

## Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

September 1, 2017

Jaime Fontes, City Manager  
City of Santa Paula  
970 Ventura Street  
Santa Paula, CA 93061

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### **TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS (WDRs) AND CEASE AND DESIST ORDER (CDO) FOR SANTA PAULA WATER RECYCLING FACILITY – CITY OF SANTA PAULA (CI NO. 9259, FILE NO. 06-189, GLOBAL ID WDR100000849)**

Dear Mr. Fontes:

We have completed our review of your application for WDRs for the Santa Paula Water Recycling Facility. Pursuant to the California Water Code, tentative WDRs, a monitoring and reporting program, and a CDO have been prepared.

Enclosed are copies of tentative WDRs consisting of:

1. Board Order No. R4-2017-XXXX specifying WDRs;
2. Monitoring and Reporting Program (CI No. 9259);
3. Attachments A to D, including Maximum Contaminant Levels, Standard Provisions Applicable to Waste Discharge Requirements, Constituents of Emerging Concerns, and Priority Pollutants; and
4. CDO No. R4-2017-YYYY.

These documents are also available at the Regional Board's website at [http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board\\_decisions/tentative\\_orders/index.shtml](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board_decisions/tentative_orders/index.shtml).

In accordance with administrative procedures, the Regional Board (Board) will consider the enclosed tentative WDRs, CDO and comments thereon, at a public hearing to be held at 9:00 AM on November 2, 2017, at the Board Room, Metropolitan Water District of Southern California located at 700 North Alameda Street, Los Angeles, California. The Board will hear any testimony pertinent to this discharge, the tentative WDRs, the monitoring and reporting program, and the CDO. It is expected that the Board will take action at the hearing; however, as testimony indicates, the Board at its discretion may order further investigation.

Written comments or testimony regarding these tentative WDRs and CDO must be received at the Board's Office by 5:00 PM on October 2, 2017, in order to be evaluated by Board staff and included in the Board's agenda folder. Failure to comply with these requirements is grounds for the 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 Board staff is able to provide timely review, and that Board Members have sufficient time to give full consideration to the comments and issues raised.

Comments received after the requested date may result in delay in consideration of your WDRs application.

Standard Provisions, which are part of these tentative requirements, are enclosed for the addressee only. However, these are on file in the Board's Office, and a copy will be sent to anyone else upon request.

The agenda for the meeting will be posted on the Regional Water Board's website ([http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board\\_info/agenda/index.shtml](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board_info/agenda/index.shtml)) approximately one week prior to the meeting.

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Dr. Don Tsai at (213) 620-2264 (or [Don.Tsai@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:Don.Tsai@waterboards.ca.gov)) or me at (213) 576-6683 (or [Eric.Wu@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:Eric.Wu@waterboards.ca.gov)).

Sincerely,



Eric Wu, Ph.D., P.E.  
Chief of Groundwater Permitting Unit

Enclosures:

- 1) Tentative WDRs Order No. R4-2017-XXXX
- 2) Tentative Monitoring and Reporting Program CI No. 9259
- 3) Attachments A to D
- 4) Tentative CDO No. R4-2017-YYYY

cc (via email):

- Mr. John Ilasin – City of Santa Paula
- Mr. Norman Bigott – American Water
- Mr. Jim Kuykendall – Stantec
- Ms. Ashli Desai – Larry Walker Associates
- Ms. Stephanie Medina – Heal the Bay
- Mr. William C. Stratton – County of Ventura Environmental Health Division
- Mr. Jeff Pratt – Ventura County Public Works Agency
- Mr. Mauricio E. Guardado – United Water Conservation District
- Ventura County Waterworks District 16
- Ms. Elaine Malzacher
- Mr. Donald Westerdale
- Mr. David Lippert