

State Water Resources Control Board

NOTICE OF TEMPORARY URGENCY CHANGE ORDER INVOLVING INSTREAM FLOW DEDICATION FOR WATER RIGHT PERMIT 21198 (APPLICATION 31055) OF CAMP MEEKER RECREATION AND PARK DISTRICT

COUNTY: Sonoma

STREAM SYSTEM: Russian River

On June 25, 2019, Camp Meeker Recreation and Park District (Camp Meeker) filed a temporary urgency change petition (TUCP) with the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board), Division of Water Rights (Division), requesting approval of temporary changes to water right Permit 21198 (Application 31055) pursuant to Chapters 6.6 and 10 of Part 2 of Division 2 of the Water Code. On July 19, 2019, the Division conditionally approved the petition and issued an Order allowing Camp Meeker to temporarily dedicate water for instream beneficial uses in Dutch Bill Creek and augment flows to support survival of state and federally endangered coho salmon (*Oncorhynchus kisutch*) and federally threatened steelhead (*Oncorhynchus mykiss*) during the summer and fall of 2019. The instream flow dedication will continue up to the first substantial rain event or until flow conditions in Dutch Bill Creek recover to a minimum of 0.1 cubic foot per second (cfs), but not after December 31, 2019.

Summary of Permit 21198 and Petition for Change:

Source:	Russian River Underflow tributary to the Pacific Ocean
Point of Diversion:	Monte Rio offset well within NW¼ of SE¼ of Section 7, T7N, R10W, MDB&M
Season of Diversion:	January 1 to December 31 of each year
Amount of Water:	Existing: 0.23 cfs by direct diversion not to exceed 90 acre-feet per annum (afa) Proposed: 0.23 cfs by direct diversion not to exceed 46.65 afa. Up to 30 acre-feet (of the 46.65 afa) at a maximum rate of up to 0.2 cfs will be dedicated for instream beneficial use in Dutch Bill Creek
Purposes of Use:	Existing: Municipal and Fire Protection Proposed: Addition of Fish and Wildlife Preservation and Enhancement

Places of Use:	<p>Existing: Within the boundaries of Camp Meeker as shown on map filed with the State Water Board, being within portions of Sections 21, 22, 27, and 28, T7N, R10W, MDB&M</p> <p>Proposed: Addition of a reach of Dutch Bill Creek to the place of use for Fish and Wildlife Preservation and Enhancement. The upstream limit is located at North 1,921,868 feet and East 6,282,809 feet by CCS83, Zone 2, being within NE¼ of SW¼ of Section 21, T7N, R10W, MDB&M. The downstream limit is located at the confluence of Dutch Bill Creek and the Russian River at North 1,932,731 feet and East 6,272,591 feet by CCS83, Zone 2, being within NE¼ of SW¼ of Section 7, T7N, R10W, MDB&M</p>
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More information regarding the TUCP and approval order can be viewed at:
[Transfers and Temporary Urgency Actions - Notices](#)

Pursuant to Water Code section 1438(a), the State Water Board may issue an Order approving or denying a TUCP in advance of public notice.

Pursuant to California Water Code section 1438(d), any interested person may file an objection to the temporary changes. Objections filed in response to this notice should be submitted to the persons listed below and must be received by the Division by 4:30 p.m. on **August 23, 2019**. Objections may be provided via email prior to the deadline; however, a copy of the original signed letter of objection must be subsequently filed with the Division.

Send comments to both:

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Date of Notice: **July 23, 2019**