
Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

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NOTICE
TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
AND
CLEANUP AND ABATEMENT ORDER
FOR
SOUTHERN MINNESOTA BEET SUGAR COOPERATIVE,
SPRECKELS SUGAR COMPANY, INC.,
AND MEYERS FARMING LLC
FORMER SPRECKELS MENDOTA FACILITY
FRESNO COUNTY

Enclosed for your review is a copy of the tentative Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) and Cleanup and Abatement Order (CAO) for the former Spreckels Mendota Facility in Fresno County. Also enclosed is a notice of public hearing (NOPH). The enclosed NOPH describes the date, time, and place that the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Valley Water Board) is scheduled to have a hearing to consider the adoption of the tentative WDRs and CAO.

In order to conserve paper and reduce mailing costs, a paper copy of the tentative WDRs, the tentative CAO, and the NOPH have been sent only to the Dischargers. Others are advised that the tentative WDRs, CAO, and NOPH are available on the Central Valley Water Board's web site at: www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders.

People wishing to comment on this matter must submit their testimony, evidence, and/or comments in writing to the attention of Stephen Klein at the Central Valley Water Board no later than **5:00 pm on 1 March 2018**. Written materials received after 5 p.m. on 1 March 2018 will not be accepted and will not be incorporated into the administrative record if doing so would prejudice any party.

If you do not have access to the Internet or otherwise require paper copies of these documents, please contact Stephen Klein at (559) 445-5558 or stephen.klein@waterboards.ca.gov.



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Attachment: Native American Heritage Commission Contacts List, Fresno County

Enclosures: Notice of Public Hearing (Discharger only)
Tentative Waste Discharge Requirements (Discharger only)
Tentative Cleanup and Abatement Order (Discharger only)
Standard Provisions and Reporting Requirements, March 1991 (Discharger only)

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