

**CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
CENTRAL COAST REGION**

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**PUBLIC NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR APPROVAL - NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR
APPROVAL FOR PROPOSED PRETREATMENT PROGRAM
NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM
ORDER NO. R3-2021-0001, NPDES NO. CA0047953
FOR THE
PASO ROBLES WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT (SAN LUIS OBISPO
COUNTY) WITH DISCHARGE TO THE SALINAS RIVER AND HUERHUERO CREEK**

December 20, 2022

The City of Paso Robles submitted a proposed pretreatment program for the Paso Robles Wastewater Treatment Plant (Paso Robles WWTP) to the Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Coast Water Board) on October 30, 2018. Following the Central Coast Water Board's review and comments, the City of Paso Robles submitted revised pretreatment program documents on October 27, 2021. The purpose of the pretreatment program is to implement national pretreatment standards to control pollutants that pass through or interfere with processes at publicly owned treatment works or that may contaminate sewage sludge. The Central Coast Water Board has determined that the submittal complies with section 403.9(b) of the Code of Federal Regulations (40 CFR § 403.9(b)) and 40 CFR § 403.8(f)). The Central Coast Water Board is proposing to approve the City of Paso Robles's proposed pretreatment program if no comments are received and no public hearing is requested.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Notice is hereby given that the Central Coast Regional Water Board has received a request for approval of a pretreatment program. A copy of the proposed pretreatment program and associated documents can be found on the Central Coast Water Board's public notices webpage at:

https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralcoast/public_notices/public_notices.html

Pursuant to Code of Federal Regulations, title 40, section 403.11(b), persons wishing to submit their written views on the proposed pretreatment program may submit them in writing to the Central Coast Water Board at 895 Aerovista Place, Suite 101, San Luis Obispo, CA 93401 or by email to leah.lemoine@waterboards.ca.gov, no later than 30 days after the date of this notification. All comments received prior to or on January 20, 2023, will be considered by the Central Coast Water Board in the formulation of the final determination to approve or deny the City of Paso Robles's request for approval of its pretreatment program. Any request for a public hearing shall indicate the interest of the person filing such request and the reasons why a hearing is warranted. If there is

significant public interest in the proposed pretreatment program, a public hearing will be held by the Central Coast Water Board. If no substantive comments or request for a hearing are received prior to or on January 20, 2023, the Central Coast Water Board will approve the City of Paso Robles's proposed Pretreatment Program without change.

The proposed pretreatment program, related documents, and all comments received may be inspected and copied by the public. Due to state guidelines on COVID-19, please submit any requests to review documents electronically to **Leah Lemoine at leah.lemoine@waterboards.ca.gov or by phone at (805) 549-3159**. Please bring the foregoing to the attention of any persons known to you who would be interested in this matter.

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