



Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board

CENTRAL COAST REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, September 21, 2017, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Friday, September 22, 2017, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Santa Barbara County Offices Planning & Development Hearing Room - 1st Floor 105 East Anapamu Street, Santa Barbara

Thursday, September 21, 2017, 9:00 a.m.

Chair Dr. Jean-Pierre Wolff called the meeting to order on Thursday, September 21, 2017, at 9:08 a.m.

BOARD BUSINESS

 Roll Call [Tammie Olson, Clerk to the Board, 805/549-3140, <u>Tammie.Olson@Waterboards.ca.gov</u>]

Water Board Members

Present: Chair Wolff, Vice-Chair Hunter, Member Cervantez, Member Gray, Member Delgado, Member Johnston, and Member Young.

Absent: none

2. Introductions, Staff Recognition, and Awards [John Robertson, Executive Officer, 805/549-3140, <u>John.Robertson@waterboards.ca.gov</u>]

Executive Officer John Robertson introduced Jessica Jahr, legal counsel; Michael Thomas, assistant executive officer; Tammie Olson, clerk to the Board; and section managers Harvey Packard, Thea Tryon, and Angela Schroeter.

Mr. Robertson announced that DeeDee D'Adamo, State Water Board liaison, will join the board on Friday.

Mr. Robertson introduced and announced that this is Chris Adair's last meeting and that he will be formally recognized at our next meeting in San Luis Obispo.

DR. JEAN-PIERRE WOLFF, CHAIR | JOHN M. ROBERTSON, EXECUTIVE OFFICER

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3. Approval of July 13-14, 2017 Board Meeting minutes

Motion: Seconded by: Roll Call Vote:	Member Delgado Member Gray
Aye:	Chair Wolff, Member Cervantez, Member Delgado, Member Gray, Member Johnston, and Member Young
Nay:	None
Absent:	
Abstain	Monica Hunter
MOTION CARRIED:	6-0

- 4. Report by Regional Board Members
 - <u>Chair Wolff</u>
 - July 18, 2017, San Luis Obispo County Water Resources Advisory Committee, addressing Sustainable Groundwater Management Act
 - August 17, 2017, City of San Luis Obispo meeting to discuss recycled water master plan
 - September 6, 2017, San Luis Obispo County Water Resources Advisory Committee
 - September 6, 2017, Lynch Canyon oil field aquifer exemption public hearing with the Division of Oil, Gas, and Geothermal Resources
 - September 7, 2017, telephone conference with Jenny Lester Moffitt, CDFA deputy secretary, regarding WQCC meeting in Sacramento in October.
 - Member Delgado
 - August 15, 2017, Watsonville ag order scoping meeting
 - Member Johnston
 - August 7, 2017, Salinas ag order scoping meeting
 - Comment on the status of cyanobacteria in Pinto Lake
 - Vice-Chair Hunter
 - Reported on environmental justice issues.
 - Member Gray
 - o July 27, 2017, Maria Kennedy tour of low income communities
 - o August 15, 2017, Watsonville Ag. 4.0 scoping
 - Member Cervantez and Member Young
 - Nothing to report
- 5. Report by State Water Resources Control Board Liaison [Dorene D'Adamo, 916/641-5609] Ms. D'Adamo gave her report to the Board on Friday, September 22, 2017.

Uncontested Items

- Termination of Waste Discharge Requirements and NPDES Permit for Cuyama CSD WWTP, New Cuyama, Santa Barbara County, Order No. R3-2007-0020 [Sheila Soderberg, 805/549-3592, <u>sheila.soderberg@waterboards.ca.gov</u>]
- Revision of Waste Discharge Requirements and Reissuance of NPDES Permit for Goleta Sanitary District, Goleta, Santa Barbara County, Order No. R3-2017-0021 [Peter von Langen, 805/549-3688, Peter.vonLangen@waterboards.ca.gov]

Speaker:

- Brad Hagman, Avila Beach Community Services District
- Revision of Waste Discharge Requirements and Reissuance of NPDES Permit for Avila Beach Community Services District Wastewater Treatment Plant, Avila Beach, San Luis Obispo County, Order No. R3-2017-0025 [Katie Disimone, 805/542-4638, <u>katie.disimone@waterboards.ca.gov</u>]
- 11. Revision of Waste Discharge Requirements and Reissuance of NPDES Permit for Heritage Ranch Community Services District Wastewater Treatment Plant, Paso Robles, San Luis Obispo County, Order No. R3-2017-0026 [Katie Disimone, 805/542-4638, <u>katie.disimone@waterboards.ca.gov</u>]
- 12. Revision of Waste Discharge Requirements and Reissuance of NPDES Permit for Arthur R. Wilson Quarry, Aromas, San Benito County, Order No. R3-2017-0027 [Katie Disimone, 805/542-4638, <u>katie.disimone@waterboards.ca.gov]</u>
- Revision of Waste Discharge Requirements and Reissuance of NPDES Permit for South County Regional Wastewater Authority Treatment and Reclamation Facility, Santa Clara County, Order No. R3-2017-0028 [Harvey Packard, 805/542-4639, <u>Harvey.packard@waterboards.ca.gov</u>]
- Revision of Waste Discharge Requirements and Reissuance of NPDES Permit for Carpinteria Sanitary District, Carpinteria, Santa Barbara County, Order No. R3-2017-0032 [Steve Saiz, 805/549-3879, <u>Steve.Saiz@waterboards.ca.gov</u>]
- Renewal of Waste Discharge Requirements Order No. R3-2017-0020, General Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges of Winery Waste and Categorical Waiver of Waste Discharge Requirements and Waiver of Requirement to Submit Report of Waste Discharge for Certain Small Wineries, Central Coast Region. [Howard Kolb, 805/549-3332, howard.kolb@waterboards.ca.gov

Water Resources Control Engineer Howard Kolb gave a short presentation on item 15.

