

SECTION 401 WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION PUBLIC NOTICE

The Central Coast Water Board is currently reviewing a Clean Water Act section 401 Water Quality Certification application for the project described below. We encourage public comments on the proposed project and will take comments into consideration when taking action on the application. You may submit written comments on this project to:

Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board

895 Aerovista Place, Suite 101

San Luis Obispo, CA 93401

Attention: 401 Coordinator

OR

centralcoast@waterboards.ca.gov

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Project Applicant: City of Carpinteria – Michael Ramirez

Applicant's Agent: City of Carpinteria – Erin Maker

Project Name: Carpinteria Beach Winter Protection Berm

Receiving Water: Pacific Ocean

City/County: Carpinteria / Santa Barbara

Public Notice: August 21, 2024 – September 11, 2024

Project Description:

The purpose of this project is to prevent coastal erosion and coastal flooding during winter storm and tidal events on an annual basis, starting no earlier than November 1 each year and ending no later than May 1 of each year.

The proposed project activities include:

- Annually constructing a 1,375-foot long, 9.5-foot high winter sand berm on Carpinteria City Beach in the fall, and removing the berm in the spring.

No mitigation is proposed.