

**11 AUGUST 2022 BOARD MEETING
UNCONTESTED AGENDA ITEM**

AGENDA ITEM: 12

SUBJECT:

Rescinding Waste Discharge Requirements Orders

BOARD ACTION:

Adopt the Orders.

BOARD MEETING LOCATION:

Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board Meeting
11020 Sun Center Drive, Suite 200
Rancho Cordova, CA 95670

AND VIA VIDEO AND TELECONFERENCE

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

ORDER R5-2022-XXXX

RESCINDING WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region (Central Valley Water Board), finds that the Central Valley Water Board adopted the following Orders which are no longer applicable for the reasons shown:

**A. CITY OF AUBURN WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT, PLACER COUNTY,
ORDER R5-2016-0038 (NPDES PERMIT CA0077712)**

Waste Discharge Requirements Order R5-2016-0038 (NPDES Permit CA0077712) adopted on 23 June 2016 prescribed requirements for the City of Auburn Wastewater Treatment Plant in Placer County. Order R5-2016-0038 authorized discharge of disinfected, tertiary treated wastewater from the City of Auburn Wastewater Treatment Plant to Auburn Ravine. On 28 January 2021, the City of Auburn submitted a Report of Waste Discharge in accordance with its existing individual National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit. Based on the Report of Waste Discharge and subsequent information submitted by the Discharger, staff determined that the Facility is eligible for coverage under the *General Order R5-2017-0085-01 for Municipal Wastewater Dischargers That Meet Objectives/Criteria at the Point of Discharge to Surface Water* (Municipal General Order). A Notice of Applicability (R5-2017-0085-021) was issued by the Central Valley Water Board's Executive Officer with an effective date of **1 July 2022**. Since regulatory coverage for the discharge of treated wastewater to surface water will be provided under the Municipal General Order, Order R5-2016-0038 is no longer necessary. Therefore, it is appropriate to rescind Order R5-2016-0038.

**B. CITY OF MODESTO, WATER QUALITY CONTROL FACILITY, STANISLAUS
COUNTY, ORDER R5-2017-0064 (NPDES PERMIT CA0079103)**

Waste Discharge Requirements Order R5-2017-0064 (NPDES Permit CA0079103) adopted on 9 June 2017 prescribed requirements for the City of Modesto Water Quality Control Facility in Stanislaus County. Order R5-2017-0064 authorized discharge of disinfected, tertiary treated wastewater from the City of Modesto Water Quality Control Facility to the San Joaquin River. On 17 September 2020, the City Modesto submitted a Notice of Intent requesting coverage under *General Order R5-2017-0085-02 for Municipal Wastewater Dischargers That Meet Objectives/Criteria at the Point of Discharge to Surface Water* (Municipal General Order). Based on the information in the Notice of Intent the discharge meets all the required conditions for coverage under the Municipal General Order and a Notice of Applicability (R5-2017-0085-020) was issued by the Central Valley Water Board's Executive Officer with an effective date of **1 August 2022**. Since regulatory coverage for the discharge of treated wastewater to surface water will be provided under the Municipal General Order, Order R5-2017-0064 is no longer necessary. Therefore, it is appropriate to rescind Order R5-2017-0064.

C. MARKLEY COVE RESORT INC, UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF RECLAMATION, MARKLEY COVE RESORT, NAPA COUNTY, ORDER 98-084

Waste Discharge Requirements Order 98-084, adopted on 17 April 1998 prescribes requirements for the treatment and disposal of wastewater at the Markley Cove Resort in Napa County. Fx10 International, Inc dba Markley Cove Resort Inc, owner and operator of Markley Cover Resort submitted a Report of Waste Discharge seeking coverage under the Statewide General Order 2014-0153-DWQ for Small Domestic Wastewater Treatment Systems. Regulation of the discharge was transferred to enrollment under General Order WQ 2014-0153-DWQ-R5352, which was issued by the Executive Officer on 31 May 2022. Therefore, it is appropriate to rescind Order 98-084.

D. SUTTER COUNTY WATERWORKS DISTRICT NO. 1, ROBBINS WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY, WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS ORDER 96-137

Waste Discharge Requirements Order 96-137, adopted on 3 May 1996, prescribes requirements for the Robbins Wastewater Treatment Facility in Sutter County. Sutter County Waterworks District No. 1, submitted a Report of Waste Discharge (RWD) requesting coverage under the Statewide General Water Quality Order (WQO) 2014-0153-DWQ for Small Domestic Wastewater Treatment System. Regulation of the discharge was transferred to enrollment under WQO 2014-0153-DWQ-R5299, which was issued by the Executive Officer on 17 May 2022. Therefore, it is appropriate to rescind Order 96-137.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the above Orders are rescinded on the date of this order unless otherwise stated above.

I, PATRICK PULUPA, Executive Officer, do hereby certify the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of an Order adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region on 11 August 2022.

PATRICK PULUPA, Executive Officer