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Notice of Public Meeting and Request for Comments on the Public Review Draft TMDL Staff Report and Draft Resolution for Pathogens in Stockton's Urban Waterbodies

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region (Central Valley Water Board) will hold a public meeting to consider the adoption of the proposed Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) for pathogens in Stockton's urban waterbodies. The proposed TMDL will rely upon the City of Stockton's current Pathogen Plan, a component of their Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System permit, to control sources of pathogens. Consequently, no new Board action is required to implement the proposed TMDL.

After hearing testimony, the Central Valley Water Board may choose to vote on the adoption of the proposed TMDL, or may choose to postpone their decision and continue their discussion at their next meeting, tentatively scheduled for 24 or 25 April 2008 in the Rancho Cordova Office. The public meeting is scheduled at the time and location noted below:

DATE:	13 or 14 March 2008
TIME:	To be determined
LOCATION:	Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region 11020 Sun Center Drive, #200 Rancho Cordova, CA 95670-6114

Further information about the date, time, and location will be available approximately two weeks before the meeting at:
http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_meetings/index.html

A draft staff report and a draft of the Regional Water Board resolution are available for public review and comment at:
www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/water_issues/tmdl/central_valley_projects/stockton_urban_do_pathogen/index.html

Copies of these documents may also be obtained by contacting or visiting the Central Valley Water Board's office at 11020 Sun Center Drive, #200, Rancho Cordova, California 95670-6114 on weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Written comments on the Staff Report should be submitted by 11 February 2008. Written comments should be sent to:

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At the meeting, staff will respond to comments and present a final recommendation for Central Valley Water Board consideration. Interested persons will be provided the opportunity to present oral comments at the meeting, and are expected to orally summarize their written submittals. Oral testimony may be limited in time by the Board Chair.

Questions regarding the proposed TMDL must be directed to Amanda Montgomery at amontgomery@waterboards.ca.gov or (916) 464-4716, or Fred Kizito at fkizito@waterboards.ca.gov or (916) 464-4633.

Meeting 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 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.

Kenneth D. Landau, Assistant Executive Officer
2 January 2008