



Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

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TENTATIVE RESCISSION OF WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS ORDER NO. 5-00-199; CAMP SIERRA IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION, CAMP SIERRA ASSOCIATION, AND THE UNITED STATES FOREST SERVICE; CAMP SIERRA WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY; FRESNO COUNTY

TO ALL CONCERNED PERSONS AND AGENCIES:

Enclosed is a tentative order rescinding Waste Discharge Requirements Order 5-00-199 for the Camp Sierra Improvement Association, the Camp Sierra Association, and the United States Forest Service (collectively referred to as Discharger), with respect to the Camp Sierra Wastewater Treatment Facility (Facility) in Fresno County. The Central Valley Water Board will be considering adoption of the tentative Rescission Order at its 15/16 February 2024 meeting. Any comments or recommendations you or others may have concerning the tentative Rescission Order must be submitted in writing to this office by **5 p.m. on 30 November 2023**. Absent a showing of good cause and lack of prejudice to other parties, the Board Chair may exclude comments and evidence received after this deadline.

MARK BRADFORD, CHAIR | PATRICK PULUPA, ESQ., EXECUTIVE OFFICER

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In order to conserve paper and reduce mailing costs, a paper copy of the tentative Rescission Order has been sent only to the Discharger. Others are advised that the tentative Rescission Order will be available, within the next couple of days, on the Central Valley Water Board's [Tentative Orders Website](https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/rwqcb5/board_decisions/tentative_orders/) under the heading, "Discharger-Specific Items for Future Approval and/or Regional Water Board Meetings" (https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/rwqcb5/board_decisions/tentative_orders/).

The Central Valley Water Board meeting where the above matter will be considered is scheduled for the following time and location:

Date: 15/16 February 2024
Time: To Be Determined
Place: Regional Water Quality Control Board
11020 Sun Center Drive, Suite 200
Rancho Cordova, CA 95670
(Physical Meeting Location w/Remote Meeting Option)

This public meeting is currently scheduled to take place in-person and via video and teleconference, but the format may be changed in the future. Any person wishing to obtain information about changes to the date, time, location, or format of the meeting should visit the [Board's website](https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_info/meetings/) (https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_info/meetings/).

The final meeting agenda will be available on the Board's website at least 10 days before the meeting. The agenda will provide the location and format of the meeting, the anticipated date the hearing will be held for this item, and the anticipated order of all agenda items; however, the Board may consider agenda items out of their listed order. The agenda materials may also include staff revisions to the proposed order.

Persons wishing to make non-evidentiary policy statements at the Board meeting (such statements will generally be limited to 3 minutes) are **not** required to submit written comments, but the Board appreciates receiving those comments in writing by the due date listed above so that they may be included in the packages that the Board members will receive ahead of the meeting.

The Central Valley Water Board is implementing a Paperless Office system. Please email any comments to centralvalleyfresno@waterboards.ca.gov and send a cc to Jeff.Robins@waterboards.ca.gov. In the subject line of the email please include "**Camp Sierra WWTF - Rescission 5-00-199 Comments**" and address the email to Jeff Robins.

If you have any questions regarding the tentative Rescission Order, or if you do not have Internet access and wish to request paper copies, contact Jeff Robins at (559) 445-5976 or Jeff.Robins@waterboards.ca.gov.

Original Signed by:
Alexander S. Mushegan
Supervising Engineer

Enclosures: Tentative Rescission Order of WDRs Order 5-00-199 (Discharger Only)

cc w/o enc:

- Elaine Locke USDA/Forest Service (via email)
- Kennedy Knight, State Water Resources Control Board, OCC, Sacramento (via email)
- Laurel Warddrip, State Water Resources Control Board, DWQ, Sacramento (via email)
- Sudarban Poudyal, State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Drinking Water (via email)
- RB5S-cvsalts@waterboards.ca.gov
- Omar Mostafa, Central Valley Water Board, Fresno (via email)
- Fresno County Environmental Health, Fresno County
- David Nielsen, PE, President, Camp Sierra (via email)
- Brett McArron, Vice President, Camp Sierra (via email)
- Bruce Blayney, Secretary/Treasurer Camp Sierra (via email)
- Jason Sherrell, Central California Waterworks (via email)
- Debbie Webster, CVCWA (via email)