



Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

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TENTATIVE REVISED DRAFT, WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR HUMBOLDT ROAD BURN DUMP OPERATIONAL UNIT AND HUMBOLDT ROAD PRIVATE PROPERTIES OPERATIONAL UNIT, HUMBOLDT ROAD, CHICO, BUTTE COUNTY

Enclosed are tentative Waste Discharge Requirements and a Monitoring and Reporting Program for the Humboldt Road Burn Dump Operational Unit and the Humboldt Road Private Properties Operational Unit (Burn Dump and Private Properties, respectively). To be given full consideration, any comments or recommendations you may have concerning the tentative Order must be submitted in writing to the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Valley Water Board) office by 5:00 pm on 2 December 2024. Written materials submitted after 5:00 p.m. on 2 December 2024 will not be accepted and will not be incorporated into the administrative record if doing so would prejudice any party. Please note that the tentative documents will receive internal legal and management review during the public comment period.

A Public Hearing has been scheduled for the Central Valley Water Board to consider adoption of the tentative Order at its 20/21 February 2025 Board Meeting located at 11020 Sun Center Drive #200, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670, beginning at 8:30am. The Notice of Public Hearing (4 copies) and a copy of a Proof of Posting form are also enclosed. By **9 November 2024**, post one (1) copy of the Notice at:

- The entrance to the facility;
- The nearest city hall or county courthouse; and
- The post office nearest to the facility (if allowed).

Proof of posting, using the enclosed form, shall be filed with this office by **13 November 2024**.

MARK BRADFORD, CHAIR | PATRICK PULUPA, ESQ., EXECUTIVE OFFICER

To conserve resources, this letter transmits a paper copy of the tentative documents to the Discharger only. Interested persons are advised that the full text of the tentative documents is available on the Central Valley Waterboard's Tentative Orders Webpage (http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders/). Copies of these documents can also be obtained by contacting or visiting the Central Valley Water Board's Redding office at 364 Knollcrest Drive, Suite 205, Redding, California, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

If you have any questions regarding the proposed Order, the scheduling of the Public Hearing, or the above requirements please contact Patrick DeCarvalho of my staff at (530) 224-4786, Patrick.DeCarvalho@waterboards.ca.gov, or at the footer address.

Clint E. Snyder, P.G. Assistant Executive Officer

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Enclosures: Notice of Public Hearing (4 copies)

Proof of Posting Form Tentative Orders

cc w/out enclosures:

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Sacramento
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Sacramento
U.S. National Marine Fisheries Service, Santa Rosa

Department of Water Resources, Northern District, Red Bluff

Department of Public Health, Environmental Management

Branch, Sacramento

Division of Drinking Water, Redding

State Office of Historical Preservation, Sacramento Department of Fish and Wildlife, Region 1, Redding

Land Disposal Program Managers, SWRCB, Sacramento

cc electronically w/out enclosures:

Steve Wall, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, San Francisco Christopher Moskal, State Water Resources Control Board, Sacramento John Murphy, Central Valley Water Board, Rancho Cordova Kim Haas, Butte County Environmental Health, Red Bluff Bill Jennings, California Sportfishing Protection Alliance, Stockton