



## Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

May 10, 2024

David West, Chief Plant Operator PO Box 707 Avalon, CA 90704

REVISED TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS (WDRs) AND NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT – CITY OF AVALON – AVALON WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY, AVALON, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CA0054372, CI NO. 0066)

**Dear David West:** 

Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board (Los Angeles Water Board) staff has revised the tentative WDRs and NPDES permit dated March 19, 2024, based on written comments received by the April 18, 2024 public comment deadline. A copy of the revised tentative Order and written responses to all comments received are enclosed. Changes to the tentative Order appear in strikeout and underline format. Written comments are not being solicited regarding the revised tentative Order.

In accordance with administrative procedures, the Los Angeles Water Board at a public hearing to be held on **May 23**, **2024**, **at 9:00 a.m.**, **at 320 W 4**<sup>th</sup> **Street**, **Carmel Room**, **Los Angeles**, **California**, **90013**, will consider the enclosed revised tentative requirements and comments submitted in writing regarding the revised tentative Order. A virtual platform is also available for those who want to join online. Please follow the directions provided in the agenda to register or to view the Board meeting. The date and location of the May Board meeting are subject to change and updates will be provided on the Los Angeles Water Board's <u>website</u>

(<a href="http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board\_info/agenda/index.shtml">http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board\_info/agenda/index.shtml</a>) approximately one week prior to the meeting.

The Los Angeles Water Board will hear any testimony pertinent to the revised tentative Order. It is expected that the Los Angeles Water Board will take action at the hearing; however, as testimony indicates, the Board, at its discretion, may order further action by staff.

If you have any questions, please contact <u>me</u> at <u>steven.webb@waterboards.ca.gov</u> or (213) 576-6793, or Don Tsai at <u>Don.Tsai@waterboards.ca.gov</u> or (213) 576-6681.

Sincerely,

Steven Webb, P.E. Municipal Permitting Unit Supervisor Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

## **Enclosures**

Revised Tentative Order

Revised Tentative Monitoring and Reporting Program (Attachment E)

Revised Tentative Fact Sheet (Attachment F); and

**Revised Tentative Attachments** 

Response to Comments

cc: United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, Permits Branch (WTR-2-3)

NOAA, National Marine Fisheries Service

Department of Interior, US Fish and Wildlife Service

Afrooz Farsimadan and Renan Jauregui, State Water Resources Control Board

Department of Fish and Wildlife, Region 5

US Fish and Wildlife Service

California State Parks and Recreation

California Coastal Conservancy

California Coastal Commission, South Coast Region

Heal the Bay

Natural Resources Defense Council

US Army Corps of Engineers

Los Angeles Waterkeeper

Surfrider Foundation

Los Angeles County Department of Public Health

Air Quality Management District

Department of Toxic Substances Control