

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**

**Cities of South San Francisco and San Bruno and North Bayside System Unit (NBSU)
South San Francisco – San Bruno Water Quality Control Plant, City of South San
Francisco and City of San Bruno Sanitary Sewer Systems, and NBSU
195 Belle Air Road South San Francisco, CA 94080, San Mateo County**

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.

The Cities of South San Francisco and San Bruno own the Water Quality Control Plant, which treats approximately 8 million gallons of wastewater per day for discharge to San Francisco Bay through the North Bayside System Unit's submerged diffuser located approximately 5,300 feet offshore from Point San Bruno.

The deadline for receipt of comments on the draft order is **5:00 p.m. on March 9, 2026**. Comments must be sent to the **attention of Jerry Xu**. Persons wishing to file written comments on any aspect of this matter must do so no later than this deadline so that such comments may be considered.

The Board will consider adopting the draft order during a meeting to commence at 9:00 a.m. on **April 8, 2026**. Interested persons are invited to express their views at 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 https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay/board_decisions/tentative_orders.html.

Comments received, Board staff responses to comments, and other developments on this matter will be posted on the Board meeting agenda a week prior to the hearing and will be available at https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay/board_info/agenda.html.

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