

State of California
CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
LOS ANGELES REGION
320 West 4th Street, Suite 200, Los Angeles
REVISED FACT SHEET
WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
FOR
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
(West Coast Basin Barrier Project, Unit 2)
ORDER NO. R4-2003-0108
NPDES NO. CAG994005
CI-6093

FACILITATION LOCATION

Palm Avenue and Flournoy Road,
Redondo Beach, CA 90278

FACILITY MAILING ADDRESS

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PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The County of Los Angeles Department of Public Works (LACDPW) injects freshwater into the local drinking water aquifers to prevent seawater intrusion. LACDPW periodically redevelops the injection wells and discharges the wastewater to the storm drain. General NPDES Permit No. CAG 994005 (Order No. R4-2003-0108) was issued to LACDPW on October 28, 2003, for discharge of Unit 2 well development water to the Los Angeles County Flood Control Channel through Outfalls No.1 and No. 2. This Fact Sheet is being revised to include coverage under the general NPDES Permit for discharge of groundwater from one additional outfall No.3 to help facilitate and expedite the transport of well redevelopment water into the storm drain system.

VOLUME AND DESCRIPTION OF DISCHARGE

LACDPW conducts the well redevelopment approximately once every two years. Discharge during the well redevelopment typically last one to two weeks. Up to 144,000 gallons per day of groundwater is discharged to various storm drain outfalls listed below.

Outfall	Latitude	Longitude
1	33°55'45"	118°24'03"
2	33°55'36"	118°18'08"
3	33°53'34"	118°24'29"

Discharge to the storm drains flow to the Los Angeles County Flood Control Channel thence to the coastal stream of the Pacific Ocean, a water of the United States. The outfalls location is shown as Figure 1.

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APPLICABLE EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS

Based on the information provided, the following constituents in the Table below have been determined to show reasonable potential to exist in the discharge. The groundwater discharge flows to L.A. County Flood Control Channel thence to the coastal stream of the Pacific Ocean; therefore, the discharge limitations specified in Attachment B are not applicable to the discharge.

This Table lists the specific constituents and effluent limitations applicable to the discharge.

Constituent	Unit	Type of Sample	Minimum Frequency of Analysis
Turbidity	NTU	grab	once per discharge event
Total Suspended Solids	mg/L	grab	once per discharge event
BOD ₅ @ 20°C	mg/L	grab	once per discharge event
Settleable Solids	ml/L	grab	once per discharge event
Residual chlorine	mg/L	grab	once per discharge event

FREQUENCY OF DISCHARGE

The intermittent discharge occur approximately once every two years.

REUSE OF WATER

It is not economically feasible to haul all the groundwater for off-site disposal. It is not feasible to discharge the water to the sanitary sewer system. There are no other feasible reuse options for the short duration discharges. Therefore, the groundwater will be discharged to the flood control channel in compliance with the requirements of the attached order.

