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State Water Resources Control Board

VIA EMAIL:

June 30, 2025

John Teravskis, QISP, ToR, CPESC, WPCM, QSD/QSP
WGR Southwest, Inc.

Dear Mr. Teravskis,

Thank you for submitting the proposal to administer a Qualified Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) Developer prerequisite course on behalf of WGR Southwest, Inc. State and Regional Water Board staff evaluated WGR Southwest, Inc.'s proposal and found that the prerequisite course provides an acceptable level of training.

In accordance with the 2022 Construction Stormwater General Permit, Section V.H, I hereby approve the WGR Southwest, Inc.'s "The Connections Course", Lessons 1 – 7, as an acceptable prerequisite course for the Qualified SWPPP Developer certification.

The course is now listed on the State Water Resources Control Board's [2022 Construction Stormwater General Permit webpage](https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/stormwater/construction/general_permit_reissuance.html) (https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/stormwater/construction/general_permit_reissuance.html).

Please contact Brandon Roosenboom at Brandon.Roosenboom@waterboards.ca.gov with any additional questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "P. Crader".

Phillip Crader, Deputy Director
Division of Water Quality

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