



State Water Resources Control Board

NOTICE OF CANCELATION OF HEARING

The State Water Resources Control Board
Administrative Hearings Office
noticed a public hearing to be held on **March 9, 2023**,
on a proposed cease and desist order and
administrative civil liability complaint
against

Farmers Ditch Company.

TO ALL PARTIES:

On September 16, 2022, the Division of Water Rights (Division) Enforcement Section of the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board or Board) issued a draft cease and desist order (Draft CDO) and an administrative civil liability complaint (ACL Complaint) against Farmers Ditch Company (Respondent). On September 30, 2022, the Administrative Hearings Office (AHO) received a request for a hearing on the Draft CDO and ACL Complaint from the Respondent.

The AHO issued a Notice of Public Hearing on December 12, 2022, and an Amended Notice of Public Hearing on December 23, 2022. The Amended Notice of Public Hearing set a hearing date of March 9, 2023, starting at 9:00 a.m.

On February 9, 2023, John Prager, an attorney with the Board's Office of Enforcement, advised the AHO that the Division's Prosecution Team and the Respondent had reached a settlement agreement that addressed the alleged violations in the Draft CDO and ACL Complaint, provided the AHO with a copy of the signed settlement agreement, and requested that the AHO cancel the hearing scheduled in this matter.

Based on the settlement agreement between the Respondent and the Division's Prosecution Team, the AHO cancels the hearing in this matter that was scheduled for March 9, 2023, at 9:00 a.m.

Date: February 14, 2023 _____

/s/ Nicole L. Kuenzi

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Presiding Hearing Officer

Enclosure:
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