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Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

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Mr. Rich Nagel, General Manager
West Basin Municipal Water District
17140 S. Avalon Boulevard, Suite 210
Carson, CA 90746

Dear Mr. Nagel:

REVISED TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS (WDRs) AND NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT – WEST BASIN MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT, JUANITA MILLENDER-MCDONALD CARSON REGIONAL WATER RECYCLING PLAN (NPDES PERMIT NO. CA0064246, CI # 7972)

On August 23, 2012, we transmitted you tentative WDRs and NPDES permit for the West Basin Municipal Water District – Juanita Millender-McDonald Carson Regional Water Recycling Plant. The comment period ended on September 24, 2012. Regional Water Board staff reviewed comments from the West Basin Municipal Water District and Heal the Bay, all received prior to September 24, 2012. Pursuant to the Federal Clean Water Act, as amended, and in accordance with the California Water Code, revised tentative WDRs and NPDES permit have been prepared.

Enclosed please find the following items:

1. Revised Tentative Requirements consisting of:
   a. Board Order;
   b. Definitions (Attachment A);
   c. Map (Attachment B);
   d. Wastewater Flow Schematic (Attachment C);
   e. Standard Provisions (Attachment D);
   f. Monitoring and Reporting Program (Attachment E);
   g. Fact Sheet (Attachment F); and,
   h. Generic Toxicity Reduction Evaluation (TRE) Workplan (Attachment G).

2. Response to Comments.

Deletions appear as strikethrough lines and additions appear as underlines.

In accordance with administrative procedures, this Regional Water Board at a public hearing to be held on March 7, 2013, at 9:00 a.m., at the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California Board Room, 700 North Alameda Street, Los Angeles, California, will consider the enclosed revised Tentative Requirements and comments submitted in writing regarding the changes contained within the proposed Order. The Regional Water Board will hear any testimony pertinent to this discharge and the revised tentative requirements. It is expected that the Regional Water Board will take action at the hearing; however, as testimony indicates, the Regional Water Board, at its discretion, may order further action by staff.

The agenda for the meeting will be posted on the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board's website (http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board_info/agenda/index.shtml) approximately one week prior to the meeting.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (213) 576-6664.

Sincerely,

Brandi Outwin-Beals, P.E., Chief
Municipal Permitting Unit (NPDES)

Enclosures

cc: Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, Permits Branch (WTR-5)
NOAA, National Marine Fisheries Service
Department of Interior, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Jennifer Fordyce, State Water Resources Control Board, Office of Chief Counsel
Department of Fish and Game, Region 5
California State Parks and Recreation
State Coastal Conservancy
Los Angeles County, DPW, Watershed Division
Los Angeles County, Department of Health Services
Water Replenishment District of Southern California
Main San Gabriel Basin Watermaster
Heal the Bay
Environment Now
Santa Monica Baykeeper
Natural Resources Defense Council
Friends of the Los Angeles River
Los Angeles and San Gabriel Rivers Watershed Council
Sierra Club
Ms. Belinda Faustinos, San Gabriel and lower Los Angeles Rivers and Mountains Conservancy