



Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

2 February 2018

Mr. Russell Emerson
Valley Water Management Company
7500 Meany Avenue
Bakersfield, CA 93308

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS
TENTATIVE MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM
AND
TENTATIVE RESOLUTION PROVIDING STAFF DIRECTION
FOR
VALLEY WATER MANAGEMENT COMPANY
MCKITTRICK 1 & 1-3 FACILITY
KERN COUNTY**

TO ALL CONCERNED PERSONS AND AGENCIES:

Enclosed is a tentative Monitoring and Reporting Program (MRP) and Staff Report for the Valley Water Management Company McKittrick 1 and 1-3 Facility. Also enclosed is a tentative Resolution for consideration by the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Valley Water Board). The tentative Resolution would provide direction to staff on how to regulate the subject facility moving forward. A public hearing(s) considering these matters will be held during the Central Valley Water Board meeting which is scheduled for:

Date: 5/6 April 2018
Time: 8:30 a.m.
Place: California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region
1685 "E" Street
Fresno, Ca

To be given full consideration, any written comments concerning the tentative MRP and/or the tentative Resolution must be submitted to this office by **5:00 p.m. on 26 February 2018**. The Board Chair may exclude comments received after this deadline. Persons interested in the tentative documents are encouraged to submit comments electronically. Please indicate in the subject line, **"Comment Letter – Valley Water Management Company."**

Comment letters may be submitted to Alejandra Lopez at Alejandra.Lopez@waterboards.ca.gov, or by facsimile at (559) 445-5910, or by mail or hand delivery at the address below:

Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board
Attention: Alejandra Lopez
1685 E Street
Fresno, CA 93706

In order to conserve paper and reduce mailing costs, a paper copy of the tentative MRP has been sent only to the Discharger. Others are advised that the tentative MRP is available on the Central Valley Water Board's web site at:

http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders/index.shtml

under the heading, "Discharger-Specific Orders for Future Regional Board Meetings." Anyone without access to the Internet who needs a paper copy of the documents should contact Alejandra Lopez at (559) 445-6071 or by email at Alejandra.Lopez@waterboards.ca.gov.

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.

Please pass this notice on to anyone you think may be interested in this issue.

W. DALE HARVEY
Supervising Engineer

Attachments: Native American Tribal Government Consultation Lists Fresno, Kings, Tulare, and Kern Counties.
Concerned Persons and Agencies List

Enclosures: Tentative Monitoring and Reporting Program (Discharger only)
Staff Report (Discharger only)
Tentative Resolution (Discharger only)

cc w/o enc.: David Albright, Drinking Water Protection Section, USEPA Region 9, San Francisco
Katherine Moore, Consultant, California Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee, Sacramento
Ken Harris, California Department of Natural Resources, Division of Oil, Gas and Geothermal Resources, Sacramento (via email)
Patrick Pulupa, State Water Resources Control Board, OCC, Sacramento (via email)
Stephanie Yu, State Water Resources Control Board, OCC, Sacramento (via email)
John Borkovich, State Water Resources Control Board, DWQ, Sacramento (via email)

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cc w/o enc.(continued):

Concerned Persons and Agencies List (see attached Concerned Persons and
Agencies List)
Native American Contacts (see attached Native American Tribal Government
Consultation List for Kern County)

Concerned Persons and Agencies List

U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management, Bakersfield
Kelvin Yamada, California Department of Public Health, Environmental Management Branch, Sacramento (via email)
Andy Gordus, California Department of Fish and Wildlife, Fresno (via email)
Bill Bartling, California Department of Natural Resources, Division of Oil, Gas and Geothermal Resources, Bakersfield (via email)
California Department of Water Resources, Fresno
California Department of Toxic Substance Control, Clovis
California Office of Historic Preservation, Sacramento
County of Kern, Public Health Services Department, Environmental Health Program, Bakersfield
County of Kern, Planning and Community Development Department, Bakersfield
Kern Mosquito and Vector Control District, Bakersfield
West Side Mosquito and Vector Control District, Taft
Abby Affuant, Chevron North America Exploration and Production Company, Bakersfield (via email)
Mike Glavin, California Resources Corporation, Bakersfield (via email)
David Chapin, Aera Energy, Bakersfield (via email)
Kenneth Bork, Sentinel Peak Resources (via email)
Christopher Reedy, Valley Water Management Company, Bakersfield (via email)
Mellissa Thorne, Downey Brand, Sacramento (via email)
Vern Goehring, Sacramento (via email)
Robert J. Gore, The Gualco Group, Inc., Sacramento (via email)
Rock Zierman, California Independent Producers Association, Sacramento (via email)
Suzanne Noble, Western States Petroleum Association, Bakersfield (via email)
Hollin Kretzmann, Center for Biological Diversity, San Francisco (via email)
Center on Race, Poverty and the Environment, Oakland (via email)
Gustavo Aguirre, Center on Race, Poverty and the Environment, Delano (via email)
Juan Flores, Center on Race, Poverty and the Environment, Delano (via email)
Jennifer Clary, Clean Water Action, Oakland (via email)
Miriam Gordon, Clean Water Action, Oakland (via email)
Rosanna Esparza, , Clean Water Action, Oakland (via email)
Andrew Grinberg, Clean Water Action, Washington D.C. (via email)
Keith Nakatani, Clean Water Action, Oakland (via email)
Jhon Arbelaez, Earthworks, Oakland (via email)
Holly Pearen, Environmental Defense Fund, Boulder, CO (via email)
Bill Allayaud, Environmental Working Group, Sacramento (via email)
Kyle Jones, Sierra Club, San Francisco (via email)
Ms. Mary Kay Benson (via email)
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State Board Food Safety/Oil Field Wastewater Reuse lyris list