

California Regional Water Quality Control Board
North Coast Region
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

FOR

POST-CLOSURE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
ORDER NO. R1-2005-0033

WDID NO. 1B04166RHUM

FOR

EDWARD TANFERANI
AND
ALLAN MAKI

(FORMER) ALLAN MAKI
WOODWASTE DISPOSAL SITE

Class III Landfill
Humboldt 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 adopt Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) for the post closure development and cap maintenance of the Allan Maki Woodwaste Disposal Site in Fortuna, Humboldt County. The Maki Woodwaste site operated under WDRs from 1970 -1991 when, following construction closure of the site, WDRs were rescinded. The new project proposes to enhance the existing Allan Maki Woodwaste Landfill cap and to develop the site as an auto dealership and parking lot, and to conduct post-closure maintenance of the landfill in accordance with solid waste regulations within T27, CCR.

A public meeting to consider comments and objections to the proposed Waste Discharge Requirements will be held on June 22, 2005 at 9:00 a.m. or as soon thereafter as practicable, or as announced in the Regional Water Board agenda to be mailed on or about June 1, 2005. The meeting will be held at the Regional Water Board Office in Santa Rosa.

A draft of the proposed revised WDRs will be made available to the public for a 30-day comment period in advance of the June 22, 2005 Regional Water Board meeting. Interested persons should submit to the Regional Water Quality Control Board office at 5550 Skylane Boulevard, Suite A, Santa Rosa, California, 95403, written copies of all comments, technical reports, testimony, and other evidentiary material concerning this issue by 5:00 p.m. of June 1, 2005. All timely received written material will be submitted to the Regional Water Board Members and all interested persons along with the full agenda materials.

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 a party. 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 interested persons may speak at the hearing for this item. The time constraints for oral testimony or comments will be set by Regional Water Board Chair and usually allow no more than 10 minutes for each party 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.

Persons submitting written testimony and documentary evidence should be present at the hearing and available for cross-examination. Testimony at the above-scheduled hearing should be limited to a summary of the above-described written evidence and testimony, provided however, that upon a proper showing that evidence is available which was not available at the time the written testimony was submitted, the Regional Water Board may allow further submission of oral or written testimony. If this showing is not made, the Regional Water Board may refuse to accept such further oral or written testimony.

When prepared, the preliminary revised WDRs, related documents and comments received will be made available for inspection and/or copying at the Regional Water Board office on Mondays from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m., Tuesday through Thursday from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. and from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m., and Fridays from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. Appointments are recommended for file review and can be made by calling (707) 576-2220. When prepared, the preliminary Waste Discharge Requirements will also be available for review on the North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board website at <http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/rwqcb1/agenda/pending.html>.

Catherine E. Kuhlman
Executive Officer

April 29, 2005