
Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

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ACCEPTANCE OF MCFARLAND FIRE DERIVED WASTE, ORDER WQ 2020-0004-DWQ, GENERAL WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR DISASTER RELATED WASTES, ANDERSON CLASS III MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE LANDFILL AND CLASS II SURFACE IMPOUNDMENTS, ANDERSON LANDFILL, INC., 18703 CAMBRIDGE ROAD, ANDERSON, SHASTA COUNTY

On 17 August 2021, Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Valley Water Board) staff received Attachment C, Notice of Intent (NOI), to Order WQ 2020-0004-DWQ (Order) from Anderson Landfill, Inc. (Discharger). The NOI indicates that Anderson Class III Municipal Solid Waste Landfill and Class II Surface Impoundment (Anderson Landfill) intends to receive emergency-derived waste generated by the McFarland Fire. Coverage under the Order is automatic upon submittal of a complete NOI. This letter confirms receipt of the NOI, and coverage under the Order.

On 10 August 2021, the Office of the Governor declared a state of emergency due to the effects of the McFarland Fire. The Order conditionally waives the legal requirement for persons discharging waste from cleanup of an emergency or disaster area to submit a report of waste discharge (ROWD) and for the Central Valley Water Board to prescribe waste discharge requirements (WDRs) for the emergencies and discharges of wastes identified in the Order.

The Discharger must comply with the general waiver conditions identified in the Order. Coverage under the Order remains in effect until you submit a Notice of Termination (NOT), or coverage expires under the following conditions:

- The Governor or the Legislature terminates the state of emergency pursuant to California Government Code section 8629; or

- The Central Valley Water Board terminates enrollment of individual Dischargers/Units, or all Dischargers/Units temporarily enrolled under the Conditional Waiver for a particular emergency, or terminates this Conditional Waiver in its entirety.

On page 17 of the Order, the NOT section requires that:

...For permanent disposal in regulated waste management units that accepted waste from disaster-impacted areas, the owner/operator must submit an amendment to their ROWD (amendment to the facility's Joint Technical Document) describing the material change to their discharge pertaining to the temporary acceptance, management, and disposal of the waste within 30 days after the completion of discharges for each emergency. The amended ROWD must include a completed NOT form and information about the waste types accepted, location of the discharge including a map, and approximate volumes discharged.

If discharge pertaining to the management and disposal of the emergency derived waste is not completed by **10 February 2022**, please provide Central Valley Water Board staff with a status update regarding the discharge of emergency derived waste. If you have any questions, please contact me at (530) 224-4786, the footer address, or Patrick.DeCarvalho@waterboards.ca.gov.

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