# Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

30 October 2026

Mr. Chris Linneman
Drainage Coordinator
Grassland Drainage Area Steering Committee
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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR CONSIDERATION OF ORDER R5-2026-XXXX AMENDING WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS GENERAL ORDER FOR GROWERS IN THE GRASSLAND DRAINAGE AREA**

Enclosed is a Notice of Public Hearing (Notice) and a draft copy of the subject Order. As stated in the Notice, the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Valley Water Board) will consider adoption of the subject Order at a public meeting scheduled for:

**DATE:** **10 DECEMBER 2026**
**TIME:** **TBD a.m.**
**PLACE:** Central Valley Water Board
11020 Sun Center Drive, #200
Rancho Cordova, CA 95670-6114

The date, time, and location of the public meeting may change after this Notice is issued. A Final Agenda will be made available at least ten days before the public meeting and will provide final date, time, location, and other details. Please review the Notice carefully for information, including how to obtain the Final Agenda and how to provide comments on the proposed Order.
**Written comments on the draft Order must be submitted by 5:00 p.m. on 2 December 2026.** Comments should be emailed to Ashley.Peters@waterboards.ca.gov, with the subject line "GBP Surface Water Order." Alternatively, comments may be mailed to the following address:

Attention: Ashley Peters
Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board
11020 Sun Center Drive, #200
Rancho Cordova, CA 95670-6114

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Ashley Peters at (916) 464-4857 or Ashley.Peters@waterboards.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Eric Warren Digitally signed by Eric Warren
Date: 2026.10.28 10:05:15 -07'00'
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Cc: Federico Barajas, San Luis & Delta-Mendota Water Authority
Palmer McCoy, Grassland Basin Authority
Mike Jackson, US Bureau of Reclamation Fresno
David Cory, Grassland Basin Drainage Steering Committee
Growers in the Grassland Drainage Area

Attachment: Notice of Public Hearing Grassland Drainage Area Groundwater Order