



Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

14 November 2024

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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
AND
TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES)
PERMIT CA0083488**

FOR

**PARADISE IRRIGATION DISTRICT
PARADISE WATER TREATMENT PLANT
BUTTE COUNTY**

TO ALL CONCERNED PERSONS AND AGENCIES:

Enclosed is tentative Waste Discharge Requirements Order for the Paradise Irrigation District (Discharger), Paradise Water Treatment Plant (Facility). In accordance with the enclosed Notice of Public Hearing (Notice), written comments and evidence concerning the proposed Order must be submitted to this office no later than 5:00 p.m. on **16 December 2024**. Written material submitted after 5:00 p.m. on **16 December 2024** will not be accepted and incorporated into the administrative record absent a ruling by the Board Chair.

A Public Hearing has been scheduled for the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Valley Water Board) to consider adoption of the proposed Order at its **20/21 February 2025** Board Meeting. See the enclosed Notice for additional information about the Public Hearing. The Discharger must post one (1) copy of the Notice at the nearest city hall or county courthouse, one (1) copy at the post office nearest to the Facility (if allowed), and one (1) copy at the public entrance to the Facility. Please post the Notice as soon as possible and provide proof of posting, using the enclosed form, by **29 November 2024**.

MARK BRADFORD, CHAIR | PATRICK PULUPA, ESQ., EXECUTIVE OFFICER

To conserve resources, this letter transmits a paper copy of the tentative NPDES Permit package to the Discharger only. Interested persons may download the document from the Central Valley Water Board's [Tentative Orders Page](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders) (http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders). Copies of the document may also be obtained by contacting or visiting the Central Valley Water Board's office at 364 Knollcrest Drive, Suite 205, Redding, California 96002, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

If you have any questions regarding the proposed Order, please contact Michael Collins at: (530) 224-4785 or Michael.Collins@waterboards.ca.gov.

Stacy S. Gotham, P.E.
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Enclosures (3): Tentative NPDES Permit (Discharger Only)
Notice of Public Hearing (Discharger Only)
Proof of Posting Form (Discharger Only)

cc:

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U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Sacramento
U S. National Marine Fisheries Service, Santa Rosa
State Office of Historic Preservation, Sacramento
State Department of Water Resources, Northern District, Red Bluff
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