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**TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS (NPDES No. CA0077844)
AND
TENTATIVE RESCISSION OF CEASE AND DESIST ORDER NO. 93-068
FOR
CITY OF PORTOLA
PORTOLA WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT
PLUMAS COUNTY**

TO ALL CONCERNED PERSONS AND AGENCIES:

Enclosed are the modifications to the tentative Waste Discharge Requirements (NPDES No. CA0077844), for the City of Portola Wastewater Treatment Plant drafted after the hearing was continued on 12 June 2006. We have enclosed a strikeout/underline version for your convenience. Also enclosed is a tentative Order to rescind Cease and Desist Order No. 93-068. No changes were made to the Cease and Desist Order. To be given full consideration, any comments or recommendations you may have concerning the proposed modifications to the tentative Order must be submitted in writing to the Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional Water Board) office by 5:00 p.m. on **30 September 2009**. Written materials submitted after 5:00 p.m. on **30 September 2009** will not be accepted and will not be incorporated into the administrative record if doing so would prejudice any party. Please note that the tentative documents will receive internal legal and management review during the public comment period

A Public Hearing has been scheduled for the Regional Water Board to consider adoption of the tentative Orders at its 7, 8, 9 October 2009 Board Meeting. The Notice of Public Hearing and a copy of a Proof of Posting form are also enclosed. **By 1 September 2009** post one (1) copy of the Notice at:

- The nearest city hall or county courthouse
- The post office nearest to the Facility (if allowed)
- At the public offices of the City.

Proof of posting, using the enclosed form, shall be filed with this office by **8 September 2009**.

To conserve resources, this letter transmits a paper copy of the tentative documents to the discharger only. Interested persons are advised that the full text of the tentative documents is available on the Regional Board's web site at http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders/. Copies of these documents can also be obtained by contacting or visiting the Regional Boards Redding office at 415 Knollcrest Drive, Suite 100, Redding, California, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

If you have any questions regarding the proposed Orders, the scheduling of the Public Hearing, or the above requirements please contact Ronald S. Dykstra of my staff at (530) 224-4858, or at the letterhead address.

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Enclosures (4): Notice of Public Hearing
Proof of Posting Form (Discharger Only)
Tentative Orders (Discharger Only)

cc: Mr. Doug Eberhardt, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region IX, San Francisco
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Sacramento
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Sacramento
U.S. National Marine Fisheries Service, Santa Rosa
Department of Water Resources, Central District, Sacramento
Department of Public Health, Environmental Management Branch, Sacramento
Department of Public Health, Office of Drinking Water, Redding
State Office of Historical Preservation, Sacramento
Ms. Lori Okun, State Water Resources Control Board, OCC, Sacramento
Mr. Phil Isorena, State Water Resources Control Board, Sacramento
Ms. Carol Oz, Department of Fish and Game, Region 2, Sacramento
Plumas County Department of Environmental Health, Quincy
Mr. Steve Macaulay, California Urban Water Agencies, Sacramento
Mr. Bill Jennings, California Sportfishing Protection Alliance, Stockton
Mr. Dean Marsh, Sauers Engineering, Nevada City
Central Valley Clean Water Association, Grass Valley