



State Water Resources Control Board

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR TEMPORARY CHANGE INVOLVING THE TRANSFER OF UP TO 25,000 ACRE-FEET OF WATER FROM YUBA COUNTY WATER AGENCY TO CONTRA COSTA WATER DISTRICT UNDER PERMIT 15026 (APPLICATION 5632)

On February 4, 2022, Yuba County Water Agency (YCWA), filed a petition with the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board), Division of Water Rights, for temporary change to transfer up to 25,000 acre-feet (af) of water pursuant to California Water Code section 1725 et seq. Water made available under the Yuba River Accord (Yuba Accord) will be delivered to the Contra Costa Water District (CCWD). Of the up to 25,000 af transfer amount, 10,000 af will be transferred during the 2022 summer transfer window of July 1 through November 30.

The proposed transfer would include the following changes to YCWA's Permit 15026: (1) add CCWD's Rock Slough Intake, Old River Intake, and Middle River Intake as points of rediversion.

YCWA requests the temporary change be effective through December 31, 2022. Temporary changes involving the transfer of water may be in effect for one year from the date of approval.

A link to the petition submittal for the temporary changes listed above is available on the State Water Board's website at: <u>2022 Notices</u>.

Pursuant to California Water Code section 1726(f), any interested person may file a comment regarding the petition. The 30-day comment period per Water Code section 1726(f) has been reduced to 15 days per the Governor's Proclamation of a State of Emergency in the Klamath River, Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta, and Tulare Lake watershed Counties due to drought (Drought Proclamation) dated May 10, 2021. This Drought Proclamation will help expedite processing of water transfers. Comments filed in response to this notice must be received by the Division of Water Rights by 4:30 p.m. on March 1, 2022. A copy must be provided to YCWA at the address below.

Send comments to both:

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For additional information regarding this matter, please contact Patricia Fernandez by email at patricia.fernandez@waterboards.ca.gov.

Date of Notice: February 14, 2022