

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
NORTH COAST REGION

NOTICE OF PROPOSED SETTLEMENT ORDER NO. R1-2015-0010
WITH THE CITY OF FORT BRAGG
WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITIES

FOR VIOLATIONS ALLEGED IN
COMPLAINT NO. R1-2014-0035

WRITTEN COMMENTS ARE DUE NO LATER THAN
5:00 P.M., on AUGUST 3, 2015

On August 13, 2015, the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, North Coast Region (Regional Board) will consider approval of a Settlement Agreement and Stipulation for Entry of Administrative Civil Liability Order No. R1-2015-0010 ("Stipulation") that describes a proposed settlement with the City of Fort Bragg Wastewater Treatment Facilities (Discharger) to resolve violations subject to administrative civil liability alleged in Complaint No. R1-2014-0035. The Complaint proposed that the Regional Water Board assess a mandatory minimum penalty in the amount of \$63,000 for discharges exceeding effluent limitations. Those discharges are violations of Waste Discharge Requirements Order No. R1-2009-0030 (NPDES Permit No. CA0023078). Both the proposed Order and related documents are available at:

http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/northcoast/board_decisions/tentative_orders/

Persons may comment on the proposed settlement by submitting written comments so that they are received no later than 5:00 p.m. on August 3, 2015. Comments can be submitted by email to Cecile Morris at Cecile.Morris@waterboards.ca.gov. Written comments should include "ACL Complaint No. R1-2014-0035" in the subject line. In the event that comments received during the public comment period warrant a hearing before the Regional Water Board, said hearing will be duly noticed on the Regional Water Board's website for a subsequent Board meeting. In absence of substantive comments warranting a hearing, the Stipulated Order is expected to be signed by the Executive Officer and become a final Order. Please check the Regional Water Board's website for any updates on this matter.

Shin-Roei Lee
Assistant Executive Officer

July 1, 2015

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