



State Water Resources Control Board

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NOTICE OF DOCUMENT AVAILABILITY

Administrative Draft General Waste Discharge Requirements for Aggregate and/or Concrete Facilities

The State Water Board is developing General WDRs for aggregate processing facilities and/or concrete manufacturing facilities wastewater systems (General Order). The General Order will be applicable statewide and is intended to streamline and improve permitting consistency.

Aggregate processing facilities that land apply wastewater produced from aggregate excavation or processing activities, perform recycling of broken concrete, road base, or limited amounts of bricks to produce products consistent with the aggregate production activities are eligible for coverage under the General Order.

Concrete manufacturing facilities that produce concrete or concrete products, recycle broken concrete, returned concrete, road base, and limited amounts of bricks to produce products consistent with associated site activities (e.g., road base for paving projects) are eligible for coverage under the General Order.

Facilities that produce asphaltic concrete may also recycle broken asphalt, asphalt shingles, or other suitable petroleum-rich products if they are stored appropriately to protect water quality. Asphaltic concrete facilities that are co-located at an aggregate or concrete facility are eligible for coverage under the General Order.

Contact the State Water Board at the aggregate and concrete order email address for an electronic copy of the administrative draft General Order. Contact the State Water Board representative for questions related to the General Order.

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