

Water Quality Certification and Wetlands Program Telephone and Address Directory

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Cover photo: Gem Lakes along the Little Lakes Valley Trail in the eastern Sierra (just inside the Lahontan Regional Water Board) taken by Brendan Reed on October 19, 2018.

Map of the Nine Regional Water Board Boundaries



An interactive <u>map showing regional water board jurisdictional boundaries</u> is available on the Water Board's website (https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterboards_map.html).

State Water Resources Control Board

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Additional information is available on the <u>Division of Water Rights Water Quality Certification</u>
<u>Program page</u>

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Central Coast Region (3) includes the following counties: Santa Cruz, San Benito, Monterey, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, and portions of San Mateo, Santa Clara, and Ventura.li

Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board (4)

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Lahontan Regional Water Quality Control Board (6)

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Colorado River Basin Regional Water Quality Control Board (7)

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