
Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

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NOTICE OF APPLICABILITY (NOA); WAIVER OF WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR SPECIFIC TYPES OF DISCHARGE WITHIN THE CENTRAL VALLEY REGION, R5-2023-0061; DUTRA SAN RAFAEL PROPERTIES LLC, SAN RAFAEL ROCK QUARRY MAINTENANCE DREDGING PROJECT, SOLANO COUNTY

On 19 May 2026, the Dutra San Rafael Properties LLC (Discharger) submitted a Report of Waste Discharge (RWD) for coverage under the *Waiver of Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs)*, *Report of Waste Discharge (RWDs)*, and/or *Water Recycling Requirements (WRRs) for Specific Types of Discharge within the Central Valley Region* (Low Threat Waiver), Resolution R5-2023-0061. The submittal contains all the information required to evaluate the applicability of the Low Threat Waiver; therefore, the discharge qualifies for the category of disposal of dredge material to land and meets the conditions of the Waiver. The discharge is hereby covered under the Waiver and assigned enrollee number **R5-2023-0061-0049**. Please include this number in all correspondence related to this discharge. A copy of the [Low Threat Waiver](#) is enclosed and also available on the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board's website.

(https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/adopted_orders/waivers/r5-2023-0061.pdf)

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The Discharger will conduct maintenance dredging operations at San Rafael Rock Quarry Dock and dispose of the dredge material at Decker Island. Dredging activities are covered under the San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board's water quality certification for the Maintenance Dredging at the San Rafael Rock Quarry, WDID: 2 CW440842, and expires 31 December 2030. Approximately 28,000 cubic yards of material will be transported and placed at Decker Island via tow tug. Material placed at Decker Island will be sectioned off so that there will be no discharge to surface waters.

BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES (BMPs)

The Discharger will follow the Dredging Operation Plan titled *San Rafael Rock Quarry Maintenance Dredging FY26 (SRRQ)*, dated May 2026, and herein incorporated by reference, to properly contain and dispose of dredge material at Decker Island.

SEDIMENT CHARACTERIZATION

The Discharger submitted a sediment characterization to demonstrate compliance with the Low Threat Waiver. Based on the sediment analysis results, the dredge material did not appear to contain constituents that are potentially hazardous or at concentrations that could impair beneficial uses of receiving waters.

APPROXIMATE TIMEFRAME FOR PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION

1 June to 30 November, annually

PROJECT LOCATION

Latitude: 38.093333, Longitude: -121.722778°

Assessor's Parcel Number: 0090-210-090-080 and 0090-210-090-050

APPLICATION FEES RECEIVED

An application fee of \$4,212.00 was received on 27 May 2026. The fee amount was determined as required by California Code of Regulations, title 23, sections 3833(b)(3) and 2200(a)(3) and was calculated as Category B - Dredging Discharges (fee code 86) with the dredge and fill fee calculator.

FACILITY-SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

Please familiarize yourself with the contents of the Low Threat Waiver, including the Conditions of Discharge (Attachment A of the Low Threat Waiver). The discharge must be managed in accordance with the requirements contained in the Conditions of Discharge and with the information submitted in the RWD and this Notice of Applicability. Dutra San Rafael Properties LLC is responsible for compliance with the Waiver and must provide sufficient oversight to ensure compliance and prompt reporting of any non-compliance. Upon completion of the discharge activities and confirmation that all dewatering and hydrostatic water has percolated and/or evaporated, the Discharger shall notify the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Board to request termination of coverage under the Waiver.

DOCUMENT SUBMITTAL AND COMMUNICATION

Please convert all documents to a searchable Portable Document Format (pdf). All documents, including Monitoring Reports, written notifications, and documents submitted to comply with this NOA and the Low Threat Waiver, should be submitted to the Water Quality Certification and Dredging Unit, Attention: Jenna Yang at centralvalleysacramento@waterboards.ca.gov and Jenna.Yang@waterboards.ca.gov.

Please include the following information in the body of the email:

- Attention: Water Quality Certification and Dredging Unit
- Discharger: Dutra San Rafael Properties LLC
- Project: San Rafael Rock Quarry Maintenance Dredging Project
- County: Solano County
- CIWQS Place ID: 906704

Please contact Jenna Yang at (916) 464-4764 or Jenna.Yang@waterboards.ca.gov if you have any questions regarding this Notice of Applicability or compliance with the Low Threat Waiver.

Original Signed by Anne Walters
Patrick Pulupa
Executive Officer

Enclosures (2): Low Threat Waiver, R5-2023-0061
Enclosure A – Decker Island Vicinity Map

cc: (via e-mail only)

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ENCLOSURE A – PROJECT AREA MAP

