

401 Certification

Pre-Filing Meeting Request

Pursuant to the 401 Certification Rule, project proponents must submit a Pre-Filing Meeting Request a minimum of 30 days prior to submitting the 401 water quality certification application or the Consolidated Dredging-Dredged Material Reuse/Disposal application.

If you are applying for a single episode 401 water quality certification for maintenance dredging OR a multi-episode 401 water quality certification for maintenance dredging WITH a first episode approval, please fill out this Form and submit it with your Sampling and Analysis Plan.

If you are applying for a multi-episode 401 water quality certification for maintenance dredging WITHOUT a first episode approval, please send this completed form by [email](mailto:rb2-dredgereports@waterboards.ca.gov) (rb2-dredgereports@waterboards.ca.gov) AFTER knowing all the information needed in the consolidated application and AFTER receiving an integrated alternatives analysis approval by the LTMS.

If you are applying for one of the following 401 water quality certifications for maintenance dredging:

- (1) Single episode with a Tier 1 Analysis, or
- (2) Single episode with a Tier 1 Analysis with Confirmatory Chemistry,

please send this completed form by [email](mailto:rb2-dredgereports@waterboards.ca.gov) (rb2-dredgereports@waterboards.ca.gov) AFTER knowing all the information needed in the consolidated application.

If you are applying for a 401 water quality certification for new dredging work, please send this completed form by [email](mailto:rb2-dredgereports@waterboards.ca.gov) (rb2-dredgereports@waterboards.ca.gov) AFTER knowing all the information needed in the consolidated application, AFTER receiving an integrated alternatives analysis approval by the LTMS, and AFTER you have a plan describing avoidance, minimization and compensatory mitigation measures.

To facilitate discussions on timing of permit issuance and application requirements, we appreciate [notification](mailto:rb2-dredgereports@waterboards.ca.gov) (rb2-dredgereports@waterboards.ca.gov) of upcoming permitting requests ahead of receiving the Prefiling Meeting Request.

Project Name: _____

Project Location, City and County: _____

Applicant Name: _____

Applicant Telephone Number: _____

Applicant Email Address: _____