California Regional Water Quality Control Board
San Francisco Bay Region
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR RESCISSION OF NPDES PERMIT

Seafirth Estates Company
Seafirth Estates Wastewater Treatment Plant
33 Seafirth Place, Tiburon, CA 94920, Marin County

Seafirth Estates Company used to own and operate the Seafirth Estates Wastewater Treatment Plant and collection system. The plant had a dry weather design capacity of 0.0075 million gallons per day and provided secondary treatment of domestic wastewater from approximately 30 homes. Seafirth used to discharge treated wastewater through a submerged outfall to Central San Francisco Bay. To eliminate this discharge, Seafirth installed two pump stations in September 2009 to transfer sewage to Sanitary District No. 5's Paradise Cove Treatment Facility. Because Seafirth's wastewater treatment plant is no longer in commission, it is no longer in need of a NPDES discharge permit. Therefore, the San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional Water Board) staff has prepared a tentative order that would rescind Seafirth's permit.

The Regional Water Board intends to consider adopting the tentative rescission order during a meeting to commence at the time and location as follows:

Time and Date:	9:00 a.m., March 10, 2010
Location:	First Floor Auditorium, Elihu Harris State Building 1515 Clay Street, Oakland

The deadline for comments is 5:00 p.m. on February 9, 2010. Comments must be sent to the **attention of Robert Schlipf.** Persons wishing to file written comments on or objections to the tentative rescission order, or other aspects of this matter must do so no later than this deadline so that such comments may be considered. No written comments will be accepted or responded to in writing if received after that deadline. Interested persons are invited to attend and express their views at the public hearing on this matter. The Regional Water Board will hear oral testimony, but will not accept written comments after the deadline noted above.

Pursuant to section 2050(c) of Title 23 of the California Code of Regulations, any party that challenges the Water Board's action on this matter through a petition to the State Water Resources Control Board under Water Code section 13320 will be limited to raising only those substantive issues or objections that were raised before the Regional Water Board at the public hearing or in timely submitted written correspondence delivered to the Regional Water Board.

The tentative rescission order, comments received, and related documents may be inspected and copied at the Regional Water Board office. The tentative rescission order and any additional information and developments on this matter are also available at www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay. A response to comments will be posted on that website one week prior to the hearing. Contact Robert Schlipf at (510) 622-2478 or by e-mail at rschlipf@waterboards.ca.gov, if you have any questions on this matter.