



## Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

January 22, 2016

Mr. Devin Beavers Vulcan Materials Company 500 North Brand Boulevard Los Angeles, CA 91203

TENTATIVE ORDER TO TERMINATE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR VULCAN MATERIALS COMPANY (CALMAT COMPANY), SATICOY FACILITY, 6029 VINEYARD AVENUE, OXNARD, CALIFORNIA (ORDER NO. 88-130, FILE NO. 66-049, CI No. 5135, GLOBAL ID WDR100000183)

Dear Mr. Beavers:

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 of water within major portions of Los Angeles and Ventura Counties, including the facility mentioned above.

On November 28, 1988, this Regional Board adopted Waste Discharge Requirements Order No. 88-130 (WDRs), and the associated Monitoring and Reporting Program, CI No. 5135 for Vulcan Materials Company (dba CalMat Company, Discharger) to discharge up to 1 million gallons per day of wastes consisting of wastewater from sand and gravel wash-down, wastewater draining from a truck wet-down facility, and runoff from dust control spraying into two percolation ponds at Saticoy Facility located at 6029 Vineyard Avenue, Oxnard, California.

Because the rock plant has ceased its operation and discharge to the settling basin, the Regional Board finds that WDRs Order No. 88-130 is no longer necessary and shall be terminated, except for purposes of enforcement.

In accordance with administrative procedures, this Regional Board, at a public meeting, will consider the enclosed tentative Order, which will terminate WDR Order No. 88-130. The meeting will be held at 9:00 a.m. on March 10, 2016, at the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California, 700 North Alameda Street, Los Angeles, California.

In order to be fully evaluated by Regional Board staff and included in the Board's agenda packet, written comments must be received at the Regional Board office by 5:00 p.m. on February 22, 2016. Failure to comply with these requirements is grounds for the 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 Board staff is able to provide a timely review, and that Regional Board Members have sufficient time to give full consideration to the comments and issues raised.

If you have any questions, please contact the Project Manager, Ms. Mercedes Merino at (213) 620-6156 (Mercedes.Merino@waterboards.ca.gov), or the Chief of Groundwater Permitting Unit, Dr. Eric Wu at (213) 576-6683 (Eric.Wu@waterboards.ca.gov).

Sincerely,

Eric Wu, Ph.D., P.E.

Chief of Groundwater Permitting Unit

Enclosures: Tentative Order No. R4-2016-XXXX, Terminating Waste Discharge Requirements

cc (via email): Mr. Charles Genkel, Environmental Health Division, County of Ventura

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## ORDER NO. R4-2016-XXXX

TERMINATION OF WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR DISCHARGES TO LAND/GROUNDWATER (Vulcan Materials Company - Saticoy Facility) File No. 88-130

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Los Angeles Region (Regional Board) finds:

- 1. On November 28, 1988, this Regional Board adopted Waste Discharge Requirements Order No. 88-130 (WDRs) and a Monitoring and Reporting Program (MRP), CI No. 5135 for Vulcan Materials Company (dba CalMat Company, Discharger) to discharge up to 1 million gallons per day of wastes consisting of wastewater from sand and gravel washdown, wastewater draining from a truck wet-down facility, and runoff from dust control spraying into two percolation ponds at its Facility located at 6029 Vineyard Avenue, Oxnard, California.
- 2. From 1966 to 2005, the Discharger pumped water from on-site wells to wash sand and gravel mined on-site. Effluent from this process was subsequently discharged into a settling basin. Since June 2005, the rock plant is no longer present and discharges to the settling basin no longer occur.
- 3. The Discharger has been in substantial compliance with the MRP during the term of the WDRs, except for late report submittals.
- Because the rock plant operations has ceased, the Regional Board finds that WDRs Order No. 88-130 is no longer necessary and shall be terminated, except for purposes of enforcement. Therefore, a tentative order has been prepared to terminate WDRs Order No. 88-130.
- The termination of WDRs Order No. 88-130 is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act because the termination of WDRs and the discharge authorized by the WDRs does not have the potential for causing a significant impact on the environment. See Title 14, Cal. Code Regs. § 15061(b)(3).

The Regional Board has notified the Discharger and interested agencies and persons of its intent to consider termination of WDRs Order No. 88-130, and has provided them with an opportunity to submit comments. The Regional Board, in a public hearing, heard and considered all comments and testimony pertinent to the Order.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Order No. 88-130 is terminated, except for enforcement purposes.

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Vulcan Materials Company Saticoy Facility Order No. R4-2016-XXXX

The Executive Officer of this Regional Board is authorized, and is hereby directed, to certify and submit copies of this Order to the Discharger, and to such individuals and governmental agencies that request it.

I, Samuel Unger, Executive Officer, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an Order adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Los Angeles Region on March 10, 2016.

Samuel Unger, P.E. Executive Officer TENTATIVE