

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD  
LOS ANGELES REGION  
320 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 200, Los Angeles, California 90013**

**FACT SHEET  
WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS  
FOR  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS  
TOPANGA BEACH LIFEGUARD/COMFORT STATION  
18720 PACIFIC COAST HIGHWAY**

**ORDER NO. 01- 031  
FILE NO. 02- 096**

**FACILITY ADDRESS**

18720 Pacific Coast Highway  
Malibu, CA 90265

**FACILITY MAILING ADDRESS**

500 West Temple Street, Room 754  
Los Angeles, CA 90012

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:**

Los Angeles County owns/operates Topanga Beach Lifeguard Station located at 18720 Pacific Coast Highway. The Lifeguard Station occupies a two-story building on the beach, located east of the Topanga Creek Outlet into the Pacific Ocean.

The facility contains two shower stalls, seven toilets, seven sinks and two urinals. The shower facilities are utilized by beach visitors to rinse off sand and seawater. One of the sinks is located on the second story of the building and only used by the on-duty lifeguard.

The facility has a 3,500-gallon septic tank. This tank is located approximately 40-feet north of the lifeguard station building. A lift station pumps sewage through a 4-inch line to a distribution box located under the parking lot north of the facility. The leach field is approximately 4,650 square feet. Groundwater elevation is estimated to be approximately 15 feet from the ground surface within artificial fill formation along the Pacific Coast Highway. The facility's leach field is located approximately 255 ft. east of the centerline of Topanga Canyon Wash and approximately 250 ft. from the Pacific Ocean.

**VOLUME AND DESCRIPTION OF DISCHARGE:**

Topanga Beach Lifeguard Station, (Latitude: 34°02'21.1", Longitude: 118°34'15.5") is estimated to discharge a maximum of approximately 1,500 gallons per day into the septic tank system. The wastewater is composed of water rinsed off from sand and seawater and typical residential wastewater.