Alternative Groundwater Sustainability Plan

for the Livermore Valley Groundwater Basin















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List of Abbreviations

AB Assembly Bill

ACCDA Alameda County Community Development Agency

ACEH Alameda County Environmental Health

ACWD Alameda County Water District

AF acre-feet

AFY acre-feet per year

AIS Aerial Information Systems
AMP Asset Management Plan

AOC Areas of Concern

ARM Aerial Recharge Model

BARDP Bay Area Regional Desalination Project

BMO Basin Management Objectives
BMP Best Management Practices

CASGEM California Statewide Groundwater Elevation Monitoring

CCE California Conservation Easements
CCR California Code of Regulations
CCWD Contra Costa Water District

CDFW California Department of Fish and Wildlife

CE Categorical Exemption

CEC Contaminants of Emerging Concern
CEQA California Environmental Quality Act

CIMIS California Irrigation Management Information System

CIP Capital Improvement Program

COC Consituents of Concern

COL Chain of Lakes

CPA California Protected Area

CUWCC California Urban Water Conservation Council

CWC California Water Code
CWS California Water Service

CY calendar year

DAC disadvantaged community

DCE dichloroethene

DCP Delta Conveyance Project
DCR Delivery Capability Report
DDW Division of Drinking Water

DSRSD Dublin San Ramon Services District
DWR Department of Water Resources

EACCS East Alameda County Conservation Strategy

EBMUD East Bay Municipal Utilities District
EBRPD East Bay Regional Park District
EDF Environmental Defense Fund
EHD Environmental Health Division

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EIR Environmental Impact Report

ELAP Environmental Laboratory Accreditation Program

EPA Environmental Protection Agency

ET evapotranspiration

ETo reference evapotranspiration

ft feet

ft bgs feet below ground surface ft msl feet above mean sea level

ft/day feet per day FY fiscal year

GAMA Groundwater Ambient Monitoring and Assessment

GDE Groundwater Dependent Ecosystem
GIS geographic information system
GPQ Groundwater Pumping Quota
GSA Groundwater Sustainability Agency
GSP Groundwater Sustainability Plan

GWE groundwater elevation

GWMP Groundwater Management Plan HCM Hydrogeologic Conceptual Model

HGA HydroGeoAnalyst
HI Hydrologic Inventory
HRL Health Reference Level

ICSW Interconnected Surface Water

IDC Integrated Water Flow Model Demand Calculator

IM Interim Milestone
IS Initial Study

IWFM Integrated Water Flow Model
LAMP Local Agency Management Program

LARPD Livermore Area Recreation and Park District

LAVWMA Livermore-Amador Valley Water Management Agency

LDV Lake Del Valle

LLNL Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory

LVE Los Vaqueros Reservoir Expansion
LWRP Livermore Water Reclamation Plant

M&I Municipal and Industrial
MCL Maximum Contaminant Level

mg/L milligrams per liter
MGD million gallons per day

MGDP Mocho Groundwater Demineralization Plant

MHI median household income
MND Mitigated Negative Declaration

MO Measurable Objective

MODFLOW USGS Modular Finite-Difference Flow Model





MOU memorandum of understanding

MT Minimum Threshold

MTBE methyl tertiary-butyl ether

μg/L micrograms per liter

NA not applicable

NCCAG Natural Communities Commonly Associated with

Groundwater

ND Negative Declaration

NDMI Normalized Derived Moisture Index
NDVI Normalized Derived Vegetation Index
NEPA National Environmental Policy Act

NL Notification Level

NMP Nutrient Management Plan

NO3N nitrate-nitrogen

NOAA-

NMFS National Marine Fishery Service

NPDES National Pollution Discharge Elimination System

NRCS National Resource Conservation Service
OWTS onsite wastewater treatment systems
P/MA Projects and Management Actions

PCE tetrachlorethylene

PFAS per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances

PFBS perfluorobutanesulfonic acid

PFOA perfluorooctanoic acid

PFOS perfluorooctanesulfonic acid
POTWs publicly-owned treatment works
PRG Preliminary Remediation Goal
QA/QC Quality Assurance/Quality Control

RL Response Level

RMS Representative Monitoring Sites

RMS-ICSW Representative Monitoring Sites for Depletions of

Interconnected Surface Water

RMS-WL Representative Monitoring Sites for Chronic Lowering of

Groundwater Levels

RMS-WQ Representative Monitoring Sites for Degraded Water

Quality

RRE rural-residential-equivalence

RWQCB Regional Water Quality Control Board

SB Senate Bill

SBA South Bay Aqueduct

SCADA Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition

SCEP Stakeholder Communication and Engagement Plan

SCVWD Santa Clara Valley Water District SDAC severely disadvantaged community





SFPUC San Francisco Public Utilities Commission
SGMA Sustainable Groundwater Management Act
SLDMWA San Luis & Delta-Mendota Water Authority

SMARA Surface Mining and Reclamation Act
SMC Sustainable Management Criteria

SMP Salt Management Plan SPA Special Permit Areas SWP State Water Project

SWRCB State Water Resources Control Board

TAF thousand acre-feet
TBA tertiary-butyl alcohol
TCE trichloroethylene
TDS total dissolved solids
TNC The Nature Conservancy

TPHd total petroleum hydrocarbon as diesel
TPHg total petroleum hydrocarbon as gasoline

TRE TRE Altamira

TSS Toxic Sites Surveillance
UCC Urban Creeks Council
UR Undesirable Result

USEPA United States Environmental Protection Agency

USFWS United States Fish and Wildlife Service

USGS United States Geologic Survey
UWMP Urban Water Management Plan

VA Veterans Administration
VBA Visual Basic for Applications

VC vinyl chloride

WBIC weather-based irrigation controller

WMP Well Master Plan

WQO water quality objective

WR Water Rights

WSCP Water Shortage Contingency Plan

WSE Water Supply Evaluation

WWMP Wastewater Management Plan

WY Water Year