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## San Diego Regional Water Quality Control Board

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**Subject: Notice of Public Opportunity to Comment on Tentative Cleanup and Abatement Order No. R9-2024-0011 – 1654 and 1718 E. Valley Parkway, Escondido, California**

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The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region (San Diego Water Board), is releasing Tentative Cleanup and Abatement Order No. R9-2024-0011, *An Order Directing Guhn Y. Kim and Yun Soon Kim, as Administrators of the Kim Family Trust of 2017, M&E Brothers LLC, Flor De Lys Barawid, and Kim Buhler, as Administrator of the Hortman Trust, to Clean Up or Abate the Effects of an Unauthorized Release from 1654 and 1718 E. Valley Parkway, Escondido, California (Tentative Order), for public review and comment.*

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**Document Availability**

The Tentative Order is available online at:

[https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sandiego/board\\_decisions/tentative\\_orders/](https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sandiego/board_decisions/tentative_orders/)

**Submission of Written Comments**

The written comment period provides an opportunity for interested persons to comment on the Tentative Order. All written comments regarding the Tentative Order must be received by **March 22, 2024**, to be considered prior to issuance. Written comments sent by mail must be addressed to California Regional Water Quality Control Board – San Diego Region, 2375 Northside Drive, Suite 100, San Diego, California 92108-2700, and ATTN: Tom Alo. Comments can also be submitted by email to [sandiego@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:sandiego@waterboards.ca.gov). The subject line of all written comments must include “Comment – Tentative Order No. R9-2024-0011.”

**Contact for Further Information**

Please contact Tom Alo at (619) 521-3375 or [tom.alo@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:tom.alo@waterboards.ca.gov) for more information regarding the above proposed action. Please share this information with any person who would be interested in this matter.

Respectfully,

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