

SECTION 401 WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION PUBLIC NOTICE

The Central Coast Water Board is currently reviewing a Clean Water Act section 401 Water Quality Certification application for the project described below. We encourage public comments on the proposed project and will take comments into consideration when taking action on the application. You may submit written comments on this project to:

Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board

895 Aerovista Place, Suite 101

San Luis Obispo, CA 93401

Attention: 401 Coordinator

OR

centralcoast@waterboards.ca.gov

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Project Applicant: Chevron West Coast Decommissioning Program – Ryan Jones

Applicant's Agent: Padre Associates, Inc. – Simon Poulter

Project Name: Decommissioning of the Carpinteria Oil and Gas Pipelines within State Waters

Receiving Water: Pacific Ocean

City/County: Carpinteria / Santa Barbara County

Public Notice: 6/24/2025 – 7/15/2025

Project Description:

The purpose of the proposed Project is to remove inactive offshore utility pipelines associated with the onshore Carpinteria Oil and Gas Processing Facility. The proposed project activities include:

- Removing the Platform Gail and Grace Pipeline Bundle;
- Removing the Marketing and Marine Terminal Offloading Line Bundle; and
- Partially removing the Platform Hazel and Hilda Pipeline Bundle.

No mitigation is proposed.