

California Regional Water Quality Control Board
San Francisco Bay Region
1515 Clay Street, Suite 1400, Oakland, CA 94612

**NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT AND PUBLIC HEARING
FOR DISCHARGE PERMIT**

**Silicon Valley Clean Water Wastewater Treatment Plant
Silicon Valley Clean Water
1400 Radio Road, Redwood City**

Board staff has prepared a draft National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit for the above discharger in accordance with the Clean Water Act and Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act.

Silicon Valley Clean Water provides advanced secondary treatment of domestic, commercial, and industrial wastewater for the cities of Belmont, San Carlos, Redwood City, Woodside, Menlo Park, Atherton, and Portola Valley, and areas of East Palo Alto, and unincorporated San Mateo and Santa Clara counties. The facility serves a population of about 220,000 people. It discharges about 13.6 million gallons per day of treated wastewater to the main shipping channel in Lower San Francisco Bay through a deepwater diffuser, 6,700 feet offshore.

The deadline for receipt of comment on the draft permit is **5:00 p.m. on February 13, 2023**. Comments must be sent to the **attention of Gaurav Mittal**. Persons wishing to file written comments on any aspect of this matter must do so no later than this deadline so such comments may be considered.

The Board will consider adopting the draft permit during a meeting to commence at 9:00 a.m. on **March 8, 2023**. Interested persons are invited to express their views during this hearing.

Pursuant to California Code of Regulations Title 23 section 2050(c), any party who challenges the Board's action through a petition to the State Water Resources Control Board under Water Code section 13320 will be limited to raising only those substantive issues that were raised before the Board at the hearing or in timely submitted correspondence.

All documents related to the draft permit may be inspected at the Board office. The draft permit and developments on this matter are available at www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay. Board staff responses to comments will be posted on that website a week prior to the hearing. Contact **Gaurav Mittal** at **(510) 622-2407** or **gaurav.mittal@waterboards.ca.gov** if you have questions.