
Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

April 19, 2021

Mr. Michael LaCavera
Managing Director – West Coast
Vopak Terminal Los Angeles, Inc
401 Canal Street
Wilmington, CA 90744

Dear Mr. LaCavera:

REQUEST FOR COMMENTS ON THE TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS (WDRS) AND NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT RENEWAL – VOPAK TERMINAL LOS ANGELES, INC., INLAND TERMINAL FACILITY, WILMINGTON, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CA0063177, CI NO. 7298)

We have completed our review of your application for a renewal of your permit to discharge waste under the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Program. Pursuant to the Federal Clean Water Act, as amended, and in accordance with the California Water Code, tentative waste discharge requirements have been prepared.

Enclosed are copies of the following:

1. Tentative requirements, consisting of:
 - a. Board Order;
 - b. Definitions (Attachment A);
 - c. Site Map (Attachment B);
 - d. Flow Schematic (Attachment C);
 - e. Standard Provisions (Attachment D);
 - f. Monitoring and Reporting Program (Attachment E);
 - g. Fact Sheet (Attachment F); and,
 - h. Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan Requirements (Attachment G).
2. Publication package, consisting of:
 - a. Instruction Sheet for Public Notice
 - b. Public Notice; and
 - c. Statement of Posting Notice.

In accordance with administrative procedures, the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board at a public hearing to be held on **June 10, 2021, at 9:00 A.M.**, will consider the enclosed tentative waste discharge requirements, and comments submitted in writing regarding any and all portions thereof. The Los Angeles Water Board will hear any testimony pertinent to these waste discharge requirements. It is expected that the Board will take action at the hearing; however, as testimony indicates, the Board, at its discretion, may postpone taking action. The agenda for the meeting will be posted on the Los Angeles Water Board's website

(http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board_info/agenda/index.shtml)

approximately one week prior to the meeting.

Written comments regarding this tentative Order must be received at the Los Angeles Water Board office by **5:00 p.m. on May 19, 2021**, in order to be evaluated by Board staff and included in the Board's agenda folder. Comments received after that date will not be considered, absent extraordinary circumstances. 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 Los Angeles Water Board members have sufficient time to give full consideration to the comments and issues raised. The Los Angeles Water Board chair may exclude from the record written materials received after this date. (See Cal. Code Regs., tit.23 § 648.4)

With respect to the public notices, in accordance with the Federal Clean Water Act, as amended, and the California Code of Regulations, you are required to follow the enclosed instructions for publication or posting of the notice no later than **April 22, 2021**.

Please notify this Board by telephone when the notice has been published and submit the proof of publication or posting as required in the enclosed instructions. Proof of posting or publication of the notice must be received by the Executive Officer of this Los Angeles Water Board no later than **April 26, 2021**.

If you have any further questions, please contact Rosario Aston at:

Rosario.Aston@waterboards.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Bronwyn K. Kelly, PG, PMP
Industrial Permitting Unit, Chief

Enclosures

cc: See Mailing List

Mailing List

Elizabeth Sablad, Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, Permits Branch
Becky Mitschele, Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, Permit Branch
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Kurt Souza, State Water Resource Control Board, Drinking Water Division
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