
Santa Ana Regional Water Quality Control Board

September 23, 2025

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

FOR

WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR DISCHARGES OF DREDGED OR FILL MATERIALS TO WATERS OF THE STATE

GOLDEN MEADOWS MAINTENANCE PROJECT

RIVERSIDE COUNTY

TENTATIVE ORDER R8-2025-0080

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Santa Ana Regional Water Quality Control Board (Santa Ana Water Board) is releasing for public review and comment tentative Order R8-2025-0080 (Tentative Order) to Richland Planned Communities, Inc (Discharger) for the Golden Meadows Maintenance Project (Project).

The Project encompasses maintenance activities that are necessary to provide adequate flood control protection while ensuring the long-term protection within a natural open drainage channel and drainage basin that total 9.45 acres of waters of the State. The implementation of the Project will result in temporary impacts to waters of the State as a result of flood control structure repairs and/or removal of sediment.

The Santa Ana Water Board intends to consider adopting the Tentative Order during a public hearing at a regularly scheduled Santa Ana Water Board meeting as follows:

Date: October 24, 2025
Time: 9:00 a.m.
Location: City of Montclair
5111 Benito Street
Montclair, CA 91763
(remote participation available)

The public may participate either in person at the physical meeting location or virtually via the Zoom meeting platform. Instructions concerning how to participate virtually are available on the Santa Ana Water Board's [Remote Participation](#) webpage. For those who do not intend to actively participate, the meeting will be livestreamed via [Cal-Span](#).

PUBLIC COMMENT GUIDELINES

Interested persons may attend and express their views orally on this matter at the public hearing. Oral statements should be brief to allow all interested persons time to be heard. Such comments will generally be limited to three minutes, though the Board Chair may grant additional time on a case-by-case basis.

The Santa Ana Water Board's agenda for the Board meeting will be available on the Santa Ana Water Board's [Agenda](#) webpage at least ten days prior to the meeting. Please check the Santa Ana Water Board's website for the most up-to-date public hearing date and location, as they are subject to change.

SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS

The Santa Ana Water Board will accept written comments on the Tentative Order during a 30-day public comment period. Persons wishing to submit written comments on the Tentative Order are requested to do so as soon as possible, but comments must be received no later than 5:00 pm on October 23, 2025.

Written comments can be submitted to Claudia Tenorio via email at Claudia.Tenorio@waterboards.ca.gov. Hand deliveries and mailed comments should be sent to the address below:

Attn: Claudia Tenorio, Senior Environmental Scientist
Santa Ana Regional Water Quality Control Board
3737 Main Street, Suite 500
Riverside, CA 92501

DOCUMENT AVAILABILITY

A copy of the Tentative Order is available on the Santa Ana Water Board's [Tentative Orders](#) webpage. Arrangements for file review and/or obtaining copies of the Tentative Order may be made by calling the Santa Ana Water Board at (951) 782-4130.

ACCESSIBILITY

Any person who requires special accommodation to participate in the Santa Ana Water Board hearing should contact Jessica Baenre at (951) 782-3285 no later than October 10, 2025.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

For additional information, please contact: Claudia Tenorio, Senior Environmental Scientist.

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