## California Regional Water Quality Control Board San Francisco Bay Region 1515 Clay Street, Suite 1400, Oakland, CA 94612

## NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT AND PUBLIC HEARING FOR DISCHARGE PERMIT

## Crocket Cogeneration LLC Crockett Cogeneration Plant 550 Loring Avenue, Crockett, Contra Costa County

Board staff has prepared a draft National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit for the above discharger in accordance with the Clean Water Act and Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act.

Crockett Cogeneration LLP owns and operates a natural gas-fired steam electric cogeneration plant. The plant generates electricity for the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, and heat is recovered from the gas turbines to produce steam for the neighboring C&H Sugar Company sugar refinery. The facility discharges about 210,000 gallons per day of treated wastewater. It also discharges industrial stormwater runoff to Carquinez Strait.

The deadline for receipt of comment on the draft permit is **5:00 p.m. on November 8**, **2021**. Comments must be sent to the **attention of William Burrell**. Persons wishing to file written comments on any aspect of this matter must do so no later than this deadline so that such comments may be considered.

The Board will consider adopting the draft permit during a meeting to commence at 9:00 a.m. on **December 15**, **2021**. Interested persons are invited to express their views at this hearing.

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

All documents related to the draft permit may be inspected at the Board office. The draft permit and developments on this matter are available at <a href="https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay">www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay</a>. Board staff responses to comments will be posted on that website a week prior to the hearing. Contact William Burrell at (510) 622-2317 or william.burrell@waterboards.ca.gov if you have guestions.