
North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board

California North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board
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Notice of Public Hearing
of
Adoption of Resolution No. R1-2020-0013
Referring Shadow Light Ranch, LLC, Joshua Sweet, and The Hills, LLC
to the Office of the Attorney General for Judicial Civil Enforcement

Staff presents Resolution No. R1-2020-0013 (Resolution) for consideration by the North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional Water Board), referring Shadow Light Ranch, LLC, Joshua Sweet, and The Hills, LLC (collectively, Responsible Parties) to the Office of the Attorney General (Attorney General) for enforcement of violations of the Water Code related to the Responsible Parties' illegal development of property for cannabis cultivation. Specifically, the Responsible Parties illegally filled in a wetland, constructed watercourse crossings, and destabilized slopes creating actual and threatened discharges. This item will be open for public comment between January 27, 2020, and February 11, 2020.

Public Hearing Procedures

A public hearing to consider the proposed Resolution is scheduled for the Regional Water Board's April 16th and 17th, 2020, meeting in Humboldt County, or as announced in the Regional Water Board's agenda. Any comments regarding the Resolution and related documents must be submitted to the attention of Shannon Utley, no later than February 11, 2020, at 5:00 p.m. via e-mail at shannon.utley@waterboards.ca.gov or by U.S. Mail at 5550 Skylane Boulevard, Suite A, Santa Rosa, CA 95403.

Please be aware that dates and venues may change. You can access the current agenda to find the latest information on meeting dates and locations at the Regional Water Board's website (<https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/northcoast/>). At the public hearing, the Regional Water Board will consider whether to affirm, reject, or modify the proposed Resolution.

Document Review

The proposed Resolution and related documents are available at the Regional Water Board's website for tentative orders for Board decisions

(https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/northcoast/board_decisions/tentative_orders/).

Additionally, the proposed Resolution and file may be inspected or copied at the Regional Water Board office located at 5550 Skylane Boulevard, Suite A, Santa Rosa, California. Appointments are recommended for document review. Appointments can be made by calling (707) 576-2220.

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