

**CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
SAN DIEGO REGION**

**NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC TO ATTEND FOCUSED MEETING 1
for**

**The Reissuance of the Regional Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems Permit,
Order R9-2013-0001, for the San Diego Region**

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region (San Diego Water Board) is hosting a series of focused meetings in 2023 for the permit reissuance of the Regional Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems (MS4) Permit, Order No. R9-2013-0001, as amended¹ by Order Nos. R9-2015-0001 and R9-2015-0100 (Regional MS4 Permit). The San Diego Water Board regulates discharges from Phase I municipal separate storm sewer systems (MS4s) in the San Diego Region under the Regional MS4 Permit. The Regional MS4 Permit covers 39 municipal, county government, and special district entities (referred to jointly as Copermittees) located in San Diego County, southern Orange County, and southwestern Riverside County who own and operate large MS4s which discharge stormwater runoff and non-stormwater runoff to surface waters throughout the San Diego Region. The purpose of the focused meetings is for the San Diego Water Board to discuss proposed changes to the Regional MS4 Permit and hear preliminary input from the Copermittees and interested persons.

Document Availability

The current Regional MS4 Permit is available on the San Diego Water Board website at:

https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sandiego/water_issues/programs/stormwater/docs/2015-1118_AmendedOrder_R9-2013-0001_COMPLETE.pdf

Interested persons may also receive copies of the Regional MS4 Permit by contacting Jessica Taylor at (619) 521-5893 or email at Jessica.Taylor@waterboards.ca.gov or by otherwise addressing written requests to the San Diego Regional Water Quality Control Board, 2375 Northside Drive, Suite 100, San Diego, California 92108-2700.

Focused Meeting #1

The San Diego Water Board will conduct the first focused meeting in person to discuss the proposed changes to the Jurisdictional Runoff Management Program requirements in Provision E of the Order and proposed inclusion of climate change considerations in the Regional MS4 Permit at the following time and location:

Thursday, March 9, 2023, beginning promptly at 10:00 a.m.
San Diego Regional Water Quality Control Board Meeting Room
2375 Northside Drive, Suite 100
San Diego, California, 92108

¹ NPDES No. CAS0109266, National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit and Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges from the Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems (MS4s) Draining the Watersheds within the San Diego Region (Order), San Diego Water Board, adopted May 8, 2013

Meeting Agenda

The Meeting Agenda, will be posted at least ten days prior to the meeting date at the following webpage:

https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sandiego/water_issues/programs/stormwater/sd_stormwater.html

Accessibility

The meeting facilities will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Individuals who have special accommodation needs, please contact Ms. Chris Blank at (619) 521-3382 or Christina.Blank@waterboards.ca.gov at least 5 business days prior to the meeting. If interpreter services are required, please contact Ms. Blank at least 10 business prior to the meeting. TTY/TDD/Speech-to-Speech users may dial 7-1-1 for the California Relay Service.

Contact for Further Information

Please contact Jessica Taylor by phone at (619) 521-5893 or email at for information regarding the focused meetings. Please bring the foregoing to the attention of any person known to you who would be interested in these matters.

Date of Notice: February 7, 2022