



# California Regional Water Quality Control Board

## San Francisco Bay Region



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### NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT ORDER SETTING ADMINISTRATIVE LIABILITY IN THE MATTER OF

### SEWERAGE AGENCY OF SOUTHERN MARIN, MARIN COUNTY (Administrative Civil Liability Complaint No. R2-2008-0070)

The San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board's (Water Board) Executive Officer has been presented with a proposed settlement of the claims alleged in Administrative Liability Complaint No. R2-2008-0070, dated August 11, 2008 (the Complaint). The proposed settlement represents a mutually agreed-upon resolution of the Water Board's Prosecution Team claims through the payment of an administrative civil liability in the amount of \$1,600,000. This administrative civil liability will consist of payments totaling \$800,000 to the State Water Resources Control Board's Cleanup and Abatement Account, and completion of two Supplemental Environment Projects totaling \$800,000. A Tentative Order has been prepared which will effectuate the proposed settlement. The Executive Officer intends to adopt the Tentative Order setting Administrative Civil Liability if no significant comments are received by the deadline stated below. If significant comments are received, a hearing for the Water Board to consider this matter will occur on April 8, 2009, commencing at 9:00 a.m., at 1515 Clay Street, First floor Auditorium, in Oakland.

#### **Written Comment Deadline and Availability of Documents**

The deadline for comment is **5 p.m. on March 16, 2009**. Comments should be sent to the attention of Bruce Wolfe and Dyan Whyte. Persons wishing to file written comments on or objections to the Tentative Order must do so no later than this deadline.

The Complaint, Tentative Order, and related documents are on file, and may be inspected or copied at the Water Board's offices during weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5.00 p.m. The Complaint and Tentative Order are also available on the Water Board's website at [www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay).

Questions concerning this matter may be addressed to prosecutorial staff Lila Tang at 510-622-2425 or [ltang@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:ltang@waterboards.ca.gov). Please also refer to the website given above for future developments and updates.

Dated: February 13, 2009