

California Regional Water Quality Control Board
San Francisco Bay Region
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**NOTICE OF APPLICATION AND PUBLIC HEARING
FOR DISCHARGE PERMIT**

**for
Mt. View Sanitary District
Wastewater Treatment Plant
3800 Arthur Road
Martinez, CA 94553**

Mt. View Sanitary District has filed an application for re-issuance of a permit under the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System. The San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board's (Water Board's) staff has prepared a tentative permit for this discharger containing limitations and provisions in accordance with the Federal Clean Water Act and the California Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act.

Mt. View Sanitary District owns and operates a municipal wastewater treatment plant that provides advanced secondary treatment for domestic, commercial, and some industrial wastewater from unincorporated areas of Martinez and portions of the City of Martinez. The plant serves a population of about 23,000 and approximately 270 businesses over a 4,100 acre service area. The plant has a average dry weather design treatment capacity of 3.2 million gallons per day (MGD) and can treat peak wet weather flows up to 11.5 MGD. Effluent is discharged to Moorhen Marsh, which flows to Peyton Slough, where it combines with surface runoff to supply McNabney Marsh. Flows from McNabney Marsh re-enter Peyton Slough, which flows to Carquinez Strait.

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

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

The deadline for written comments is 5:00 p.m. on September 6, 2010. Comments must be sent to the **attention of Heather Ottaway**. Persons wishing to file written comments on or objections to the tentative permit, 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 the deadline. Interested persons are invited to attend and express their views at the public hearing. The Water Board will hear oral testimony, but will not accept written comments after the deadline indicated above.

Pursuant to section 2050(c) of Title 23 of the California Code of Regulations, any party that challenges a 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 Water Board at the public hearing or in timely submitted written correspondence delivered to the Water Board.

The applications, tentative permits, fact sheets, comments received, and related documents may be inspected and copied at the Water Board office. The tentative permits, fact sheets, and any additional information and developments on this matter are also available at www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay. Responses to comments will be posted on this website one week prior to the hearing. Contact Heather Ottaway at (510) 622-2116 or by e-mail at hottaway@waterboards.ca.gov with any questions on this matter.