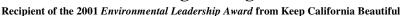


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TO: Any Interested Person

FROM: California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Los Angeles Region

320 West 4th Street, Suite 200 Los Angeles, CA 90013

DATE: March 9, 2006

SUBJECT: Notice of Extension to the Public Comment Period on the Tentative Resolutions to

Consider Implementation Plans and Schedules to Achieve the Santa Monica Bay Beaches Bacteria Wet Weather TMDL and Marina del Rey Harbor Mothers' Beach and

Back Basins Bacteria TMDL

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Los Angeles Region (Regional Board) has extended the deadline for public review of five tentative Board resolutions from 5:00 p.m. on March 17, 2006 to 12:00 p.m. on March 20, 2006, to provide the public additional time to submit comments. The five tentative resolutions support the efforts of responsible jurisdictions and agencies to utilize an integrated water resources approach to achieve compliance with the Santa Monica Bay Beaches Bacteria Wet Weather TMDL and the Marina del Rey Harbor Mothers' Beach and Back Basins Bacteria TMDL. The public hearing at which the Board will consider the five tentative resolutions will be held at 9:00 a.m. on April 6, 2006 at the Department of Water and Power, Board Room 1555A, 111 North Hope Street in Los Angeles, California.

Copies of the tentative Board resolutions along with supporting documentation are available on the Regional Board website at: http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/html/bpaRes/bpa.html. The supporting documentation includes:

- Final implementation plans for each "Jurisdictional Group",
- Comments from Regional Board staff on each of the draft implementation plans, and
- Agencies' responses to the comments of Regional Board staff.

Please note in order to be fully considered by the Regional Board, written comments and exhibits must be submitted to the Regional Board no later than <u>12:00 p.m.</u> on March 20, 2006. Failure to comply with these requirements is grounds for the Board to refuse to admit the proposed written comment or exhibit into evidence (California Code of Regulations, title 23, section 649.4).

Comments should be submitted to: California Regional Water Quality Control Board

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If you have any questions, please contact Renee Purdy DeShazo at (213) 576-6783 regarding the Santa Monica Bay Beaches Bacteria TMDL or Rebecca Christmann at (213) 576-6757 regarding the Marina del Rey Bacteria TMDL.

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