
Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

November 1, 2021

Mr. Court Reece
Remediation Supervisor
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TERMINATION OF WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS (WDRs) AND NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT – SFPP NORWALK PUMP STATION, NORWALK, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NUMBER CA0063509, CI NUMBER 7497)

Dear Mr. Reece:

Reference is made to the WDRs and NPDES permit (Order Number R4-2016-0309) adopted by the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board (Los Angeles Water Board) for the discharge of treated groundwater, condensate, and stormwater from the SFPP Norwalk Pump Station, at 15306 Norwalk Boulevard, Norwalk, California. Order Number R4-2016-0309 was adopted on September 7, 2016 and expired on October 31, 2021.

Your letter dated May 5, 2021 requested non-renewal of the NPDES permit. The Facility has not discharged since February 2021 and has taken measures to prevent any future discharges to the receiving waters. The Los Angeles Water Board concluded that the NPDES permit regulating the discharge is no longer needed based on the following:

- The groundwater treatment facility was taken offline to construct connection to the sanitary sewer system. If discharge resumes, it will be to the sanitary sewer system under a permit through LADWP/LACSD.

Order Number R4-2016-0309 was terminated by operation of law on October 31, 2021. Discharge from the Facility to the receiving water is therefore now prohibited. Should any future activities at the subject Facility result in new discharges of treated groundwater to any surface waters of the United States, you are required to file a Report of Waste Discharge with the Los Angeles Water Board and secure a permit prior to discharge.

If you have any further questions, please contact Adriana Vallejo at adriana.vallejo@waterboards.ca.gov or (213) 620-2160.

Sincerely,

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Executive Officer

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