
Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

August 30, 2016

Mr. Enrique Zaldivar, Director
Department of Public Works
City of Los Angeles
1149 South Broadway Street, 9th Floor
Los Angeles, CA 90015-2213

TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS (WDRs) AND NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT – CITY OF LOS ANGELES, HYPERION TREATMENT PLANT (NPDES PERMIT NO. CA0109991, CI-1492)

Dear Mr. Zaldivar:

Enclosed please find copies of the following:

1. Tentative Requirements consisting of:
 - a. Board Order;
 - b. Standard Provisions (Attachment D);
 - c. Monitoring and Reporting Program (Attachment E);
 - d. Fact Sheet (Attachment F);
 - e. Toxicity Reduction Evaluation (TRE) Work Plan (Attachment G);
 - f. Biosolids and Sludge Management Requirements (Attachment H); and
 - g. Pretreatment Requirements (Attachment I).

2. Public Notification consisting of:
 - a) Instruction Sheet for Posting Public Notice;
 - b) Public Notice; and
 - c) Statement of Posting Notice.

These documents are also available on the Regional Water Board's website for review at this web address: www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/.

In accordance with administrative procedures, the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) and the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional Water Board) will conduct a joint public hearing to consider the enclosed tentative requirements/permit and comments submitted in writing regarding any and all portions thereof, during the regularly scheduled Regional Water Board meeting to be held on **October 13, 2016**, at the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California, 700 North Alameda Street, Los Angeles, California, at 9:00 a.m. The Board will hear any testimony pertinent to the tentative requirements/permit.

Interested persons may submit written comments on the tentative requirements/permit during the public comment period, either in person, by mail, or at the public hearing. Although the public comment period will remain open until the close of the joint public hearing in October,

persons commenting on the draft permit are strongly encouraged to submit written comments or testimony regarding this tentative Order to the Regional Water Board's office by the close of business on **September 29, 2016**, to facilitate consideration of the comments by the USEPA and Regional Water Board. In order to assure the accuracy of the record, all oral comments made at the public hearing must also be submitted in writing. All timely comments received shall be considered in making the final permit decision.

The Regional Water Board will not be adopting the NPDES permit during their October 13, 2016, meeting, but will formally act on the permit at a subsequent Board meeting. Upon issuance of the final permit decision and response to comments, the USEPA and the Regional Water Board will notify the applicant and persons who submitted written comments or requested notice of the final permit decision.

With respect to public notices, in accordance with the Federal Clean Water Act, as amended, and the California Code of Regulations, you are required to follow the enclosed instructions for publication or posting of the notice no later than **September 13, 2016**.

Failure to publish or post the notice by the above date may require us to reschedule this item for a later hearing and will require the publication or posting of a second notice. Please notify this Board by telephone when the notice has been published and submit the proof of publication or posting as required in the enclosed instructions. Proof of Posting or publication of the notice must be received by the Executive Officer no later than

If you have any questions, please contact me at (213) 620-2083, Steven Webb at (213) 576-6793, or Becky Mitschele at (415) 972-3492.

Sincerely,



Cris Morris, P.E., Chief
Municipal Permitting Unit (NPDES)

Enclosures

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cc: Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, Permits Branch (WTR-5)
NOAA, National Marine Fisheries Service
Department of Interior, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
State Water Resources Control Board

State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Drinking Water
Department of Fish and Wildlife, Region 5
California State Parks and Recreation
California Coastal Conservancy
California Coastal Commission, South Coast Region
Heal the Bay
Environment Now
Natural Resources Defense Council
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Los Angeles County Department of Public Works
Southern California Coastal Water Research Project
Los Angeles Waterkeeper
United Water
Water Replenishment District of Southern California
City of Los Angeles, Bureau of Sanitation
City of Los Angeles, Department of Water and Power
Los Angeles County Sanitation Districts
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