, please contact Senior Planner Jim Harry at (858) 541-4353 or email JHarry@sandiego.gov.

Sincerely,

Scott Chadwick Chief Operating Officer

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