

## Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

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**ORDER AMENDING CLEAN WATER ACT SECTION 401 TECHNICALLY  
CONDITIONED WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION; UNITED STATES ARMY  
CORPS OF ENGINEERS, AMERICAN RIVER WATERSHED COMMON FEATURES  
2016 PROJECT, SACRAMENTO RIVER EROSION CONTRACT 2 PROJECT  
(WDID#5A34CR00819-006A2), SACRAMENTO COUNTY**

This Order responds to the 1 July 2025 request for an amendment of the American River Watershed Common Features (ARCF) 2016 Sacramento River Erosion Contract 2 Project (Project) Section 401 Water Quality Certification (WDID#5A34CR00819-006). The original Water Quality Certification (Certification) was issued on 16 December 2022 and amended on 6 January 2023. The requested amendment is hereby approved. The original Certification is therefore amended as described below. Please attach this document to the original Certification.

**AMENDMENT:**

The United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) is requesting a time extension through 12 July 2026. Additionally, for USACE contracting and administrative purposes, this Project may be referred to as the Sacramento River Erosion Contract 5 (SREC5) on future documentation submitted to the Water Board. The Water Board will retain this Project name as the Sacramento River Erosion Contract 2 Project.

The Certification is amended as shown below:

**PROJECT SCHEDULE:**

Through 12 July 2026

**APPLICATION FEE RECEIVED:**

No fee was required for this amendment. Federal dischargers involved in Dredge and Fill Operations only are not subject to permit fees as required by Section 3833(b)(3)(A) and Section 2200(a)(3) of the California Code of Regulations.

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**WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION:**

I hereby issue an Order amending the existing Clean Water Act, Section 401 Technically Conditioned Water Quality Certification for the ARCF 2016 Sacramento River Erosion Contract 2 Project (WDID#5A34CR00819-006A2). All other conditions and provisions of the original Water Quality Certification and any previously approved amendments remain in full force and effect, except as modified based on the conditions of this Order. Failure to comply with the terms and conditions of the original Water Quality Certification, previously approved amendments, or of this Order may result in suspension or revocation of the Water Quality Certification.

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