

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
for
TRIENNIAL REVIEW OF THE WATER QUALITY CONTROL PLAN FOR THE
SACRAMENTO RIVER AND SAN JOAQUIN RIVER BASINS

The Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region (Water Board) will hold a public hearing to complete the Triennial Review of the Water Quality Control Plan for the Sacramento River and the San Joaquin River Basins (Basin Plan). The public hearing will be part of a regular meeting of the Water Board at the time and location noted below:

Date: 16 or 17 March 2006
Time: 8:30 am
Place: Regional Water Quality Control Board office
11020 Sun Center Drive, Suite 200
Rancho Cordova, CA 95670

On 18 March 2005, the Water Board conducted a workshop to receive comments from the public on issues that should be considered in the review of the Basin Plan and the priority that should be given to each issue. Based on comments received in writing and at the workshop, staff has prepared a workplan which summarizes the issues identified and presents staff recommendations for the priority for addressing them.

Interested persons may download the draft triennial review workplan and the response to the triennial review comments in PDF format from the Water Board's Internet website at http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/available_documents/index.html under the heading **Basin Plans**. Copies of these documents can also be obtained by contacting or visiting the Water Board's office at 11020 Sun Center Drive, #200, Rancho Cordova, California 95670-6114 weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

In order to be included in the written response to comments that is a part of the final administrative record, written comments should be submitted by 1 March 2006 to Ms. Betty Yee, Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region, 11020 Sun Center Drive, #200, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670. At the hearing on either 16 or 17 of March 2006, staff will summarize the written comments and present a final recommendation for Water Board consideration. Interested persons will be provided the opportunity to present oral comments to the Water Board at the hearing, and are expected to orally summarize their written submittals. Oral testimony will be limited in time by the Board Chair.

Confirmation of the hearing date and any questions regarding the triennial review should be directed to Ms. Yee at (916) 464-4643 or byee@waterboards.ca.gov. The hearing facilities will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Individuals requiring special accommodations are requested to contact Ms. Janice Tanaka at (916) 464-4839 at least 5

working days prior to the meeting. TTY users may contact the California Relay Service at 1-800-735 2929 or voice line at 1-800-735-2922.

Please bring the above information to the attention of anyone you know who would be interested in this matter.

/s/
KENNETH LANDAU, Acting Executive Officer

25 January 2006