



Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

April 2, 2021

Mr. Robert C. Ferrante, Chief Engineer and General Manager
Los Angeles County Sanitation Districts
Joint Outfall System
1955 Workman Mill Road
Whittier, CA 90601

Dear Mr. Ferrante:

TENTATIVE RESOLUTION APPROVING SPECIAL STUDIES FOR JOINT OUTFALL SYSTEM – JOINT WATER POLLUTION CONTROL PLANT, CARSON, CA (NPDES NO. CA0053813, CI-1758)

Enclosed please find a copy of the tentative Resolution for the 2021 Proposed Special Studies. This document is also available on the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board's (Los Angeles Water Board's) website for review at this web address: www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/.

In accordance with administrative procedures, the Los Angeles Water Board at a public hearing to be held on **May 13, 2021, at 9:00 A.M.**, via a remote meeting, will consider the tentative Resolution and comments thereof. The Los Angeles Water Board will hear any testimony pertinent to the tentative Resolution. It is expected that the Los Angeles Water Board will take action at the hearing; however, as testimony indicates, the Los Angeles Water Board, at its discretion, may order further investigation.

Written comments or testimony regarding this tentative Resolution must be received at the Los Angeles Water Board office by the close of business on **April 16, 2021**, in order to be evaluated by Los Angeles Water Board staff and included in the Board's agenda folder. Comments received after that date will be provided, ex agenda, to the Board for their consideration. Timely submittal of written comments is encouraged to ensure that all comments are accurately and fully included in the administrative record, that Los Angeles Water 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. Comments received after the requested date may result in delay in consideration of the tentative Resolution.

If you have any questions, please contact me at Jeong-Hee.Lim@waterboards.ca.gov, or Don Tsai at Don.Tsai@waterboards.ca.gov.

LAWRENCE YEE, CHAIR | RENEE PURDY, EXECUTIVE OFFICER

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Sincerely,

Jeong-Hee, Ph.D., P.E.
Chief, Municipal Permitting Unit (NPDES)

Enclosures

cc (**Via Email Only**):

United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, Permits Branch (WTR2-3)
United States Army Corps of Engineers
NOAA, National Marine Fisheries Service
Department of Interior, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Department of Fish and Wildlife, Region 5
California State Parks and Recreation
California Coastal Commission, South Coast Region
Los Angeles County Department of Public Health
Heal the Bay
Environmental Now
Los Angeles Waterkeeper
Natural Resources Defense Council
PG Environmental
Eric Alegria, City of Palos Verdes