



## Santa Ana Regional Water Quality Control Board

# **AGENDA ANNOUNCEMENT**

## **REGIONAL BOARD MEETING**

Friday, July 25, 2025 at 9:00 a.m.

City of Orange 300 E Chapman Avenue Orange, CA 92866

And via Video and Teleconference (Gov. Code, § 11123.2)

Live Video Webcast

#### NOTICE

This meeting will occur with both a physical meeting location and an option to participate by Zoom. A majority of the Board members will be physically present at the noticed meeting location. One or more Board members may participate remotely.

A computer is not required to participate in the meeting; the public will also have the option to dial into the meeting by phone. Additional information regarding virtual meeting participation is available on the Santa Ana Water Board's website: <u>https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/santaana/board\_info/remote\_meeting/index.html</u>

#### VIDEO AND TELECONFERENCE OPTIONS

For those who **only wish to watch** the meeting, the webcast remains available at <u>https://cal-span.org/</u> and should be used **UNLESS** you intend to comment.

For those who wish to comment on an agenda item by Zoom, please complete the Zoom virtual speaker card available here: <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\_EC1JIQb\_TAG3XnELYCCp1w</u>

You must submit a virtual speaker card **no later than 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 23, 2025**. If you do not submit a virtual speaker card by the deadline, please do so as soon as you can. Virtual speaker cards received after the deadline from remote participants will be accommodated where possible, but virtual participation in the meeting cannot be guaranteed.

Members of the public cannot participate in the Zoom meeting until receiving an email with the password. After you submit the online registration form, you will receive an email with the Zoom web link and phone numbers to participate in the meeting. If you do not receive a confirmation email with the Zoom information after filling out the online

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registration form, please email <u>jessica.baenre@waterboards.ca.gov</u> or call 951-782-3285. If you need assistance during the Board meeting, please email <u>RB8-</u> <u>r8support@waterboards.ca.gov</u>.

#### **IN-PERSON OPTION**

For those who wish to comment on an agenda item in-person at the **physical meeting location**, it is **highly recommended** that you complete a speaker card in advance. Please complete the Forms virtual speaker card available here: <u>https://forms.office.com/g/U38BXbXtCb</u>.

You may also fill out a virtual speaker card using the QR Code available at the physical meeting location. At the meeting location, you will see a printed QR Code. To use the QR Code, open your phone's camera, point the camera at the QR code, and your phone will display a link to forms.office.com. Click on the link, and you will be directed to the virtual speaker card website, where you can sign up to speak on an agenda item.

Please note that commenters will generally be taken in the order of the receipt of the virtual speaker cards. Further note that the Board Chair has the discretion to specify the order of commenters.

## **ORDER OF AGENDA**

Agenda items are numbered for identification purposes only and may not necessarily be considered in this order.

#### Item 1. Introductions and Declaration of Quorum

#### Item 2. Public Forum

Any person may address the Santa Ana Water Board on any matter within the Board's jurisdiction, provided that the matter does not appear elsewhere on the agenda, has not been scheduled to appear on a future agenda, and is not otherwise pending before the Board.

#### Item 3. State Water Resources Control Board Liaison Report

The State Water Board will provide an update on State Water Board activities. {Jayne Joy, 951-782-3284, jayne.joy@waterboards.ca.gov}

#### Item 4. Racial Equity

The Santa Ana Water Board staff will provide an update on the Racial Equity activities. {Jayne Joy, 951-782-3284, jayne.joy@waterboards.ca.gov}

#### Item 5. Regional Board Meeting Minutes of June 13, 2025

The Santa Ana Water Board will consider approval of the Minutes of the Regional Board meeting of June 13, 2025. (Action item) {Jessica Baenre, 951-782-3285, jessica.baenre@waterboards.ca.gov}

#### Item 6. Consideration of the Consent Calendar

Items below, marked with an asterisk, are expected to be routine and non-controversial. The Board will be asked to consider these items at one time without discussion. If any interested person, Board Member, or staff requests that an item be removed from the consent calendar, it will be taken up in the order shown.

