



San Diego Regional Water Quality Control Board

NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT

Tentative Notice of Applicability

Order R9-2023-0012,

NPDES Permit CAG039001,

General Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges from Shipyards to San Diego Bay

Please Take Notice

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region (San Diego Water Board), is releasing the Notice of Applicability (NOA) for General Dynamics National Steel & Shipbuilding Company (NASSCO) located at 2798 Harbor Drive, San Diego for public review and written comment. This site-specific NOA will be implemented supplemental to the General Permit (Order R9-2023-0012, National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit CAG039001) and serves as the combined measure to regulate the discharge of waste from shipyards to San Diego Bay. This NOA includes best management practices that are specific to this operation to control discharges to San Diego Bay, that when implemented, help to protect water quality. The San Diego Water Board is making available the NOA for a 30-day public comment period.

Document Availability

Interested persons may receive copies of the NOA by contacting Ella Knight by phone at (619) 521-3342 or email at Ella.Knight@waterboards.ca.gov or by visiting the San Diego Water Board office at 2375 Northside Drive, Suite 100, San Diego, California 92108-2700, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Submission of Written Comments

Interested persons may submit written comments on the NOA during the public comment period by email (SanDiego@waterboards.ca.gov), in person or by mail to the attention of Ella Knight. Please indicate in the subject line all written comments "Comment -NOA for NASSCO." The written comments are due by 5:00 pm on March 17, 2025. The San Diego Water Board may refuse to accept written comments received after the deadline. Late comments will not be accepted if doing so would prejudice any party in accordance with section 648.4 title 23 of the California Code of Regulations.

Contact for Further Information

Please contact Ella Knight, Water Resource Control Engineer by phone at (619) 521-3342 or email at Ella.Knight@waterboards.ca.gov for information regarding the NOA. Please bring the foregoing to the attention of any person known to you who would be interested in these matters.