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**Subject:** Cachuma Project - Requests for extension of time to comment on the revised draft order  
**Date:** Friday, April 12, 2019 4:31:00 PM  
**Attachments:** [CACHUMA TIME EXTENSION RDO COMMENT DEADLINE\\_MJB\\_FINAL.pdf](#)

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### [Cachuma Project Hearing Service List:](#)

This email is to advise you that a letter regarding the deadline to submit comments on the revised draft order amending water right permits for the Cachuma Project (Permits 11308 and 11310 (Applications 11331 and 11332)) is attached and will be posted on the State Water Resources Control Board's (State Water Board) website at:

[http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water\\_issues/programs/hearings/cachuma/](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water_issues/programs/hearings/cachuma/)

The new deadline for interested persons and parties to submit written comments on the changes in the revised draft order and the possible drought off-ramp conditions is no later than **12:00 Noon on May 29, 2019.**

If you have non-controversial procedural questions, please contact Environmental Scientist Jane Farwell-Jensen at (916) 341-5349, or by email to [jane.farwell-jensen@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:jane.farwell-jensen@waterboards.ca.gov).

Sincerely,

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## State Water Resources Control Board

April 12, 2019

### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

### CURRENT SERVICE LIST:

### REQUESTS FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO COMMENT ON THE REVISED DRAFT ORDER AMENDING PERMITS 11308 AND 11310

On March 29, 2019, the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) released a revised draft order amending the terms and conditions of the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation's (Reclamation) water right permits for the Cachuma Project (Permits 11308 and 11310 (Applications 11331 and 11332)). On April 4 and 5, 2019, respectively, the Cachuma Conservation Release Board, Santa Ynez River Water Conservation District (SYRWCD), City of Lompoc, SYRWCD Irrigation District No. 1 (collectively the Local Interests) and the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation (Reclamation) submitted requests for an additional 45 days to comment on the revised draft order amending Permits 11308 and 11310 (Cachuma Project). The Local Interests and Reclamation state that the additional comment time is necessary since the revised draft order contains substantial revisions.

Although the revisions to the draft order are primarily descriptive, an additional 30 days to submit comments on the revised draft order amending Permits 11308 and 11310 has been granted. Comments on the revised draft order must be received by the State Water Board at 12 Noon on May 29, 2019.

As a reminder, interested persons and parties may only submit written comments **on the changes in the revised draft order and the possible drought off-ramp conditions.**

The revised draft order and attachments as well as additional information related to this project are available at

[https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water\\_issues/programs/hearings/cachuma/](https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water_issues/programs/hearings/cachuma/)

Written comments are to be addressed and submitted to:

Jeanine Townsend  
Clerk to the Board  
State Water Resources Control Board  
PO Box 100  
Sacramento, CA 95812-0100

You may also submit your comments to Ms. Townsend by fax at (916) 341-5620, by email at [commentletters@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:commentletters@waterboards.ca.gov), or by hand delivery to the following location:

E. JOAQUIN ESQUIVEL, CHAIR | EILEEN SOBECK, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Jeanine Townsend, Clerk to the Board  
Executive Office  
State Water Resources Control Board  
Cal/EPA Headquarters  
1001 "I" Street, 24th Floor  
Sacramento, CA 95814

Couriers delivering comments must check in with lobby security and have them contact the Executive Office on the 24th floor at (916) 341-5600.

Please include the subject line, "**COMMENT LETTER –Cachuma Project Revised Draft Order.**" Any faxed or emailed items must be followed by a mailed or delivered hard copy with an original signature.

Written comments must be served on the [Service List of Parties to Exchange Information](#) in this proceeding as indicated therein. Comments that do not include proof of service upon the service list will not be reviewed or posted until the State Water Board has notified the parties. The revised draft order and attachments as well as additional information related to this project are available at

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Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY:

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