

**CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
SAN DIEGO REGION**

NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORKSHOPS

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region (San Diego Water Board) will hold two public workshops on the renewal of Order No. R9-2019-0005, *Conditional Waivers of Waste Discharge Requirements for Low Threat Discharges in the San Diego Region* (Conditional Waivers). California Water Code section 13269(a)(1) provides the San Diego Water Board with the authority to waive waste discharge requirements for specific types of waste discharge, which are a low threat to surface waters and groundwaters throughout the San Diego Region.

The purpose of the public workshop is for the San Diego Water Board to discuss proposed changes to the Conditional Waivers and receive informal comments from stakeholders and interested members of the public. The San Diego Water Board will consider the comments and information received during the public workshops while considering revisions to the Conditional Waivers. The San Diego Water Board anticipates releasing the revised Conditional Waivers for formal public review and comment in the spring of 2024.

Public Workshops Schedule and Locations

The San Diego Water Board will conduct the public workshops at the following times and locations:

Date	Time	Location
October 26, 2023	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	San Diego Water Board Meeting Room 2375 Northside Drive, Suite 108 San Diego, California 92108
October 26, 2023	2:00 PM – 5:00 PM	Zoom meeting information below

Zoom Meeting Information:

Stakeholders and members of the public interested in attending the afternoon workshop must register using the following link. Zoom will provide registered individuals a link to join the workshop via a confirmation email.

https://waterboards.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_zY2u6cD8QDKYPYJlqeuTKQ

Public Workshop Procedure

San Diego Water Board staff will present proposed changes to the Conditional Waivers during the workshops to facilitate an open dialog with stakeholders and members of the public. Staff will take notes on the verbal comments received during the workshops. Workshop participants may also submit written comments to the San Diego Water Board after the workshops by email at r9_conditional_waivers@waterboards.ca.gov or by mail to:

San Diego Regional Water Quality Control Board
Attn: Conditional Waivers Renewal
2375 Northside Drive, Suite 100

San Diego, CA 92108-2700

Document Availability

The Conditional Waivers is available on the San Diego Water Board website at: https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sandiego/board_decisions/adopted_orders/2019/R9-2019-0005.pdf

Interested persons may also receive copies of the Conditional Waivers by contacting Dr. Mahsa Izadmehr by phone at (619) 521-8048 or email at Mahsa.Izadmehr@waterboards.ca.gov or Brandon Bushnell by phone at (619) 521-8044 or email at Brandon.Bushnell@waterboards.ca.gov, or by otherwise addressing written requests to:

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Accessibility

Individuals who have special accommodation needs or require interpreter services, should contact Dr. Mahsa Izadmehr by phone at (619) 521-8048 or email at Mahsa.Izadmehr@waterboards.ca.gov or Brandon Bushnell by phone at (619) 521-8044 or email at Brandon.Bushnell@waterboards.ca.gov at least 10 business prior to the workshop.

Electronic Mailing List

The San Diego Water Board has established an electronic mail list specifically for its Conditional Waivers Program. The San Diego Water Board uses the email list to notify interested persons of upcoming important events and the availability of online documents. Persons interested in receiving future notices and information on this specific project can subscribe to the electronic mail list titled “Conditional Waivers” located under “Special Topics” at the following link: https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/CAWRCB/subscriber/new?qsp=san_diego

Contact for Further Information

Please contact Dr. Mahsa Izadmehr by phone at (619) 521-8048 or email at Mahsa.Izadmehr@waterboards.ca.gov or Brandon Bushnell by phone at (619) 521-8044 or email at Brandon.Bushnell@waterboards.ca.gov for additional information regarding the workshop or the renewal of the Conditional Waivers. Please share this information with any person who would be interested in this matter.

Date of Notice: September 12, 2023