

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA
REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
SAN FRANCISCO BAY REGION**

**STAFF SUMMARY REPORT (Alan D. Friedman)
MEETING DATE: JUNE 8, 2011**

ITEM: 5B

SUBJECT: **Chevron Products Company, Chevron Richmond Refinery, Richmond, Contra Costa County** – Update to Waste Discharge Requirements and Rescission of Order No. 00-043

CHRONOLOGY: June 2000 – Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) Reissued

DISCUSSION: Chevron owns and operates the Chevron Richmond Refinery, which produces a broad range of fuels, lubricants, asphalt and petrochemicals. The refinery is located along the southern shore of San Pablo Bay in Contra Costa County. Certain wastes generated from the refinery's processes have historically been deposited in onsite Waste Management Units, prompting the need for these WDRs. There is also impacted soil and/or groundwater from historic chemical releases; the investigation and corrective action activities not associated with the onsite Waste Management Units will be addressed under separate Site Cleanup Requirements.

This Order rescinds outdated WDRs and updates the requirements for continued maintenance, corrective action, and monitoring of inactive and closed Waste Management Units.

We received comments from the San Francisco Baykeeper and Chevron (Appendix B) and revised the tentative order accordingly. Chevron has indicated its acceptance of the Revised Tentative Order. While we have not heard back from the Baykeeper, we expect this item to be uncontested since we incorporated its comments into the Revised Tentative Order.

**RECOMMEN-
DATION:** Adoption of the Revised Tentative Order (Appendix A)

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APPENDICES: A. Revised Tentative Order
B. Comment letters and Board Staff Responses