27 February 2008

TO: See Attached List

NOTICE

TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
(NPDES NO. CA0081759)
FOR
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR, NATIONAL PARK SERVICE, YOSEMITE
NATIONAL PARK
EL PORTAL WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY
MARIPOSA COUNTY

TO ALL CONCERNED PERSONS AND AGENCIES:

Enclosed are the tentative Waste Discharge Requirements (TWDRs) for the El Portal Wastewater Treatment Facility. Persons wishing to comment on the TWDRs shall submit their evidence, testimony, and/or comments in writing to this office no later than by noon on 7 April 2008. Written materials shall be addressed to the attention of or emailed to Debra Bates (dbates@waterboards.ca.gov), and if emailed, a printed and signed copy must be mailed and postmarked by the final date. Written materials received after noon on 7 April 2008 will not be accepted and will not be incorporated into the administrative record if doing so would prejudice any party.

To conserve resources, paper copies of the TWDRs are being sent to the Discharger only. The TWDRs and any additional information are available electronically on the Regional Water Board’s web site at: www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders/. The Central Valley Water Board’s website had changed to a new format. Even though the content has not changed, some links may have changed due to this process. If you are unable to find the information that you need, or if you have questions or would like to request paper copies of the TWDRs, please contact Debra Bates at (559) 445-6281. Thank you for your patience during this transition.

The Regional Water Board has not reviewed or made any decision concerning the TWDRs, which may still be revised following the comment period. Revised documents along with comments and the staff responses will be posted on the above web site and placed in the
meeting agenda. The Regional Water Board will consider these and any appropriate oral testimony at the close of the scheduled public hearing. The Regional Water Board may elect to adopt WDRs that differ from the recommended TWDRs and may do so without another public comment period if determined to be consistent with applicable laws and regulations.

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Enclosure: TWDRs (Discharger only)
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