



Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

TO:

All Interested Persons

FROM:

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Chief, Municipal NPDES Permitting Unit

DATE:

July 20, 2015

SUBJECT:

BOARD WORKSHOP ON TEMPORARY CONDITIONAL BYPASS AND DISCHARGE FROM THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES, HYPERION TREATMENT

PLANT (HTP) AND WEST BASIN MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT, EDWARD

C. LITTLE WATER RECYCLING PLANT

The Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board (Los Angeles Regional Water Board) will hold an informational workshop to discuss the temporary conditional bypass and discharge from the City of Los Angeles, Hyperion Treatment Plant and West Basin Municipal Water District (West Basin), Edward C. Little Recycling Plant.

The Los Angeles Regional Water Board staff invites all interested persons to a public workshop scheduled on:

Tuesday, August 4, 2015 at 10:00 AM
Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board
Pacific Ocean Room
320 W. 4th Street, 2nd Floor
Los Angeles, California 90013

The City of Los Angeles, Bureau of Sanitation requested approval to temporarily divert secondary effluent discharged from the normally used 5-mile outfall to the 1-mile outfall during the necessary replacement of the effluent pumping plant header, scheduled for September 2015 (2015 Effluent Pumping Plant Header Replacement Project or 2015 EPP Project). The diversion is required to conduct major overhaul and replacement work on the effluent pumping system and is scheduled from September 21, 2015 to November 2, 2015, a total of 6 weeks (five weeks of planned overhaul plus one week of contingency time).

The West Basin Edward C. Little Recycling Plant discharges brine through the HTP 5-mile outfall. West Basin requested to temporarily divert brine discharged from the normally used 5-mile outfall to the 1-mile outfall during the necessary replacement of the effluent pumping plant header.

At the workshop, City of Los Angeles staff will make a brief presentation on the scope of the upcoming EPP Project, the need for the project, the monitoring plan before, during, and after the project, and the status of the public outreach conducted by the City of Los Angeles.

Interested persons will have the opportunity to make oral comments subject to time limits. Oral comments may be limited to 3 minutes each depending on the number of commenters wishing to be heard.

The Los Angeles Regional Water Board may provide general feedback to staff. However, no action or voting will take place at this workshop. Please check the Board's website (http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/) for the most up-to-date public meeting location as it is subject to change.

If you have any questions, please contact Cris Morris at (213) 620-2083 or Cris.Morris@waterboards.ca.gov or Steven Webb at (213) 576-6793 or Steven.Webb@waterboards.ca.gov.