

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD SAN DIEGO REGION

TENTATIVE ORDER R9-2009-0002 Orange County Municipal Storm Water Permit

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region (Regional Board) hereby notifies the public of its intent to consider adoption of Tentative Order No. R9-2009-0002 (formerly R9-2008-0001 and R9-2007-0002), the Orange County Municipal Storm Water Permit, at a public meeting scheduled for the following time and location¹:

November 18, 2009 at 9:00 am
San Diego Regional Water Quality Control Board
9174 Sky Park Court, Suite 100
San Diego, CA 92123

Public hearings on earlier versions of the Tentative Order were held on April 11, 2007, February 13, 2008, and July 1, 2009. The Tentative Order has been revised following consideration of comments received since February 9, 2007. At the July 1, 2009 hearing, the Regional Board extensively discussed major changes to the Tentative Order. The latest version was made available for public review on August 12, 2009. The Tentative Order and additional information may be found on the Regional Board website at: <http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sandiego>. As indicated in the August 12, 2009 Notice of Written Comment Period, written comments on the Tentative Order received by 5 p.m. on September 28, 2009, will be provided to the Regional Board members for their consideration prior to the public hearing. Written comments received after the deadline will not be accepted and will not be incorporated into the administrative record if doing so would jeopardize any party. Interested persons are invited to attend the public hearing to express views on the Tentative Order and will be expected to orally summarize their written comments. We encourage attendees to focus their comments on changes made since the last draft and errata that was presented to the Regional Board on July 1, 2009.

Please contact Mr. Ben Neill at (858) 467-2952 or via e-mail at bneill@waterboards.ca.gov for information regarding the meeting or Tentative Order No. R9-2009-0002.

All documents, comments received, and other information related to the above-mentioned item are on file and may be reviewed at the Regional Board office, address above, telephone (858) 467-2952, FAX (858) 571-6972. Review of information and files may be conducted Monday through Friday from 8 am to 5 pm. To insure that space is available we suggest that you contact Sylvia Wellnitz at (858) 637-5593 to schedule an appointment. Or send an e-mail to File_Review@waterboards.ca.gov. Please bring the foregoing to the attention and person known to you who would be interested in these matters.

JOHN H. ROBERTUS
Executive Officer

¹ If it is necessary to modify the meeting date or location, a further public notice will be issued.