
Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

May 14, 2015

Mr. Greg Nyhoff
City Manager
City of Oxnard
300 West Third Street
Oxnard, CA 93030

TENTATIVE AMENDMENT TO WATER RECYCLING REQUIREMENTS AND WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS (ORDER NO. R4-2011-0079) AND MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM (ORDER NO. R4-2008-0083), CITY OF OXNARD GROUNDWATER RECOVERY ENHANCEMENT AND TREATMENT PROGRAM NON POTABLE REUSE PHASE I PROGRAM (FILE NO. 08-070, CI-9456)

Dear Mr. Nyhoff:

As discussed in the April 30th meeting with the City of Oxnard, Assemblymember Jacqui Irwin and her staff, Pleasant Valley farmers, the Pleasant Valley County Water District, the Calleguas Water District, Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional Board) staff and other stakeholders in the Calleguas Creek watershed, the Regional Board staff has prepared tentative amendments to the Water Recycling Requirements and Waste Discharge Requirements (WRR/WDR) (Order No. R4-2011-0079) and the Monitoring and Reporting Program (MRP) (Order No. R4-2008-0083) for the Groundwater Enhancement and Treatment Program – Nonpotable Reuse Phase I Project. The purpose of these amended orders is to allow the temporary use of the Calleguas Municipal Water District Salinity Management Pipeline (SMP) to transport treated recycled water from the City of Oxnard's Advanced Water Purification Facility to the irrigation network of the Pleasant Valley County Water District.

Pursuant to the California Water Code, tentative amendments to waste discharge and water recycling requirements and the monitoring and reporting program have been prepared.

Enclosed are copies of the following:

1. Tentative Requirements consisting of:
 - a. Board Order;
 - b. Standard Provisions
 - c. Monitoring and Reporting Program

In accordance with administrative procedures, this Board at a public hearing to be held on **July 9, 2015, at 9:00 a.m.**, at the **Metropolitan Water District of Southern California Board Room, 700 North Alameda Street, Los Angeles, California**, will consider the enclosed tentative requirements and comments submitted in writing regarding any and all portions thereof. The Board will hear any testimony pertinent to this discharge and the tentative requirements. It is expected that the Board will take action at the hearing; however, as testimony indicates, the Board, at its discretion, may order further action by staff. The agenda for the meeting will be

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posted on the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board's website (http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board_info/agenda/index.shtml) approximately one week prior to the meeting.

Written comments regarding this tentative Order must be received at the Regional Water Board office by **12 p.m. (noon) on June 15, 2015**, in order to be evaluated by Board staff and included in the Board's agenda folder. Comments received after that date will not be considered, absent extraordinary circumstances. Timely submittal of written comments is required to ensure that all comments are accurately and fully included in the administrative record, that 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.

If you have any questions, please contact Elizabeth Erickson at (213) 576-6665 or the undersigned at (213) 620 2083.

Sincerely,



Cris Morris, P.E., Chief
Municipal Permitting Unit (NPDES)

Enclosures

cc: (See Mailing List)

Mailing List

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Robert Kwong, Pleasant Valley County Water District
Robert Krimmer, Pleasant Valley County Water District
John Matthews, Pleasant Valley County Water District
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California State Parks and Recreation
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Ventura County Planning Commission
Ventura County Department of Environmental Health
Ventura County Department of Public Health
Ventura County Department of Public Works, Flood Control and Drainage
Ventura Regional Sanitation District
Ventura Coast Keeper
Wishtoyo Foundation
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Environment Now
Los Angeles Waterkeeper
Natural Resources Defense Council
Southern California Coastal Water Research Project