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## Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

February 21, 2014

Mr. Anthony Espinoza  
Office of Environmental Health and Safety  
Los Angeles Unified School District  
333 South Beaudry Avenue, 28<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Los Angeles, CA 90017

**TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS AND REVISED MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM FOR LOS ANGELES ACADEMY MIDDLE SCHOOL, 644 EAST 56<sup>TH</sup> STREET, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA (FILE NO. 13-141, ORDER NO. R4-2014-XXXX, CI-10008, GLOBAL ID WDR100014749)**

Dear Mr. Espinoza:

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Los Angeles Region (Regional Board), is the public agency with primary responsibility for the protection of ground and surface water quality for all beneficial uses within major portions of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties, including the referenced property above.

On November 4, 2013, you filed a Report of Waste Discharge (RoWD) for waste discharge requirements (WDRs) for the injection of non-pathogenic chlorinated-ethene degrading microbial consortium containing Dehalococcoides ethenogenes cultures, to bioremediate chlorinated volatile organic compounds (VOCs) in shallow groundwater. We have completed our review of your application. Pursuant to the California Water Code, tentative WDRs and a revised monitoring and reporting program have been prepared.

Enclosed are copies of the Tentative WDRs consisting of:

- a. Tentative Regional Board Order No. R4-2014-XXXX specifying WDRs,
- b. Tentative Revised Monitoring and Reporting Program No. CI-10008; and
- c. Tentative Standard Provisions Applicable to WDRs.

The documents are also available at the Regional Water Board's website:

[http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board\\_decisions/tentative\\_orders/](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board_decisions/tentative_orders/)

In accordance with administrative procedures, the Regional Board will consider the enclosed tentative WDRs and comments therein at a public hearing to be held at 9:00 AM on April 10, 2014, at the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California, 700 North Alameda Street, Los Angeles, California. The Regional Board will hear any testimony pertinent to this discharge and the tentative requirements. It is expected that the Regional Board will take action at the hearing; however, as testimony indicates, the Regional Board at its discretion may order further investigation.

In order to be evaluated by the Regional Board staff and included in the Regional Board's agenda packet, written comments or testimony regarding these tentative WDRs must be received at the Regional Board's office by 4:00 p.m. on March 24, 2014. Failure to comply with these requirements is grounds for the Regional Board to refuse to admit the proposed written comment or exhibit into evidence. Timely submittal of written comments is encouraged to ensure that all comments are accurately and fully included in the administrative record, that Regional Board staff is able to provide timely review, and that Regional Board Members have sufficient time to give full consideration to the comments and issues raised. Comments received after the requested date may result in delay in consideration of your application.

Tentative Standard Provisions applicable to WDRs, which are part of these tentative requirements, are enclosed for the addressee only. However, these are on file in our office, and a copy will be sent to interested parties upon request.

The agenda for the meeting will be posted on the Regional Water Board's website ([http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board\\_info/agenda/index.shtml](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board_info/agenda/index.shtml)) approximately one week prior to the meeting.

If you have any additional questions, please contact the Project Manager, Mr. David Koo at (213) 620-6155 or via email at [dkoo@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:dkoo@waterboards.ca.gov), or me at (213) 576-6683 or via email at [ewu@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:ewu@waterboards.ca.gov).

Sincerely,

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Eric Wu, Ph.D., P.E.  
Chief of Groundwater Permitting Unit

Enclosures: Tentative WDRs Order No. R4-2014-XXXX  
Tentative Revised Monitoring and Reporting Program No. CI-10008  
Tentative Standard Provisions Applicable to WDRs