#### Item \*7. Waste Discharge Requirements for Gateway at Grand Terrace Specific Plan Project; City of Grand Terrace, San Bernardino County

The Santa Ana Water Board will consider the adoption of Waste Discharge Requirements for Order R8-2025-0055 for the Gateway at Grand Terrace Specific Plan Project within the City of Grand Terrace in San Bernardino County. The Project encompasses the construction of 695 residential dwelling units and 335,700 square feet of non-residential uses on a total of 111.9. The Project proposes a mix of residential, commercial, and public facilities land uses. The construction of the Project would result in the permanent physical loss of 0.53 acre of stream channel and wetland acre waters of the State.

#### Order Number R8-2025-0055

{Celina Rong, 951-782-4493, celina.rong@waterboards.ca.gov}

#### Item \*8. Waste Discharge Requirements for Verdemont TTM 16794; San Bernardino County

The Santa Ana Water Board will consider the adoption of Waste Discharge Requirements for Order R8-2025-0056 for the Verdemont TTM 16794 Project within the City of San Bernardino in San Bernardino County. The Project encompasses the construction of 44 single-family residential and associated infrastructure on 18.45 acres within the City of San Bernardino. The construction of the Project would result in the permanent physical loss of 0.05-acre of ephemeral waters of the State.

### Order Number R8-2025-0056

{Celina Rong, 951-782-4493, celina.rong@waterboards.ca.gov}

## Item \*9. Waste Discharge Requirements for Oak Hills West Residential Tract 38652; City of Menifee, Riverside County

The Santa Ana Water Board will consider the adoption of Waste Discharge Requirements for Order R8-2025-0063 for the Oak Hills W Residential T38652 Project within the City of Menifee in Riverside County. The Project encompasses the development of a single-family residential subdivision, to provide additional residential housing units and associated infrastructure. The Project consists of 37 residential lots plus a common area on an approximately 15.5-acre, of a 77.81-acre property. The remainder of the property will remain undisturbed open space. The Project will result in the permanent physical loss of 0.39 acres of ephemeral streambed.

#### Order Number R8-2025-0063

{Celina Rong, 951-782-4493, celina.rong@waterboards.ca.gov}

#### Item \*10. Revision Order

The Santa Ana Water Board will consider the adoption of Revision Order R8-2025-0064 to substitute the discharger for regulatory coverage of the Sycamore Heights Residential Development Project.

Order Number R8-2025-0064

{Claudia Tenorio, 951-782-4963, <u>claudia.tenorio@waterboards.ca.gov</u>}

Item 11. Basin Plan Amendment to Revise the Nutrient Total Maximum Daily Loads for Lake Elsinore and Canyon Lake

The Santa Ana Water Board will consider the adoption of a Basin Plan Amendment to revise the Nutrient Total Maximum Daily Loads in Lake Elsinore and Canyon Lake. (Action item)

Proposed Resolution Number R8-2025-0014 / Attachment A to Proposed Resolution / Technical Report / Response to Peer Review Comments / Response to Public Comments 1 / Response to Public Comments 2 / Errata Sheet {Lauren Briggs, 951-320-6375, lauren.briggs@waterboards.ca.gov}

#### Item 12. Time Schedule Order R8-2025-0001 requiring the County of Orange to comply with Requirements prescribed in General Permit for Storm Water Discharges associated with Industrial Activities

Proposed adoption of tentative Order R8-2025-0001 to extend Time Schedule Order R8-2020-0029 and revise the schedule for compliance with the Copper and Zinc Numeric Effluent Limitations for discharges to the Newport Bay/San Diego Creek watershed from John Wayne Airport. Specific tasks are required to be completed by the discharger during the proposed extension to achieve compliance by July 25, 2030. (Action item)

Proposed Tentative Order Number R8-2025-0001/ Order Number 2014-0057-DWQ {Michelle Beckwith, 951-782-4433, michelle.beckwith@waterboards.ca.gov}

Item 13. Executive Officer's Report

{Jayne Joy, 951-782-3284, jayne.joy@waterboards.ca.gov}

#### Item 14. Board Member and Executive Officer Communications

Santa Ana Water Board Members and the Executive Officer may discuss meetings, communications, correspondence, or other items of general interest, relating to matters within the Board's jurisdiction. There will be no voting or formal action taken.

