

California Regional Water Quality Control Board  
San Francisco Bay Region  
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**NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT, AND PUBLIC HEARING  
FOR  
DISCHARGE PERMIT RESCISSIONS**

**GWF Power Systems, L.P.  
Third Street (Site I) Plant  
985 East Third Street, Pittsburg, Contra Costa County  
and  
Nichols Road (Site V) Plant  
555 Nichols Road, Bay Point, Contra Costa County**

The Board's staff has prepared a tentative order to rescind two National Pollutant Discharge Elimination Permits for this discharger.

The discharger formerly operated two 18.5 megawatt electrical generation plants. Each plant discharged about 125,000 gallons of waste cooling water into Suisun Bay and New York Slough. The discharger ceased operations and wastewater discharge at both plants on February 16, 2012.

**The deadline for receipt of comment on the tentative permit is 5:00 p.m. on August 31, 2012.**

Comments must be sent to the **attention of Vincent Christian**. 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.

The Board intends to consider adopting the tentative rescission order during a meeting to commence at 9:00 a.m. on **October 10, 2012**, in the Auditorium of the Elihu Harris State Building at 1515 Clay Street in Oakland. Interested persons are invited to attend and express their views at the public hearing.

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

All documents related to the tentative rescission order may be inspected and copied at the Board office. The tentative rescission order and any additional information and developments on this matter are also available at [www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay). Board staff's responses to comments will be posted on that website one week prior to the hearing. Contact Vincent Christian at (510) 622-2336, or by e-mail at [vchristian@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:vchristian@waterboards.ca.gov), if you have any questions.