



State Water Resources Control Board

NOTICE OF CANCELLATION OF SUPPLEMENTAL PUBLIC HEARING

The State Water Resources Control Board hereby cancels the Supplemental Public Hearing to be held pursuant to Order WR 2012-0012, and for Order WR 2011-0005, which issued a Cease and Desist Order (CDO)

Against

Woods Irrigation Company

Middle River in San Joaquin County

The Public Supplemental Hearing was originally scheduled to commence on June 8, 2015 and continue, if necessary, on June 9, 10, 11, 2015 at 9:00 a.m.

> in the Coastal Hearing Room Joe Serna, Jr. CalEPA Building 1001 I Street, Second Floor Sacramento, CA

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE

On November 10, 2014, the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) issued the Notice of Supplemental Public Hearing and Pre-Hearing Conference, pursuant to State Water Board Order WR 2012-0012. The purpose of the supplemental hearing was to provide the Woods Irrigation Company (Woods) customers an opportunity to supplement the evidentiary record with evidence of water rights held by the Woods' customers. The additional evidence would then be used for considering whether to adopt an order revising Order WR 2011-0005. On April 17, 2015, the State Water Board received a request from the hearing parties to take the scheduled June 8-11, 2015 supplemental hearing off-calendar and stay the proceedings due to an anticipated settlement. On April 22, 2015, the State Water Board issued the Notice of Postponement of Public Hearing.

The Settling Parties: State Water Board Division of Water Rights Prosecution Team, Woods, Landowners who receive water from Woods, South Delta Water Agency, State Water Contractors, and San Luis and Delta Mendota Water Authority reached a settlement agreement titled: "Agreement to Encourage Collaboration and Improve Water Management". On

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February 8, 2016, the State Water Board's Executive Director issued Water Right Order WR 2016-0006-EXEC approving the settlement agreement. Accordingly, the postponed supplemental public hearing is not required to be held on this matter, and the previously postponed hearing is cancelled.

For more information, please visit the following website: http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water_issues/programs/hearings/woods_irrigation/index.shtml

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS

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March 22, 2016

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