



Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

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NOTICE
TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
FOR
GRIMMWAY ENTERPRISES, INC. AND MINTER FIELD AIRPORT DISTRICT
SHAFTER CARROT PACKING PLANT
KERN COUNTY

TO ALL CONCERNED PERSONS AND AGENCIES:

Enclosed are tentative Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) for the Grimmway Enterprises, Inc and Minter Field Airport District (Discharger), Shafter Carrot Packing Plant in Shafter. A public hearing concerning this matter will be held during the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Valley Water Board) meeting scheduled for:

DATE: 22/23 April 2021
TIME: To be determined
PLACE: Remote Meeting via Video and Teleconference Only

To be given full consideration, any comments or recommendations you may have concerning the tentative WDRs must be submitted in writing to the Central Valley Water Boards office by **5:00 pm on 22 February 2021**. 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.

In order 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 a [copy of the tentative WDRs](#) will be available (within approximately two business days) on the

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Central Valley Water Board's website at the link below under the heading "Discharger-Specific Items for Future Approval and/or Regional Water Board Meetings."

https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders/

The Central Valley Water Board is implementing a Paperless Office System. Please email any comments to centralvalleyfresno@waterboards.ca.gov and copy Daniel.Benas@waterboards.ca.gov. In the subject line of the email, please include "Grimmway Enterprises, Inc. and Minter Field Airport District, Shafter Carrot Packing Plant" and address the email to Daniel Benas.

Although it is not required, we would appreciate receiving comments before the due date above. Anyone without access to the internet who needs a paper copy of the tentative Order should contact Daniel Benas at (559) 445-5500 or at Daniel.Benas@waterboards.ca.gov.

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Attachment: Native American Heritage Commission Native American Contacts, Kern County

Enclosure: Tentative Waste Discharge Requirements (Discharger only)

cc w/o enc.:

- David Lancaster, State Water Resources Control Board, OCC, Sacramento (via email)
- Laurel Warddrip, State Water Resources Control Board, DWQ, Sacramento (via email)
- Tricia Wathen, State Water Resources Control Board, DDW, Fresno (via email)
- California Department of Fish and Wildlife, Region IV, Fresno
- California Department of Toxic Substances Control, Clovis
- California Department of Water Resources, San Joaquin District, Fresno
- San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District, Fresno
- Native American Tribal Government Consultation List, Kern County (list attached)
- Kern County Environmental Health Division, Bakersfield
- Mike Sowers, CES, Visalia (via email)
- Jo Anne Kipps (via email)