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

## Chevron Products Company, and Chevron Environmental Management Company Chevron Products Company Richmond Refinery 841 Chevron Way, Richmond, 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.

Chevron Products Company (a division of Chevron U.S.A. Inc.) and Chevron Environmental Management Company own and operate a 2,900-acre petroleum refinery that processes an average crude oil throughput of 251,000 barrels per day. The facility treats and discharges an average 6.1 million gallons per day of process water, non-process water, and stormwater to San Pablo Bay and Central San Francisco Bay.

The deadline for receipt of comment on the draft permit is **5:00 p.m. on September 15**, **2023**. 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 **October 11**, **2023**. 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 <u>www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay</u>. 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 questions.