



Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

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NOTICE OF APPLICABILITY; WAIVER OF REPORTS OF WASTE DISCHARGE AND WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR SPECIFIC TYPES OF DISCHARGE WITHIN THE CENTRAL VALLEY REGION; NATIONAL CARBON TECHNOLOGIES, LLC; CALIFORNIA RENEWABLE CARBON, LLC DBA AYMIMUM; SUPPLY WELL TEST PUMPING; COLUSA COUNTY

On 29 April 2022, National Carbon Technologies, LLC (Discharger) submitted a Notice of Intent (NOI) to obtain coverage under the *Waiver of Report of Waste Discharge and Waste Discharge Requirements for Specific Types of Discharge within the Central Valley Region*, Order R5-2018-0085 (the Waiver). The submittal contains all the information required to evaluate the applicability of the Waiver; therefore, the NOI is considered complete, and the discharge meets the conditions of the Waiver. The discharge is hereby covered under the Waiver, Order R5-2018-0085-0070. Please include this number on all correspondence related to this discharge. A copy of the Waiver is enclosed and is also available at the [State Water Boards' Adopted Orders: Waivers webpage](https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/adopted_orders/waivers/r5-2018-0085.pdf) (https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/adopted_orders/waivers/r5-2018-0085.pdf).

PROJECT LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION

The Discharger plans to collect water samples from two existing supply wells at the former tomato processing plant located at 6229 Myers Road in Williams, Colusa County. Water samples will be analyzed to support design needs and for use in preparation of a Report of Waste Discharge for California Renewable Carbon, LLC dba Aymium, a proposed new facility. Application for coverage under the Waiver is exclusively for the one-time sampling and required purging of the two supply wells. It is anticipated that up to 20,000 gallons of water may be pumped from each well during the sampling event. Purged water will be discharged to an existing pond on the property. Based on available information, the existing pond is clay lined with a reported capacity

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of 2.7 million gallons at two feet of freeboard. Purged water will be allowed to percolate and evaporate.

The Water Quality Control Plan for the Sacramento River and San Joaquin River Basins, Fifth Edition, revised May 2018 (Basin Plan) establishes water quality objectives, contains implementation plans and policies for protecting waters of the basin, and incorporates by reference plans and policies adopted by the State Water Resources Control Board. Pursuant to section 13263(a) of the California Water code (CWC), waste discharge requirements must implement the Basin Plan.

FACILITY-SPECIFIC REQUIREMENT

The discharge must comply with the Conditions of Discharge contained in Attachment A of the Waiver. The Discharger is responsible for compliance with the Waiver and must provide sufficient oversight to ensure compliance and prompt reporting of any noncompliance.

DOCUMENT SUBMITTAL

All monitoring reports and other correspondence should be converted to searchable portable document format (PDF) and submitted electronically. Documents that are less than 50 MB should be emailed to: centralvalleysacramento@waterboards.ca.gov.

To ensure that your submittal is routed to the appropriate staff person, the following information should be included in the body of the email or any documentation submitted to the mailing address for this office:

Program: Non-15 Compliance
Facility Name: California Renewable Carbon, LLC dba Aymium
CIWQS Place ID: 881397
Order: R5-2018-0085-0070

Documents that are 50 MB or larger should be transferred to a CD, DVD, or flash drive and mailed to:

Now that the NOA has been issued, the Board's Compliance and Enforcement section will take over management of your case. Guy Childs is your point of contact for any questions about compliance with the Waiver. If you find it necessary to make a change to your permitted operations, he will direct you to the appropriate permitting staff. You may contact Guy at (916) 464-4648 or at guy.childs@waterboards.ca.gov.

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for Patrick Pulupa
Executive Officer

Enclosure:

Attachment A: Supply Well and Pond Location Map
Resolution No. R5-2018-0085 (Discharger only)

cc w/o encl:

Colusa County Environmental Health Department, Colusa
Howard Hold, Central Valley Water Quality Control Board, Rancho Cordova (email)
Guy Childs, Central Valley Water Quality Control Board, Rancho Cordova (email)

ATTACHMENT A



Figure 1. Site features aerial image.

Approximate Scale:
As Noted Above



Drawing Reference:
Report of Waste Discharge
April 2022

SUPPLY WELL AND POND LOCATION MAP
6229 Myers Road, Williams
Colusa County