

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
CENTRAL VALLEY REGION

11020 Sun Center Drive, #200, Rancho Cordova, California 95670-6114

PUBLIC HEARING

concerning

REVISED TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
for
POSTCLOSURE MAINTENANCE, MONITORING, AND CORRECTIVE ACTION
A GREENER GLOBE CORPORATION
BERRY STREET MALL (AKA FINGER'S) LANDFILL
CLASS III LANDFILL
PLACER COUNTY

The facility is a 13-acre closed landfill on Galleria Boulevard in the City of Roseville. The landfill operated from 1946 to November 1987, accepting primarily household wastes. In 1993, after longstanding noncompliance by the former owners (Berry Street Mall, Inc. and Estate of William Finger), the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle, formerly California Integrated Waste Management Board) closed (i.e., capped and graded) the landfill under its orphan sites program. The closure included installation of a low permeability clay cover, precipitation and drainage controls, a standby landfill gas collection system, monitoring systems, and other facilities required under title 27, California Code of Regulations. Closure was also intended as a corrective action measure to mitigate potential leachate and landfill gas impacts to groundwater. Discharger A Greener Globe Corporation acquired the facility in foreclosure proceedings in 1996.

One volatile organic compound (VOC), carbon tetrachloride (1.8 µg/L), continues to be detected in groundwater above drinking water standards (i.e., 0.1 µg/L California Public Health goal and 0.5 µg/L California Primary MCL). Low to trace concentrations of other VOCs and moderately elevated concentrations of inorganic salts also continue to be detected in groundwater at the site. Surface drainage is to the Pleasant Grove Creek, tributary to the Sacramento River.

The proposed revised WDRs prescribe requirements for postclosure maintenance, monitoring and corrective action. The monitoring and reporting program requires semiannual or annual groundwater monitoring for most parameters. Further information about the facility and the proposed requirements can be found in the Findings and Information Sheet of the tentative WDRs available on the Regional Water Board's website at:

www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders.

A public hearing concerning this matter will be held during the Regional Water Board meeting, which is scheduled for:

DATE: 8, 9, and 10 June 2011
TIME: 8:30 A.M.
PLACE: Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region
11020 Sun Center Drive #200
Rancho Cordova, CA

The designated parties for this hearing are as follows:

- Staff of the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board
- A Greener Globe Corporation

Interested persons may not cross examine witnesses, and will not be subject to cross examination. Interested persons may submit evidence (e.g., photographs, eye-witness testimony, monitoring data) if the evidence is submitted in accordance with the deadlines for submitting evidence described below. Interested persons who present evidence may be subject to cross-examination. Interested persons may request status as a designated party for purposes of this hearing by submitting such request in writing to the Board no later than **2 May 2011**. The request must explain the basis for status as a designated party and in particular how the person is affected by the discharge.

Revised tentative waste discharge requirements for the facility were issued for public comment on 29 March 2011. Persons wishing to comment on this item must submit testimony, evidence, if any, and/or comments in writing to the Central Valley Water Board no later than by noon on **2 May 2011**. Written materials submitted after noon on the above date will not be accepted and will not be incorporated into the administrative record absent a ruling by the Chair. A party requesting to submit late materials must demonstrate good cause for the late submission, and the Chair must find that the late submission would not prejudice the Central Valley Water Board or any designated party.

All designated parties and interested persons may speak at the Regional Board meeting, and are expected to orally summarize their written submittals. Oral testimony and cross examination will be limited in time by the Board Chair. Both designated parties and interested persons may be asked to respond to clarifying questions from Board members, counsel staff or others, at the discretion of the Board.

Anyone having questions on the proposed revised WDRs for the Berry Street Mall Landfill should contact John Moody at (916) 464-4641. Interested parties may download the proposed Order and related documents from the Regional Water Board's Internet website at www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders.

Copies of these documents can also be obtained by contacting or visiting the Regional Water Board's office at 11020 Sun Center Drive, #200, Rancho Cordova, California 95670-6114 weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

The procedures governing Central Valley Water Board meetings may be found at Title 23, California Code of Regulations, Section 647 et seq. and are available upon request. Hearings before the Board are not conducted pursuant to Government Code section 11500 et seq. The procedures may be obtained by accessing

http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/centralvalley/laws_regulations.

Information on meeting and hearing procedures is also available on the Board's website at

http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_info/meetings/mtgprocd.shtml

or by contacting any one of the Board's offices. Questions regarding such procedures should be directed to Ms. Kiran Lanfranchi-Rizzardi at (916) 464-4839.

The hearing facilities will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Individuals requiring special accommodations are requested to contact Ms. Kiran Lanfranchi-Rizzardi at (916) 464-4839 at least 5 working days prior to the meeting. TTY users may contact the California Relay Service at 1-800-735-2929 or voice line at 1-800-735-2922.

Please bring the above information to the attention of anyone you know who would be interested in this matter.

Original signed by

Frederick S. Moss, Assistant Executive Officer

29 March 2011