

**CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
LAHONTAN REGION**

2501 Lake Tahoe Blvd., South Lake Tahoe, CA 96150

PUBLIC NOTICE OF AVAILABLE DOCUMENTS FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT

**CONDITIONAL WAIVER OF WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR WASTE
DISCHARGES RESULTING FROM TIMBER HARVEST AND VEGETATION
MANAGEMENTS ACTIVITIES IN THE LAHONTAN REGION**

This is a Public Notice by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Lahontan Region (Lahontan Water Board) that the tentative *Conditional Waiver of Waste Discharge Requirements for Waste Discharges Resulting from Timber Harvest and Vegetation Management Activities in the Lahontan Region*, Board Order No. R6T-2024-TENT (tentative 2024 Timber Waiver) is available to review and comment at the following hyperlink (or a copy may be sent upon request):

https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/lahontan/board_decisions/tentative_orders/

If adopted, the tentative 2024 Timber Waiver will regulate waste discharges resulting from timber harvest and vegetation management activities throughout the Lahontan Region.

Project Information

Permit Applicants	Private landowners, timber harvest companies, federal agencies,
Name of Project	2024 Timber Waiver
Permittee/Facility Address	Projects may occur throughout the Lahontan region
Discharge Point	Discharge may occur in waters of the state throughout the Lahontan region
Discharge Description	Waste discharges resulting from timber harvest and vegetation management activities
Receiving Waters	Waters of the state throughout the Lahontan region

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Lahontan Region (Lahontan Water Board) will receive written comments on tentative *Conditional Waiver of Waste Discharge Requirements for Waste Discharges Resulting from Timber Harvest and Vegetation Management Activities in the Lahontan Region*. Written comments must be received no later than 5:00pm on February 5, 2024. Written comments may be submitted electronically, via email, with the subject "Comments on Tentative 2024 Timber Waiver" to lahontan@waterboards.ca.gov, or submitted via hard copy to 2501 Lake Tahoe Boulevard, South Lake Tahoe, CA 96150, to the attention of Adam Henriques.

Document Availability: The tentative 2024 Timber Waiver and corresponding information are available on:

https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/lahontan/board_decisions/tentative_orders/

All written comments must be received by 5:00 p.m. on February 5, 2024. Written comments may be emailed to lahontan@waterboards.ca.gov. Comments may also be mailed to:

Lahontan Regional Water Quality Control Board
Attention: Adam Henriques
2501 Lake Tahoe Blvd.
South Lake Tahoe, CA 96150

Please include "Comments on Tentative 2024 Timber Waiver" in the subject line of your email or hard copy submittals.

Copies of any documents can also be obtained by contacting the Lahontan Water Board's office at (530) 542-5400 or visiting the office at 2501 Lake Tahoe Blvd., South Lake Tahoe, CA, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

The tentative 2024 Timber Waiver is being circulated to solicit comments, edits, and suggestions ahead of a Lahontan Water Board hearing on the proposed 2024 Timber Waiver. The Water Board is scheduled to review and consider approval of the proposed 2024 Timber Waiver at the April 2024 Board Meeting. **Please submit comments, edits, and suggestions before 5:00 p.m. on February 5, 2024**, so they may be given full consideration towards the proposed 2024 Timber Waiver.

Questions may be directed to Adam Henriques at the Lahontan Water Board at (530) 542-5439 or adam.henriques@waterboards.ca.gov.

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