

North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board  
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Public Notice No.  
CA0023078

Notice of Public Hearing

For

Rescission of Cease and Desist Order No. R1-2003-0067

For

Fort Bragg Municipal Improvement District No.1  
Wastewater Treatment Facility  
NPDES Permit No. CA0023078, WDID No. 1B84083OMEN

Mendocino County

On the basis of preliminary staff review and application of lawful standards and regulations, the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, North Coast Region, proposes to rescind Cease and Desist Order No. R1-2003-0067 for the Wastewater Treatment Facility owned and operated by the Fort Bragg Municipal Improvement District No. 1 (Discharger).

***Public Hearing Procedures***

A public hearing to consider comments and objections to the proposed order is scheduled for May 3 and May 4, 2005, in Weaverville at 9:00 a.m. or as announced in the Regional Water Board's summary agenda to be mailed on April 12, 2005. The meeting will be held at the Victorian Inn Conference Room, 1709 Main Street in Weaverville. At the hearing, the Regional Water Board will consider whether to affirm, reject, or modify the proposed Order, or take other action.

The Discharger and interested persons should submit to the Regional Water Board office at 5550 Skylane Boulevard, Suite A, Santa Rosa, California, 95403, written copies of all technical reports, testimony, and other evidentiary material concerning this issue by 5:00 p.m. on April 18, 2005. This written material will be made available to the Regional Water Board members and all interested persons.

Written material received after the above date will not be accepted, except at the discretion of the Regional Water Board Chair. Untimely written material will not be accepted or incorporated into the administrative record if doing so would prejudice the Discharger or the Regional Water Board staff. The Chair may choose to modify this rule upon a showing of severe hardship (California Code of Regulations, Title 23, Sections 648.1 and 648.4).

All those who plan to testify at the hearing must submit written statements to the Regional Water Quality Control Board by April 20, 2005. The statements should provide the name of the

witness, their qualifications (if an expert), and the scope of their intended testimony. Testimony at the above-scheduled hearing may summarize or explain timely submitted or late accepted written evidence, but shall not add new evidence. The time constraints for oral testimony or comments will be set by Regional Water Board Chair and usually will allow no more than 10 minutes for Regional Water Board staff and the Discharger and three minutes for other interested persons. A timer may be used and speakers are expected to honor the time limits. Where speakers can be grouped by affiliation or interest, such groups will be expected to select a spokesperson and not be repetitive.

### ***Document Review***

The tentative Order, related documents are available for review on the Regional Water Board web site at <http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/northcoast/agenda/pending.html>. These documents as well as other evidentiary documents and the file may be inspected or copied at the Regional Water Board office on Mondays from 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., Tuesday through Thursday from 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and from 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., and Fridays from 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Appointments are recommended for file review. Appointments can be made by calling (707) 576-2220. For further information, please contact Regional Water Board staff member Charles Reed at (707) 576-2752 or at [creed@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:creed@waterboards.ca.gov).

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Executive Officer

April 1, 2005