
Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT

concerning

**PROPOSED LOCAL AGENCY MANAGEMENT PROGRAM
FOR
ONSITE WASTEWATER TREATMENT SYSTEMS
IN
SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Coast Water Board) is accepting comments on a proposed San Luis Obispo County Local Agency Management Program (LAMP), for the permitting of onsite wastewater treatment systems. You may download the proposed LAMP from the San Luis Obispo County Building and Planning Department website at:

[https://www.slocounty.ca.gov/Departments/Planning-Building/Building/Building-Forms-Documents/Onsite-Wastewater-Treatment-Systems-\(Septic-System/County-of-San-Luis-Obispo_LAMP_2020.aspx](https://www.slocounty.ca.gov/Departments/Planning-Building/Building/Building-Forms-Documents/Onsite-Wastewater-Treatment-Systems-(Septic-System/County-of-San-Luis-Obispo_LAMP_2020.aspx)

The San Luis Obispo County Planning and Building Department issues permits for onsite wastewater treatment systems located in non-sewered, unincorporated areas within San Luis Obispo County. Discharges from these systems have previously been regulated by the Planning and Building Department according to County ordinances and the Central Coast Water Boards Basin Plan requirements. The proposed LAMP complies with requirements specified in the Water Quality Control Policy for Siting, Design, Operation and Maintenance of Onsite Wastewater Treatment Systems (OWTS Policy) adopted by the State Water Resources Control Board on June 19, 2012, and linked below.

https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/owts/docs/owts_policy.pdf

A public hearing to consider adoption of the proposed LAMP will be held during the Central Coast Water Board meeting scheduled for

September 24-25, 2020
at a location to be determined

The final meeting agenda and Staff Report will be available at least 10 days before the Board meeting, at:

https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralcoast/board_info/agendas/2020/2020_agendas.html

The agenda will provide the specific date this item will be considered during the Board meeting, indicate the anticipated order of all agenda items, and may include staff revisions to the proposed order(s).

SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS. Persons interested in providing written comments on the proposed LAMP are encouraged to submit comments by electronic mail. Comment letters must be received by **5:00 p.m. on July 3, 2020**. Comment letters received after that deadline will not be accepted and will not be included in the administrative record absent a ruling by the Central Coast Water Board Chair. Any person requesting to submit late comments must demonstrate good cause for the late submission and the Chair must find that accepting the late submission will not prejudice the Central Coast Water Board. All interested persons and the San Luis Obispo County Planning and Building Department may speak at the public meeting and are expected to orally summarize their written submittals. Oral comments will be limited in time by the Chair.

Written comments are to be sent to RB3-WDR@Waterboards.ca.gov, with a Cc: to Jon Rokke, Water Resource Control Engineer, by email (must be no more than 15 megabytes) jon.rokke@waterboards.ca.gov or by mail to:

Jon Rokke, Water Resource Control Engineer
Central Coast Water Board
895 Aerovista Place, Suite 101
San Luis Obispo, CA 93401

Please also indicate in the subject line **“Comment Letter – SLO County LAMP”**

Please direct any questions about this notice to Jon Rokke, Water Resource Control Engineer at the Central Coast Water Board, at (805) 549-3892 or by email at jon.rokke@waterboards.ca.gov.

FUTURE NOTICES

The Central Coast Water Board will hold the public meeting at the time and place noted above. Any change in the date, time, and place of the Board Meeting will be noticed through the e-mail distribution list and posted on the Water Board’s website. Any person desiring to receive future notices concerning changes to the notice of public meeting and consideration of adoption, must sign up for the e-mail distribution list. To sign up for the e-mail distribution email list, access the Region 3 E-mail Subscription form, select the box for ‘Board Meeting Agenda’, and provide the required information. The subscription form is located at:

https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/resources/email_subscriptions/reg3_subscribe.html

Please bring the above information to the attention of anyone you know who would be interested in this matter.