



State Water Resources Control Board

NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT PROPOSED GENERAL ORDER DW 2025-00XX-DDW PER AND POLYFLUOROALKYL SUBSTANCES INITIAL MONITORING COMMUNITY AND NONTRANSIENT NONCOMMUNITY PUBLIC WATER SYSTEMS CALIFORNIA HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE SECTIONS 116378 AND 116530

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board), Division of Drinking Water (Division), proposes to issue a general order to community and nontransient noncommunity public water systems (PWS) to conduct monitoring and reporting for per and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS), pursuant to sections 116378 and 116530 of the Health and Safety Code.

The main purposes of the proposed order are (1) to require monitoring and reporting consistent with the PFAS National Primary Drinking Water Regulation for initial PWS monitoring and (2) to establish monitoring and reporting requirements for additional PFAS contaminants in preparation for future California-specific PFAS regulations. As an aid to subject PWS, the proposed order would include an exhibit listing all active sources, the extent to which previously reported monitoring results may satisfy federal requirements, and outstanding monitoring still required. The Division Deputy Director will consider comments received prior to issuing the final Order later this year.

DOCUMENT AVAILABILITY

The proposed order and exhibits are available on the State Water Board's website at: https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/drinking_water/certlic/drinkingwater/pfas_ddw_general_

Questions concerning this notice may be directed to WB-DDW-PFAS@waterboards.ca.gov

SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS

Persons interested in providing written comments on the proposed order are encouraged to submit comments electronically. To be considered prior to issuance of the final Order, comments must be received by 12:00 p.m. (noon) on December 4, 2025. Comments may be submitted electronically via email to commentletters@waterboards.ca.gov. Please indicate in the subject line: "Comment -2025 Order for Initial PFAS Monitoring."

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