



Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS

FOR

Gonzaga Ridge Wind Farm, LLC Gonzaga Ridge Wind Farm Repowering Project Merced County

TO ALL CONCERNED PERSONS AND AGENCIES:

Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Valley Water Board) staff has prepared the enclosed tentative Waste Discharge Requirements Order (Order) for fill discharges to waters deemed by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to be outside of federal jurisdiction for the Gonzaga Ridge Wind Farm, LLC, Gonzaga Ridge Wind Farm Repowering Project (Project). The Central Valley Water Board is currently soliciting public comments on the tentative Order in accordance with the enclosed Notice of Public Hearing.

To conserve resources, this letter transmits a paper copy of the tentative Order to the Permittee only. All other persons are advised that the full text of the tentative Order is available on the Central Valley Water Board's <u>Tentative Orders Page</u> (http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders/).

A copy of the tentative Order and related documents are also available upon request by contacting Brandon Salazar by email at Brandon.Salazar@waterboards.ca.gov or by phone at (559) 445-6278.

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If you have any questions regarding the tentative Order, the scheduling of the Public Hearing, or the above requirements, please contact Brandon Salazar at Brandon.Salazar@waterboards.ca.gov or by phone at (559) 445-6278.

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Enclosures: Notice of Public Hearing Tentative Waste Discharge Requirements Order

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