

California Regional Water Quality Control Board
San Francisco Bay Region
1515 Clay Street, Suite 1400, Oakland, CA 94612

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION, OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT, AND PUBLIC HEARING
FOR
DISCHARGE PERMIT
AND
RESCISSION OF CEASE AND DESIST ORDER**

**Las Gallinas Valley Sanitary District
Las Gallinas Valley Sanitary District Sewage Treatment Plant and Wastewater Collection System
300 Smith Ranch Road, San Rafael, Marin County**

The above discharger has filed an application for permit reissuance under the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System. Board staff has prepared a draft permit in accordance with the Clean Water Act and Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act. The draft permit would also rescind a cease and desist order that is no longer necessary because completed tasks would assure future compliance.

The discharger owns a wastewater treatment plant and collection system serving about 30,000 people in northern San Rafael and unincorporated portions of Marin County. The plant has a dry weather capacity of 2.92 million gallons per day and discharges to Miller Creek, which flows to San Pablo Bay.

The deadline for receipt of comment on the draft permit is 5:00 p.m. on March 9, 2015. Comments must be sent to the **attention of Marcia Liao**. Persons wishing to file written comments on any aspect of this matter must do so no later than this deadline so that such comments may be considered.

The Board will consider adopting the draft permit during a meeting to commence at **9:00 a.m. on May 13, 2015**, in the Auditorium of 1515 Clay Street in Oakland. Interested persons are invited to express their views at this hearing.

Pursuant to California Code of Regulations Title 23 section 2050(c), any party who challenges the Board's action through a petition to the State Water Resources Control Board under Water Code section 13320 will be limited to raising only those substantive issues that were raised before the Board at the hearing or in timely submitted correspondence.

All documents related to the draft permit may be inspected at the Board office. The draft permit and developments on this matter are available at www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay. Board staff responses to comments will be posted on that website a week prior to the hearing. Contact **Marcia Liao** at **(510) 622-2337** or mliao@waterboards.ca.gov, if you have questions.