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## Lahontan Regional Water Quality Control Board

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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS  
AND TIME SCHEDULE ORDER  
(NPDES PERMIT NO. CA0102776)  
FOR  
CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE  
HOT CREEK FISH HATCHERY  
MONO COUNTY**

**TO ALL CONCERNED PERSONS AND AGENCIES:**

Enclosed is a tentative Waste Discharge Requirements Order and a Tentative Time Schedule Order for the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (Discharger), Hot Creek Fish Hatchery (Facility). Any comments or recommendations you may have concerning the proposed Order should be submitted to this office no later than **5:00 p.m. on January 26, 2021** in order for us to give them full consideration prior to the meeting of the Lahontan Regional Water Quality Control Board (Lahontan Water Board). Written material submitted after **5:00 p.m. on January 26, 2021** will not be accepted and will not be incorporated into the administrative record absent a ruling by the Board Chair. Any party requesting to submit late materials must demonstrate good cause for late submission, and the Chair must find that accepting the late submission will not prejudice the Lahontan Water Board or any Designated Party.


A Public Hearing has been scheduled for the Lahontan Water Board to consider adoption of the proposed Orders at its **March 10/11, 2021** Board meeting. A Notice of Public Hearing (Notice) concerning the proposed Orders is also enclosed. Regulations require that the Discharger post one (1) copy of the Notice at the nearest city hall or county courthouse, one (1) copy at the post office nearest to the Facility (if allowed), and one (1) copy at the public entrance to the Facility. Please post the Notice as soon as possible and provide proof of posting by **March 10, 2021**, using the enclosed form.

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PETER C. PUMPHREY, CHAIR | MICHAEL R. PLAZIAK, EXECUTIVE OFFICER

To conserve resources, this letter transmits a paper copy of the tentative NPDES Permit and Time Schedule Order to the Discharger only. Interested persons may download the documents from the Lahontan Water Board's [Tentative Orders page](https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/lahontan/board_decisions/) ([https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/lahontan/board\\_decisions/](https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/lahontan/board_decisions/)). Copies of the documents may also be obtained by contacting the Lahontan Water Board's office at (530) 542-5400, or visiting the office at 2501 Lake Tahoe Blvd., South Lake Tahoe, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

If you have any questions regarding the proposed Orders, please contact Wendy Wyels at (916) 323-0595 or at [Wendy.Wyels@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:Wendy.Wyels@waterboards.ca.gov).



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