



State Water Resources Control Board

Division of Drinking Water

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System No. CA4900568

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COMPLIANCE ORDER NO. 18_E2_25R_001

ADMINISTRATOR ORDER TO VALLEY FORD WATER ASSOCIATION AND SELECTION OF RUSSIAN RIVER UTILITY AS THE FULL-SCOPE ADMINISTRATOR

Enclosed is Compliance Order No. 18_E2_25R_001 (“Order”), issued to the Valley Ford Water Association (“Association”) public water system. Please note that there are legally enforceable directives associated with this Order.

The State Water Board appreciates the willingness of the Association and Russian River Utility to work together over the past years. As discussed in the Order, the Association is ordered to accept Russian River Utility as a full-scope administrator and allow Russian River Utility to exercise full authority and control over the Association. The State Water Board looks forward to continuing to work with both the Association and Russian River Utility as they develop a sustainable long-term solution.

Any person who is aggrieved by a citation, order or decision issued under authority delegated to an officer or employee of the State Board under Article 8 (commencing with CHSC, Section 116625) or Article 9 (commencing with CHSC, Section 116650), of the Safe Drinking Water Act (CHSC, Division 104, Part 12, Chapter 4), may file a petition with the State Board for reconsideration of the citation, order or decision.

Petitions must be received by the State Board within 30 days of the issuance of the citation, order or decision by the officer or employee of the State Board. The date of issuance is the date when the Division of Drinking Water mails a copy of the citation, order or decision. If the 30th day falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or state holiday, the petition is due the following business day by 5:00 p.m.

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Information regarding filing petitions may be found at:

http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/drinking_water/programs/petitions/index.shtml

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Sirichad Tara Ouitavon of my staff at (510) 620-3154 or me at (916) 341-5045.

Sincerely,

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