#### **Closed Session**

At any time during the regular session, the Santa Ana Water Board may adjourn to a closed session to:

a. consider evidence received in an adjudicatory hearing and deliberate on a decision to be reached based on that evidence (Gov. Code, § 11126, subd. (c)(3));

- b. consider the appointment, employment, evaluation of performance, or dismissal of a public employee or to hear complaints or charges brought against a public employee (Gov. Code, § 11126, subd. (a)(1));
- c. discuss significant exposure to litigation (Gov. Code, § 11126, subd. (e)(2)(B)(i));
- discuss whether to initiate litigation (Gov. Code, § 11126, subd. (e)(2)(C)(i)); and
- e. discuss pending litigation in the following matters (Gov. Code, § 11126, subd. (e)(2)(A)):
  - (1) In re: Santa Ana Region MS4 Permit Orange County et al., Commission on State Mandates Test Claim No. 09-TC-03 [Regarding a test claim filed by Orange County, Orange County Flood Control District, and several cities within Orange County alleging that portions of Order No. R8-2009-0030 created unfunded state mandates].
  - (2) In re: Santa Ana Region MS4 Permit Riverside County et al., Commission on State Mandates Test Claim No. 10-TC-07 [Regarding a test claim filed by Riverside County, Riverside County Flood Control and Water Conservation District, and several cities within Riverside County alleging that portions of Order No. R8-2010-0033 created unfunded state mandates].
  - (3) In re: Santa Ana Region MS4 Permit San Bernardino County et al., Commission on State Mandates Test Claim No. 10-TC-10 [Regarding a test claim filed by San Bernardino County, San Bernardino County Flood Control District, and several cities within San Bernardino County alleging that portions of Order No. R8-2010-0036 created unfunded state mandates].
  - (4) In re: Water Code Section 13383(a) MS4 Trash Orders, Commission on State Mandates Test Claim Nos. 17-TC-07 to 17-TC-28 [Regarding 22 different test claims filed by various MS4 permittees within the Santa Ana Region alleging that portions of the Water Code section 13383(a) MS4 Trash Orders issued to each created unfunded state mandates].
  - (5) In the Matter of Cham-Cal Engineering Inc. and Western Avenue Associates, LP (Orange County Superior Court Case No. 30-2024-01385446-CU-EN-CJC) [collection of ACL Order R8-2020-0046].
  - (6) Ecological Rights Foundation v. Santa Ana Water Board, et. al.
    (Orange County Superior Court Case No. CPF-24-518824) [review of small MS4 waivers].

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#### <u>Adjournment</u>

To the regular Board meeting scheduled for September 12, 2025 at 9:00 a.m. Please follow our website for further updates:

#### https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/santaana/board\_info/board\_meeting\_schedule.html

#### LANGUAGE SERVICES

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- Submit a Language Services Request online
- Call the Office of Public Engagement, Equity, and Tribal Affairs (OPEETA) at 916-341-5254
- Email the OPEETA at <u>opp-languageservices@waterboards.ca.gov</u>

#### ACCESSIBILITY

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#### NOTICES

Any person interested in obtaining information and/or providing input regarding pending applications for Water Quality Certification under section 401 of the federal Clean Water Act, may contact us by email at <u>RB8-401application@waterboards.ca.gov</u>.

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Any person aggrieved by an action of the Santa Ana Water Board may petition the State Water Board to review the action in accordance with Water Code section 13320 and California Code of Regulations, title 23, section 2050 et seq. The State Water Board must receive the petition by 5:00 p.m., 30 days after the date of the action, except that if the thirtieth day falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or state holiday, the petition must be received by the State Water Board by 5:00 p.m. on the next business day. Copies of the law and regulations applicable to filing petitions will be provided upon request.