



# California Regional Water Quality Control Board

## Colorado River Basin Region



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To: Interested Persons

### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### 2004 TRIENNIAL REVIEW OF THE BASIN PLAN

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Colorado River Basin Region (Regional Board) is reviewing the Water Quality Control Plan (Basin Plan) pursuant to Section 13240 of the California Water Code, and Section 303(c)(1) of the Federal Clean Water Act. The Basin Plan designates beneficial uses for ground and surface waters in the Colorado River Basin Region, and establishes water quality objectives and implementation plans to protect beneficial uses. The Basin Plan is reviewed for adequacy approximately every three years, hence the term "Triennial Review". The objective of the Review is to reaffirm water quality standards and parts of the Basin Plan that effectively protect water quality, and to identify potential water quality problems that may result in Basin Plan amendments.

Regional Board staff has prepared a draft list of potential water quality problems for the 2004 Triennial Review (see attachment). Staff is soliciting public input, an integral part of the Triennial Review process, for recommendations or revisions to the draft 2004 Triennial Review list. The comment period for the Review will extend from November 17, 2004 to January 3, 2005.

**A Final Draft Triennial Review List and staff report will be prepared at the conclusion of the public comment period (approximately mid-January 2005), and provided to the Regional Board for consideration for adoption at a public hearing conducted during a regularly scheduled Regional Board meeting in early 2005. The time and day of the hearing will be indicated in a "Notice of Public Hearing" as soon as practicable.**

## AVAILABILITY OF DOCUMENTS

To obtain the most current information on the Triennial Review process, please contact us by:

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Triennial Review documents also may be reviewed by appointment at the Regional Board office at the above address.

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Attachment: Draft Triennial Review List

File: BP 2004 Triennial Review