
Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

July 5, 2017

Mr. Robb Whitaker, General Manager
Water Replenishment District of Southern California
4040 Paramount Boulevard
Lakewood, CA 90712

Dear Mr. Whitaker:

TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS (WDRs) AND NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT, WATER REPLENISHMENT DISTRICT OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, GROUNDWATER RELIABILITY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT-ADVANCED WATER TREATMENT FACILITY, NPDES PERMIT NO CA0064645, CI-10317

We have completed our review of your application for issuance of a new permit to discharge wastes under the NPDES.

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. Standard Provisions (Attachment D).
 - c. Monitoring and Reporting Program (Attachment E).
 - d. Fact Sheet (Attachment F).
 - e. Generic Toxicity TRE Workplan (Attachment G).
 - f. Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (Attachment H).

2. Public Notification consisting of:
 - a. Instruction Sheet for Posting Public Notice.
 - b. Public Notice.
 - c. Statement of Posting Notice.

In accordance with administrative procedures, this Board at a public hearing to be held on **September 7, 2017, at 9:00 a.m.**, at the **City of Simi Valley Council Chambers, 2929 Tapo Canyon Road, Simi Valley, California, 93030**, will consider the enclosed tentative requirements and comments submitted in writing regarding any and all portions thereof. The Board will hear any testimony pertinent to this discharge and the tentative requirements. It is expected that the Board will take action at the hearing; however, as testimony indicates, the Board, at its discretion, may order further action by staff. The agenda for the meeting will be posted on the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control 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 Regional Water Board office by **5:00 p.m. on August 4, 2017**, 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 required 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 Regional Board members have sufficient time to give full consideration to the comments and issues raised.

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 July 20, 2017.

Failure to publish or post the notice by the above date may require us to reschedule this item for a later hearing and will require the publication or posting of a second notice. 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 Regional Water Board no later than July 31, 2017. If you have any question regarding this proposed action, please contact Raul Medina at (213) 620-2160 or via email at raul.medina@waterboards.ca.gov or Cris Morris, Unit Chief of the Municipal Permitting (POTW) Unit at (213) 620-2083 or via email at cris.morris@waterboards.ca.gov.

Sincerely,



David Hung, P.E., Chief
Watershed Regulatory Section

Enclosures

cc: (See Mailing List)

MAILING LIST

Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, Permits Branch (WTR-5)
NOAA, National Marine Fisheries Service
Department of Interior, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Frances McChesney, State Water Resources Control Board, Office of Chief Counsel
Department of Fish and Game, Region 5
California State Parks and Recreation
State Coastal Conservancy
Los Angeles County, DPW, Watershed Division
Los Angeles County, Department of Health Services
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Environment Now
Los Angeles Waterkeeper
Natural Resources Defense Council
Southern California Coastal Water Research Project
Friends of the Los Angeles River
Los Angeles and San Gabriel Rivers Watershed Council
Sierra Club
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Conservancy