
Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

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**NOTICE OF APPLICABILITY; GENERAL SECTION 401 WATER QUALITY
CERTIFICATION ORDER REQUIREMENTS FOR THE UNITED STATES ARMY
CORPS OF ENGINEERS 2026 NATIONWIDE PERMITS SACRAMENTO MUNICIPAL
UTILITY DISTRICT, ROBBS PEAK POWERHOUSE BOAT LAUNCH
REHABILITATION PROJECT (WDID# 5A09CR00257), EL DORADO COUNTY**

On 9 March 2026, Sacramento Municipal Utility District (Applicant) filed a notification requesting coverage under the 15 March 2026 State Water Resources Control Board Clean Water Act Section 401 General Water Quality Certification and Order of the United States Army Corps of Engineers 2026 Nationwide Permits Order No. WQ 2025-0066-DWQ (General Certification Order) for the Robbs Peak Powerhouse Boat Launch Rehabilitation Project (Project). After review of the notification and the supplemental material submitted by the Applicant, the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Valley Water Board) has determined that the Project qualifies for enrollment under this General Certification Order. The proposed activity will take place within less than 0.14 acre/300 linear feet of waters of the United States.

The Central Valley Water Board is certifying this Project under United States Army Corps of Engineers Nationwide Permit #3(a) (Maintenance Activities), subject to the conditions and the notification requirements described in the Nationwide Permit ("Special Conditions"). This Notice of Applicability is being issued under the General Certification Order pursuant to Section 3838 of the California Code of Regulations.

A copy of the [General Certification Order](https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/cwa401/docs/2026/nwp2026-general-order.pdf) (https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/cwa401/docs/2026/nwp2026-general-order.pdf) can be found on the State Water Resources Control Board's General Order webpage and is enclosed.

The Project must proceed in accordance with the requirements contained in this Notice of Applicability and General Certification Order. The Project is described in the notification form requesting coverage under the General Certification Order, dated 15 March 2026, and supplementary information (Application Package). Coverage under

the General Certification Order is no longer valid if the Project (as described) is modified.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

The 0.65-acre Robbs Peak Powerhouse Boat Launch Rehabilitation Project (Project) consists of maintenance and repair of an existing 20-foot-wide by 300-foot-long boat launch located along Union Valley Reservoir. Project activities include grading and recontouring the existing aggregate ramp surface, installation of a Flexamat concrete block armoring system with aggregate infill, and placement of rock (approximately 9–18 inches in diameter) along the outboard edges to prevent erosion and improve structural stability. All work will occur within the previously disturbed footprint of the existing boat ramp, with staging conducted in the adjacent paved parking area. The project will result in approximately 0.14 acres (300 linear feet) of temporary impacts associated with excavation and surface rehabilitation within waters of the state. No permanent impacts are proposed. Best Management Practices (BMPs) will be implemented to minimize erosion, sediment transport, and water quality degradation, and the site will be restored following construction.

The Project will temporarily impact 0.14 acre/300 linear feet of waters of the United States.

PROJECT LOCATION:

7700 SMUD Powerhouse Road, Pollock Pines

Section 5, Township 12 N, Range 14 E, MDB&M

Latitude: 38°53'46.32" and Longitude: -120°22'46.20"

PROJECT SCHEDULE:

5 October 2026 through 23 October 2026

APPLICATION FEE RECEIVED:

An application fee of \$ 5,256.00 was received on 9 March 2026. The fee amount was determined as required by California Code of Regulations, title 23, sections 3833(b)(3) and 2200(a)(3), and was calculated as category A - Fill & Excavation Discharges (fee code 84) with the dredge and fill fee calculator.

If you have any questions regarding this Notice of Applicability, please contact Sara Gevorgyan by phone at (916) 464-4710 or by email at Sara.Gevorgyan@waterboards.ca.gov.

Original Signed by Anne Walters
For Patrick Pulupa
Executive Officer

Enclosure: State Water Board 2026 Nationwide Permits General Order (Order No. WQ 2025-0066-DWQ)

Attachment: Figure 1: Location Map

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Figure 1: Location Map

