Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
concerning
WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS ORDER R5-2027-XXXX
FOR
COUNTY OF LASSEN AND LASSEN REGIONAL SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY
BIEBER CLASS III MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE LANDFILL
LASSEN COUNTY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Valley Water Board) will consider adoption of the subject Order at a public meeting scheduled for:

DATE:	**11/12 February 2027**
TIME:	**8:30 a.m.**
PLACE:	**Central Valley Water Board** **11020 Sun Center Drive, #200** **Rancho Cordova, CA 95670**

The date, time, and location of the public meeting may change after this Notice is issued. A Final Agenda for the meeting will be made available at least 10 days before the meeting. The Final Agenda will provide the location and format of the meeting, the anticipated date that the proposed Order will be considered, and the anticipated order of all agenda items; however, the Board may consider agenda items out of their listed order. The agenda materials may also include staff revisions to the proposed Order.

The Final Agenda, and any information concerning changes to the date, time, location, or format of the public meeting, will be posted on the Central Valley Water Board's website (https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_info/meetings) and will be emailed to all persons that sign up for the GovDelivery e-mail list at (https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/resources/email_subscriptions/reg5_subscribe.html).

The meeting will be webcast live on YouTube. A weblink for viewing will be provided in the Final Agenda. Any person who would like to participate in the meeting, but who is unable to attend in-person, may participate remotely via video or teleconference. Instructions for doing so will be provided in the Final Agenda for the meeting.

The hearing facilities will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Individuals requiring special accommodations are requested to contact Ms. Mindy Bunn at (916) 464-4839 or Mindy.Bunn@waterboards.ca.gov at least five working days prior to the meeting. TTY

users may contact the California Relay Service at 1-800-735-2929 or voice line at 1-800-735-2922. To request oral interpretation or sign language services, please submit your request at least 10 business days before the meeting by calling (916) 341-5254 or e-mailing opp-languageservices@waterboards.ca.gov.

Opportunities to Comment

The Central Valley Water Board will consider written and oral comments on the proposed Order before it votes on whether to adopt the Order.

Written comments or evidence concerning the Order must be submitted by 5:00 p.m. on 10 December 2026. Please email any comments to Patrick.DeCarvalho@waterboards.ca.gov, with the subject line, "Comments on Proposed Order." While email is preferred, written comments may also be mailed to the following address:

Attention: Patrick DeCarvalho
Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board
364 Knollcrest Drive, Suite 205
Redding, CA 96002

The Board Chair may refuse to admit any comments or evidence received after the comment period unless the submitting party provides a reasonable explanation for why the submission is late and the Board Chair determines that admission of the late submission would not prejudice any other party.

Oral comments concerning the Order must be presented at the scheduled public meeting. Interested parties are generally allowed up to three minutes each to provide their comments. Certain **designated parties** may provide longer comments and have the right to call and examine witnesses, introduce exhibits, cross-examine opposing witnesses, impeach any witness, and to rebut the evidence against him or her. The parties subject to the proposed Order are designated parties. Any other party may request recognition as a designated party by submitting a written statement of how they are directly affected by the discharge(s) to be regulated and why they would like to be considered a designated party. Such requests must be submitted to Central Valley Water Board no later than **5:00 p.m. on 10 December 2026.** Instructions on how to provide oral comments will be included in the Final Agenda for the meeting.

Proposed Order

If adopted, Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) Order R5-2027-XXXX will prescribe requirements for management of Bieber Class III Municipal Solid Waste Landfill (Bieber Landfill) which is a closed waste disposal site owned by County of Lassen and operated by the Lassen Regional Solid Waste Management Authority. The Bieber Landfill covers approximately 20 acres, with approximately eleven acres dedicated to waste disposal.

The site is located approximately two miles northeast of the Town of Bieber in Lassen County, Section 14, Township 38 North, Range 7 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian. Bieber Landfill is currently regulated by Waste Discharge Requirements Order R5-2007-0175. If adopted, the proposed WDRs Order R5-2027-XXXX will rescind and replace the previous Order.

To conserve paper and reduce mailing costs, a paper copy of the proposed Order was sent only to the Discharger(s). All others may access a digital copy of the Order on the Central Valley Water Board's Tentative Orders website, under the heading, "Discharger-Specific Order for Future Board Meetings," at (https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders/).

Copies of the proposed Order and associated documents may also be obtained by visiting the office of the Central Valley Water Board at 364 Knollcrest Drive, Suite 205, Redding, CA 96002 or by contacting the Board by phone at (530) 224-4845, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Questions concerning the proposed Order or anything in this Notice should be directed to Patrick DeCarvalho at (530) 224-4786 or Patrick.DeCarvalho@waterboards.ca.gov.

Other Information

The Procedures Governing Central Valley Water Board Meetings may be found in California Code of Regulations, title 23, division 3, chapter 1.5 (starting with section 647) and are available upon request or via the web, at (http://www.waterboadrds.ca.gov/laws_regulations/).

Additional information on meeting procedures can be found on the Central Valley Water Board's Meeting Procedures webpage, at (http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_info/meetings/mtgprocd.shtml).

Hearings before the Central Valley Water Board are **not** conducted pursuant to Government Code section 11500 et seq.

All meeting procedure information is also available upon request to any of the Central Valley Water Board's offices. Questions regarding such procedures should be directed to Ms. Mindy Bunn at (916) 464-4839 or Mindy.Bunn@waterboards.ca.gov.

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