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NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT:

PROPOSED APPROVAL OF AN AMENDMENT TO THE WATER QUALITY CONTROL PLAN FOR THE SAN DIEGO REGION (BASIN PLAN) TO INCORPORATE TOTAL MAXIMUM DAILY LOADS FOR INDICATOR BACTERIA IN BABY BEACH IN DANA POINT HARBOR AND SHELTER ISLAND SHORELINE PARK IN SAN DIEGO BAY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) will accept comments on the proposed approval of an amendment to the Basin Plan that will incorporate Total Maximum Daily Loads (TMDLs) for indicator bacteria in Baby Beach (which is in Dana Point Harbor) and Shelter Island Shoreline Park (which is in San Diego Bay). The amendment, the State Water Board agenda language, and draft resolution are available on the State Water Board's Web site at http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/tmdl/tmdl.shtml#rb9 or can be received by mail by contacting Nirmal Sandhar at (916) 341-5571. The amendment was adopted by the San Diego Regional Water Quality Control Board on June 11, 2008 under [Resolution No. R9-2008-0027](#). The State Water Board will send a separate notice of the meeting at which this item will be considered.

Comment letters to the State Water Board must **be received by 12:00 Noon on May 28, 2009**. After the deadline, State Water Board staff will not accept additional written comments unless the State Water Board determines that such comments should be accepted. Please send comments on the proposed State Water Board approval of the amendment to: Jeanine Townsend, Clerk to the Board, by email at (commentletters@waterboards.ca.gov), (916) 341-5620 (fax), or addressed to State Water Resources Control Board, 1001 I Street, Sacramento, CA 95814. Please also indicate in the subject line, "**Comment Letter – Indicator Bacteria TMDL in Baby Beach in Dana Point Harbor and Shelter Island Shoreline Park in San Diego Bay.**"

Please direct questions about this notice to Nirmal Sandhar, Division of Water Quality, at (916) 341-5571 (nsandhar@waterboards.ca.gov) or Steven H. Blum, Senior Staff Counsel at (916) 341-5177 (sblum@waterboards.ca.gov).

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Date

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