



State Water Resources Control Board

Public Notice of Waste Discharge Requirements for Median Regrading on I-40 from Post Mile R25 to Post Mile R50

State Water Resources Control Board Division of Water Quality Water Quality Certification Program Date Posted: May 31, 2022

Affected County: San Bernardino

This public notice of draft Waste Discharge Requirements is provided in satisfaction of Water Code section 13167.5.

State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) staff are proposing to regulate Median Regrading on I-40 from Post Mile R25 to Post Mile R50 (Project) pursuant to the Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act (Wat. Code, § 13000 et seq.). This Project will result in impacts to waters of the state only. **Staff will consider all comments submitted in writing and received during a 30-day comment period that begins on the first date of issuance of this letter (May 31, 2022) and ends at 5:00 p.m. on the last day of the comment period (June 29, 2022). To submit comments, to obtain any of the Order attachments, or if you have any questions, please contact the State Water Board staff person listed below.**

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Date Application Deemed Complete: May 5, 2022

State Water Board has responsibility to issue or deny Waste Discharge Requirements for the Project because this is a subsequent phase of activity following previously permitted actions at the same location. The decision to maintain responsibility at State

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Water Board was made in coordination with the Lahontan and Colorado River Basin Regional Water Quality Control Boards.

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