

Section 401 Water Quality Certification Public Notice

The Central Coast Water Board is currently reviewing an application for the following project for water quality certification under Section 401 of the Clean Water Act. We encourage public comments on the proposed work, which will be considered in the decision on certification. You may submit written comments on this project to:

Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board  
 895 Aerovista Place, Suite 101  
 San Luis Obispo, CA 93401  
 Attention: 401 Coordinator  
 OR  
 centralcoast@waterboards.ca.gov  
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<b>Project Applicant</b>	County of Santa Barbara, Community Services Dept.- Jill Van Wie
<b>Applicant's Agent</b>	Self-Representing
<b>Project Name</b>	Goleta Beach Revetment Maintenance
<b>Receiving Water</b>	Pacific Ocean
<b>City/County</b>	Unincorporated Goleta/Santa Barbara
<b>Public Notice</b>	October 14, 2016 – November 4, 2016
<b>Project Description</b>	<p>The purpose of this project is to further ongoing maintenance of the Goleta Beach rock revetment, as required under Condition 2.D of the approved Coastal Development Permit.</p> <p>The project activities include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conducting maintenance when 120 linear feet or more of the rock revetment is exposed for six consecutive months;</li> <li>• Covering portions of the existing revetment with beach-compatible sand when it becomes exposed;</li> <li>• Excavating approximately 1,000 cubic yards of beach-compatible sand per event from the beach berm at the mouth of the Goleta Slough;</li> <li>• Excavating a maximum of 10% of the extent of the typical sand berm;</li> <li>• Transporting the excavated sand by heavy equipment, 2,000 to 3,000 feet up the coast and depositing it on any exposed area of the existing rock revetment.</li> </ul> <p>No compensatory mitigation is proposed for this project.</p> <p>The California Coastal Commission filed a Categorical Exemption.</p>