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## Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

26 June 2026

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### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR

### TENTATIVE RESOLUTION RESCINDING RESOLUTION R5-2008-0030 RELATING TO PATHOGENS IN STOCKTON URBAN WATERWAYS

#### TO ALL CONCERNED PERSONS AND AGENCIES:

Enclosed is a tentative Resolution that proposes to rescind Resolution R5-2008-0030 (the "2008 Resolution"). The 2008 Resolution purported to establish total maximum daily loads for pathogens in Five-Mile Slough, Lower Calaveras River, Mormon Slough, Mosher Slough, Smith Canal, and Walker Slough in San Joaquin County. However, the Resolution has failed to achieve compliance in these waterways, is inconsistent with subsequent statewide pathogen standards adopted by the State Water Board in 2018, and future implementation of the 2008 Resolution is neither expected to achieve compliance with the 2008 nor the 2018 standards that are currently in effect. Consistent with the findings of the 2008 Resolution, the Board proposes to rescind the 2008 Resolution.

In accordance with the enclosed Notice of Public Hearing (Notice), written comments and evidence concerning the proposed Resolution must be submitted to this office no later than 5:00 p.m. on **10 July 2026**.

A Public Hearing has been scheduled for the Central Valley Water Board to consider adoption of the proposed Resolution at its **27/28 August 2026** Board Meeting. See the enclosed Notice for additional information about the Public Hearing

This letter transmits a paper copy of the tentative Resolution package. Interested persons may download the document from the Central Valley Water Board's [Tentative Orders Page](#) ([http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board\\_decisions/tentative\\_orders](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders)). Copies of the document may also be obtained by contacting or visiting the Central Valley Water Board's office at 11020 Sun Center Drive, Suite 200, Rancho Cordova, California 95670, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

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If you have any questions regarding the proposed Resolution, please contact me at (916) 464-4787 or [Elizabeth.Lee@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:Elizabeth.Lee@waterboards.ca.gov).

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Enclosures (2):  
Tentative Resolution (website only)  
Notice of Public Hearing (website only)

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U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Sacramento  
U.S. National Marine Fisheries Service, Santa Rosa  
State Office of Historic Preservation, Sacramento  
State Department of Public Health, Environmental Management Branch, Sacramento  
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