



Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

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Steve Gikas
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Golden Gate Nut Company
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**TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
FOR
STEVE GIKAS
CALIFORNIA NUGGETS, INC., AND GOLDEN GATE NUT COMPANY
SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY**

Enclosed are the Notice of Public Hearing, Tentative Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs), and Tentative Monitoring and Reporting Program (MRP) for Steve Gikas (Discharger), California Nuggets, Inc. and Golden Gate Nut Company (Facility) in San Joaquin County. A public hearing concerning this matter will be held during the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Valley Water Board) at its 22/23 June 2023 meeting, as explained in the enclosed Notice of Public Hearing.

To be given full consideration, any comments or recommendations you may have concerning the Tentative WDRs should be submitted to this office via email to centralvalleysacramento@waterboards.ca.gov with a carbon copy (cc) to dina.calanchini@waterboards.ca.gov, no later than **5:00 p.m. on 26 April 2023**. Absent a showing of good cause and lack of prejudice to other parties, the Board Chair may exclude comments and evidence received after this deadline.

To conserve paper and reduce mailing costs, a paper copy of the Tentative WDRs has been sent only to the Discharger. Others are advised that the Tentative WDRs and additional information will be available electronically, within the next few days, on the [Central Valley Water Boards Tentative Orders Webpage](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders/) (http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders/).

MARK BRADFORD, CHAIR | PATRICK PULUPA, ESQ., EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Although it is not required, we would appreciate receiving comments before the due date above. If you have any questions regarding the Tentative WDRs, or if you wish to request paper copies, please contact Dina Calanchini at (916) 464-4740 or at dina.calanchini@waterboards.ca.gov.



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Waste Discharge to Land Permitting Unit

Enclosures:

Notice of Public Hearing
Tentative Waste Discharge Requirements (Discharger only)
Tentative Monitoring and Reporting Program (Discharger only)
Standard Provisions and Reporting Requirements, 1 March 1991 Ed (Discharger only)

cc via email only:

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