California Regional Water Quality Control Board San Francisco Bay Region 1515 Clay Street, Suite 1400, Oakland, CA 94612 (510) 622-2300

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

## WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR Marin County Flood Control and Water Conservation District Stream Maintenance Program for routine stream maintenance activities

The San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board's staff has prepared a Tentative Order for water quality certification and waste discharge requirements to the Marin County Flood control and Water Conservation District (District) to implement its Stream Maintenance Program as specified in the Marin County Stream Maintenance Manual. The Tentative Order authorizes flood control channel maintenance activities including sediment and debris removal, vegetation management, erosion control, and maintenance and repair of levees and other flood control structures located within the identified flood control zones of Marin County.

The deadline for comment on the tentative order is 5:00 p.m. on June 16, 2017. Comments must be sent to the attention of Nicole Fairley. 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.

The Water Board intends to consider adopting the tentative order during a meeting to commence at 9:00 a.m. on July 12, 2017 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 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.

All documents related to the tentative permit may be inspected and copied at the Water Board office. The tentative order and any additional information and developments on this matter are also available at <u>www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay</u>. Board staff's responses to comments will be posted on that website one week prior to the hearing. Contact Nicole Fairley at (510) 622-2424 or by e-mail at <u>nicole.fairley@waterboards.ca.gov</u> if you have any questions.