

Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

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RESCISSION OF COVERAGE; WATER QUALITY ORDER 2004-0012-DWQ; SYNAGRO WEST LLC; DEXTER MAYHOOD III; MAYHOOD RANCH; SOLANO COUNTY

On 2 November 2021, the Executive Officer of the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Valley Water Board) issued a Notice of Applicability (NOA) granting coverage under the State Water Resources Control Board's *General Waste Discharge Requirements for the Discharge of Biosolids to Land* (Biosolids General Order, 2004-0012-DWQ) to Synagro West LLC and Dexter Mayhood III (hereafter referred to as Dischargers, collectively). The discharge was assigned enrollee number **2004-0012-DWQ-0028**. On 1 February 2022, the NOA was revised to correct an omission in the regional field location, resulting in the addition of field SO-23-01.

The NOA authorizes the application of Class B Biosolids to Mayhood Ranch, which consists of eight fields totaling approximately 949.6 acres of farmland. The Biosolids General Order requires groundwater monitoring in areas where groundwater is encountered at depths less than 25 feet below ground surface, which resulted in the installation of groundwater monitoring well MW-2 in Field SO-23-03.

On 21 November 2025, the Central Valley Water Board received a Notice of Termination (NOT), stating that Class B biosolids were last applied on 3 September 2022 to the permitted parcels listed in the NOA. In accordance with Provisions section D.1.b.(1) of the Biosolids General Order, termination for sites using Class B biosolids may not occur until 38 months after the last application date. The Discharger has met the 38-month post-application resting requirement.

We have also received and reviewed the Well Decommissioning Report dated 22 April 2026, prepared and stamped by Michael H. Friedman, a California Professional Geologist with Roux Associates, Inc., confirming that groundwater monitoring well MW-2 has been properly decommissioned in accordance with applicable requirements.

Based on meeting both the 38-month termination requirement and the well-decommissioning requirement, coverage under Order 2004-0012-DWQ is hereby rescinded.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Lani Andam with our Waste Discharge to Land Permitting Unit at lani.andam@waterboards.ca.gov.

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