

San Diego Regional Water Quality Control Board

NOTICE OF WRITTEN COMMENT PERIOD FOR TENTATIVE ORDER NO. R9-2026-0049, NPDES PERMIT NO. CA0109258, WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR SAPPORO USA DISCHARGE TO THE PACIFIC OCEAN THROUGH THE SAN ELIJO OCEAN OUTFALL

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region (San Diego Water Board) is releasing, for public review and comment, Tentative Order No. R9-2026-0049, NPDES Permit No. CA0109258, Waste Discharge Requirements for Sapporo USA discharge to the Pacific Ocean through the San Elijo Ocean Outfall (Tentative Order). The San Diego Water Board will consider adoption of the Tentative Order at its November 10, 2026, board meeting.

Document Availability

A copy of the Tentative Order is available for download and review at:
https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sandiego/board_decisions/tentative_orders/.

Written Comment Period

Notice is hereby given that the San Diego Water Board is accepting written comments on the Tentative Order. Written comments are due by 5:00 pm on August 28, 2026.

Interested persons may submit written comments on the Tentative Order during the public comment period by e-mail to SanDiego@waterboards.ca.gov or by mail to the Executive Officer at the San Diego Water Board at:

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Please indicate in the subject line of all written comments “Comment – Tentative Order R9-2026-0049, 772583:JLim.” The San Diego Water Board may refuse to accept written comments received after the deadline. All comments timely received will be provided to the San Diego Water Board, or its delegate, to consider whether to accept or deny the Tentative Order. The written comment period provides an opportunity for interested persons to comment on the Tentative Order.

Contact Information

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