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Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

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Mr. Tom Afschar
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TENTATIVE ORDER – TERMINATION OF WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS AND WATER RECYCLING REQUIREMENTS FOR CAMPS MILLER AND KILPATRICK WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT, 433 SOUTH ENCINAL CANYON ROAD, MALIBU, CALIFORNIA 90265 (FILE NO. 60-080, ORDER NO. R4-2015-0050, CI-2732, GLOBAL ID WDR100001056)

Dear Mr. Afschar:

On March 12, 2015, the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional Water Board) adopted individual Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) and Water Recycling Requirements (WRRs) in Order No. R4-2015-0050 for the Los Angeles County Probation Department and Los Angeles County Internal Services Department, along with Monitoring and Reporting Program No. CI-2732, for the Camps Miller and Kilpatrick Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP) located at 433 South Encinal Canyon Road, Malibu, California.

Camp Miller and the Wastewater Treatment Plant were destroyed in the November 2018 Woolsey Fire. Camp Kilpatrick was partially damaged. The Los Angeles County Department of Public Works and Los Angeles County Internal Services Department (hereinafter Dischargers) plan to rebuild both Camp Kilpatrick and the Wastewater Treatment Plant but have no plan to rebuild Camp Miller.

The Dischargers plan to reopen Camp Kilpatrick in May 2019. The Dischargers estimate that rebuilding of the Wastewater Treatment Plant will take up to two years. Therefore, during this period between May 2019 and May 2021 until a new WWTP is built, a temporary package plant with advanced treatment processes will be installed onsite to treat the wastewater discharged from Camp Kilpatrick.

On April 30, 2019, based on the estimated volume of waste discharge from Camp Kilpatrick, the Dischargers were enrolled under General Waste Discharge Requirements for Advanced Onsite Wastewater Treatment Systems (Order No. R4-2019-0024) for the temporary package treatment plant. Therefore, Regional Water Board staff determined that coverage under Order No. R4-2015-0050 is no longer needed and may be terminated, except for purposes of enforcement.

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In accordance with administrative procedures, this Regional Water Board, at a public hearing, will consider the enclosed tentative Order, which will terminate Order No. R4-2015-0050. The meeting will be held on July 11, 2019, beginning at 9:00 a.m., at the City of Simi Valley Council Chambers, 2929 Tapo Canyon Dr., Simi Valley, California.

In order to be fully evaluated by Regional Water Board staff and included in the Regional Water Board's agenda packet, written comments must be received by the Regional Water Board by 5:00 p.m. on June 17, 2019. Failure to comply with these requirements is grounds for the Regional Water Board to refuse to admit the proposed written comment or exhibit into evidence. Timely submittal of written comments is encouraged to ensure that all comments are accurately and fully included in the administrative record, that Regional Water Board staff is able to provide a timely review, and that Regional Water Board Members have sufficient time to fully consider the comments and issues raised.

If you have any questions, please contact the Project Manager, Mr. David Koo, at (213) 620-6155 (David.Koo@waterboards.ca.gov) or me at (213) 576-6683 (Eric.Wu@waterboards.ca.gov).

Sincerely,



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Chief of Groundwater Permitting Unit

Enclosure: Tentative Order No. R4-2019-XXXX, Terminating Individual Waste Discharge Requirements and Water Recycling Requirements

cc (via email): Mr. Matthew Diaz, Chief Executive Office, County of Los Angeles
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