CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD SAN DIEGO REGION

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND WRITTEN COMMENT PERIOD

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region (San Diego Water Board) is releasing Tentative Order No. R9-2019-0079, *An Order Rescinding Order No. 94-109 Waste Discharge Requirements for San Diego County, Lower Otay Lake County Park, San Diego County* (Tentative Order) for public review and comment. The San Diego Water Board will consider adoption of the Tentative Order at its regularly scheduled meeting on **June 12, 2019**. The Tentative Order, if adopted, will rescind Order No. 94-109, *Waste Discharge Requirements for San Diego County, Lower Otay Lake County Park, San Diego County*.

Upon adoption of the Tentative Order, the onsite wastewater treatment systems (OTWS) at the Lower Otay Lake County Park will be regulated by the County of San Diego under its Local Agency Management Program for Onsite Wastewater Treatment Systems (LAMP). The LAMP protects groundwater and surface water quality by requiring proper design, placement, installation, and assessment of individual OWTS. The LAMP for the County of San Diego is available online at:

https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/dam/sdc/deh/lwqd/RWQCB%20Approved%20 LAMP%20Final%202-24-15.pdf

Document Availability

The Tentative Order and related documents are available online at:

http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sandiego/board_decisions/tentative_orders/.

Interested persons may also receive copies of the Tentative Order by contacting Mr. Brandon Bushnell by phone at (619) 521-8044, by email at <u>Brandon.Bushnell@waterboards.ca.gov</u>, or by visiting the San Diego Water Board office at 2375 Northside Drive, Suite 100, San Diego, California 92108-2700, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Submission of Written Comments

Notice is hereby given that the San Diego Water Board will receive written comments on the Tentative Order in accordance with this notice pursuant to the Water Code section 13167.5. The submission of written comments provides an opportunity for interested persons to raise and comment on issues pertaining to the Tentative Order.

Please review and provide written comments regarding the Tentative Order by **5:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 16, 2019**. Comments submitted via email to <u>sandiego@waterboards.ca.gov</u> must be in text searchable Portable Document Format (PDF) or Microsoft Word format. Written comments can also be submitted via regular mail to the San Diego Water Board office at 2375 Northside Drive, Suite 100, San Diego, California 92108-2700. Please indicate in the subject line of the email or comment letter "Comment – Tentative Order No. R9-2019-0079, Attn: Brandon Bushnell."

The early submission of written comments on the Tentative Order is encouraged. Written comments received by **5:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 16, 2019**, will be provided to the San Diego Water Board members for review in advance of the public hearing to consider adoption of the Tentative Order. The San Diego Water Board will prepare written responses to significant comments that are timely received. Consistent with State Water Resources Control Board regulations that apply to this proceeding, written comments received after **5:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 16, 2019**, will not be accepted, and will not be incorporated into the administrative record if doing so would prejudice any party.

Public Hearing for Consideration of the Tentative Order

A public hearing on the Tentative Order will be held during the San Diego Water Board meeting on **Wednesday**, **June 12**, **2019**. The meeting will begin promptly at **9:00 a.m.** and will be held in **San Diego Water Board Meeting Room**, **2375 Northside Drive**, **Suite 100**, **San Diego**, **California 92108**.

The *Meeting Notice and Agenda*, which will indicate any changes to the meeting location and may provide other specific information concerning this hearing, will be posted at least two weeks prior to the meeting date at:

http://www/waterboards.ca.gov/sandiego/board_info/agendas/.

Contact for Further Information

Please contact Mr. Brandon Bushnell at (619) 521-8044 or at <u>Brandon.Bushnell@waterboards.ca.gov</u> for information regarding the above proposed action. Please bring the above information to the attention of any person who would be interested in this matter.