Motion:	Vice-Chair Hunter
Seconded by:	Member Delgado
Roll Call Vote:	
Aye:	Chair Wolff, Vice-Chair Hunter, Member Cervantez, Member
	Delgado, Member Gray, Member Johnston, and Member Young
Nay:	None
Absent:	None
Abstain	None
MOTION CARRIED:	7-0

Discussion/Informational Items

 Update on Agricultural Order 4.0
[Chris Rose, 805/ 542-4770, <u>chris.rose@waterboads.ca.gov</u>, Arwen Wyatt-Mair, 805/ 542-4695, arwen.wyattmair@waterboards.ca.gov]

Executive Officer John Robertson introduced the topic and briefly described the many components of the Irrigated Lands Regulatory Program (ILRP), including implementation of existing Ag Order 3.0, development of Ag Order 4.0, and various forms of coordination and outreach performed by staff. Arwen Wyatt-Mair, ILRP staff, made a brief presentation to the Board describing the calendar for Ag Order 4.0 planning and development and provided a summary of a series of listening sessions held in August 2017. Board members reviewed the summary of comments heard during the listening sessions, included as Attachment 2 to the Item 16 staff report, and provided comments regarding each bulleted item. The topics covered during the listening sessions and included in Attachment 2 were the structure of Ag Order 3.0, surface receiving water monitoring, groundwater monitoring, total nitrogen applied reporting, individual surface discharge monitoring, the irrigation and nutrient management plan and effectiveness reporting, the water quality buffer plan, and missing requirements or water quality issues not addressed by Ag Order 3.0.

Public comment on this item was provided by Claire Wineman, President of the Grower-Shipper Association of Santa Barbara and San Luis Obispo Counties; James Greene of the San Luis Obispo County Farm Bureau; and Parry Klassen, Executive Director of the Central Coast Groundwater Coalition.

Speakers:

- Claire Wineman, Grower-Shipper Association of Santa Barbara and San Luis Obispo Counties
- Parry Klassen, Executive Director, Central Coast Groundwater Coalition
- James Green, Government Affairs Specialist, San Luis Obispo County Farm Bureau

Public Forum

17. Public forum

Speakers:

- Claire Wineman
- Abby Taylor-Silva, Grower-Shipper Association of Central California
- Hillary Hauser, Executive Director, Heal the Ocean

Friday, September 22, 2017, 9:00 a.m.

BOARD BUSINESS

19. Roll Call / Introductions [Tammie Olson, Clerk to the Board, 805/549-3140, <u>Tammie.Olson@Waterboards.ca.gov</u>]

Public Forum

20. Public Forum:

Speakers:

Ken Hough, Santa Barbara County Action Network

Enforcement

22. Enforcement Report [Thea Tryon 805/542-4776, Thea.Tryon@waterboards.ca.gov]

Enforcement Coordinator Thea Tryon gave the enforcement report and answered questions from the Board.

Discussion/Informational Items

23. Recycled Water Policy Discussion [Staff from State Water Board's Divisions of Drinking Water and Water Quality, Harvey Packard, 805/542-4639, Harvey packard@waterboards.ca.gov]

Mr. Robertson introduced the item. Laura McLellan of the State Water Resources Control Board's Division of Water Quality provided some background on the State Water Board's Recycled Water Policy and the plans to update the policy in 2018. Division of Water Quality's Claire Waggoner provided information on compounds of emerging concern. Mike Downey of the Division of Financial Assistance then presented information on how recycled water projects are funded. The last speaker was Kurt Souza of the Division of Drinking Water. Mr. Souza discussed how the state regulates recycled water and the various technologies used.

Administrative Items

24. Executive Officer's Report

[John Robertson, Executive Officer 805/549-3140, John.Robertson@waterboards.ca.gov]

John Robertson gave the Executive Officer's report and answered questions from the Board.

25. Board Calendar 2018

[John Robertson, Executive Officer 805/549-3140, John.Robertson@waterboards.ca.gov]

The Board approved all of the dates except May 10-11 due to a conflict with one of the members. Chair Wolff directed the Clerk of the Board to send a doodle poll to the members after the meeting and find a better date for the May 2018 meeting, if possible. The Board

will take up the discussion for the date of the May 2018 meeting again at its December 2017 meeting.

Meeting Date		Location
February 8-9, 2018	Regular Meeting	Watsonville
March 22-23, 2018	Regular Meeting	Santa Barbara
May 10-11, 2018*	Regular Meeting	San Luis Obispo
June 28-29, 2018	Regular Meeting	Santa Barbara
September 20-21, 2018	Regular Meeting	Watsonville
October, 2018	WQCC Annual Meeting	To be determined
December 6-7, 2018	Regular Meeting	San Luis Obispo

Motion:	Vice-Chair Hunter to approve all dates except May 10 and 11 in San Luis Obispo	
Seconded by: Roll Call Vote:	Member Young	
Aye:	Chair Wolff, Vice-Chair Hunter, Member Cervantez, Member Delgado, Member Gray, Member Johnston, and Member Young	
Nay:	None	
Absent:	None	
Abstain	None	
MOTION CARRIED:	7-0	

Chair Wolff adjourned the meeting at approximately 1:03 p.m.

Dr. Jean-Pierre Wolff, Chair