
State Water Resources Control Board

**Notice of Public availability of changes to proposed regulation
Title 23. Waters
Division 3. State Water Resources Control Board and Regional Water Quality
Control Boards
Chapter 3.5. Urban Water Use Efficiency and Conservation
Article 1.
SUBJECT: MAKING CONSERVATION A CALIFORNIA WAY OF LIFE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) has updated the proposed text of the Making Conservation a California Way of Life regulation to correct a scrivener's error.

The Making Conservation a California Way of Life regulation was adopted by the State Water Board at its regularly scheduled July 3, 2024, Board Meeting but has not yet been finalized. The State Water Board is making the changed text available for public comment on specific revisions made in response to comments received on the proposed text.

The updated regulation text is labelled "Updated Proposed Text v5" dated July 15, 2024. The proposed text indicates added proposed regulation text with a single underline and deleted proposed regulation text with a strikethrough. The proposed changes were evaluated during Board adoption, with the Board supporting these changes being made under authority delegated to the Board's Executive Director. The changes are to section 969, subdivisions (d)(2)(B) and (d)(2)(C), which previously mistakenly referred to "residential landscapes" instead of "CII landscapes with DIMs." The changes fix this.

AVAILABILITY OF CHANGED OR MODIFIED TEXT

Documents will be available on the State Water Board's [Conservation Portal](https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/conservation_portal/regs/water_efficiency_legislation.html#reg-docs) at https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/conservation_portal/regs/water_efficiency_legislation.html#reg-docs

You may request a paper or email copy by contacting the conservation email at WaterConservation@waterboards.ca.gov.

WRITTEN COMMENT PERIOD

Any interested person may submit written comments on the changes to the proposed regulation to the Clerk to the State Water Board. Any written comments pertaining to the changes to the proposed regulation, regardless of the method of transmittal, must be received **on or before July 30, 2024**. The State Water Board will only consider written comments received by that time.

Please send comment letters to Ms. Courtney Tyler, Clerk to the Board, by email at commentletters@waterboards.ca.gov, (916) 341-5620 (fax), or by mail or hand delivery addressed to:

Courtney Tyler, Clerk to the Board
State Water Resources Control Board
P.O. Box 100, Sacramento, CA 95812-2000 (by mail)
1001 I Street, 24th Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814 (by hand delivery)

Please also indicate in the subject line, **“Comment Letter—Changes to Proposed Making Conservation a California Way of Life Regulation.”**

Comment letters may be submitted electronically, in portable document format (PDF) if less than 15 megabytes in total size, to the Clerk to the Board via e-mail at commentletters@waterboards.ca.gov. Due to the limitations of the email system, emails larger than 15 megabytes are rejected and cannot be delivered or received by the State Water Board. We request that comments larger than 15 megabytes be submitted under separate emails. Hand and special deliveries should also be addressed to Ms. Tyler at the address above. Couriers delivering comments must check in with lobby security and have them contact Ms. Tyler at (916) 341-5611.

To be added to the mailing list for this rulemaking and to receive notification of updates of this rulemaking, you may subscribe to the listserv for **“Water Conservation Regulations”** at: https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/resources/email_subscriptions/swrcb_subscribe.html (select “Water Conservation Regulations”).

CONTACT PERSONS

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A number of core documents relating to this proposed action may also be found on the State Water Board's website at the following address:

https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/conservation_portal/regs/

July 15, 2024

Date



Courtney Tyler
Clerk to the Board