

**NOTICE
of
Proposed Settlement and Stipulated Order for Administrative Civil Liability
for
California Department of Transportation**

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Francisco Bay Region, Prosecution Team and California Department of Transportation (Discharger) have entered into a proposed Settlement Agreement and Stipulated Order. The proposed Settlement Agreement and Stipulated Order impose an administrative civil liability against the Discharger in the amount of \$31,500. This action is proposed to resolve allegations that the Discharger violated Federal Water Pollution Control Act (Clean Water Act) section 301 (33 U.S.C. § 1311) and/or Water Code section 13376 by discharging 5,800 cubic feet of gravel into Arroyo Las Positas on or about and between June 15, 2012, and October 12, 2010 without coverage under a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit.

Persons may comment on the proposed Settlement Agreement and Stipulated Order by submitting written comments no later than 5:00 p.m. on December 26, 2012. Please send comments addressed to the attention of David Williams at dwilliams@waterboards.ca.gov or to the address shown above.

The Executive Officer will adopt the Order if no significant comments are received by the deadline above. If significant comments are received, a hearing before the Water Board may be scheduled.

The proposed Settlement Agreement and Stipulated Order are available at:
http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay/public_notices/pending_enforcement.shtml

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