

**Response to Written Comments**

**on**

**Order No. R1-2017-0003**

**Rescinding Waste Discharge Requirements and Cease and Desist Order**

**for**

**Talmage Readymix  
(former Ford Gravel Co., Inc.)  
Order No. 83-076, WDID No. 1B83076OMEN  
Mendocino County**

**Baxman Gravel Co. Inc.  
Order No. 82-001, WDID No. 1B82001OMEN  
Mendocino County**

**Canevari Timber Co., Inc.  
Order No. 92-064, WDID No. 1B92006RHUM  
Humboldt County**

**Eagle Rock, Inc.  
Order No. 80-169, WDID No. 1A80169OTRI  
Trinity County**

**Fisher Vineyards  
Order No. 79-130, WDID No. 1B791300SON  
Sonoma County**

**California Department of Forestry  
Parlin Fork Conservation Camp  
Order No. 97-52, WDID No. 1B771080MEN  
Mendocino County**

**Mendocino Forest Products, LLC  
Ukiah Sawmill  
Order No. R1-2014-0003, WDID No. 1B80051OMEN  
Mendocino County**

**Ecodyne Corporation  
Order No. R1-2007-0006, WDID No. 1B820500SON  
Sonoma County**

**Hi-Ridge Lumber Co., Yreka  
Order No. 90-31, WDID No. 1A83014OSIS  
Siskiyou County**

**Regional Water Quality Control Board, North Coast Region  
February 2, 2017**

**Comments Received**

The deadline for submission of public comments regarding the draft Order Rescinding Waste Discharge Requirements and a Cease and Desist Order (draft Order) for multiple facilities was November 10, 2016. Comments were received on the proposed rescission of the Mendocino Forest Products, LLC Ukiah Sawmill WDR Order and the Ecodyne Corporation WDR Order. Regional Water Board staff has restated some of the comments or summarized them for brevity.

The comments on the Mendocino Forest Products, LLC Sawmill WDR Order rescission were received from:

- Rodger Ferguson on November 7, 2016

The comments on the Ecodyne Corporation WDR Order rescission were received from:

- Carter Momsen PC on behalf of the Shiloh Group LLC on November 10, 2016
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**Mendocino Forest Products, LLC Sawmill WDR Order**

**A. Rodger Ferguson**

**Comment:** Due to negotiations to cross the railroad tracks and access the east field, Mendocino Forest Products (MFP) was not able to complete the pond in August as initially planned. The heavy equipment needed to construct the pond is currently being utilized at Scotia for the storm water pond at the Scotia sawmill. This project at Scotia has been delayed with the onset of winter and accompanying rains. At this time it is unlikely that MFP will be able to complete the Ukiah Sawmill Mill pond in time for the January Board Hearing.

**Response:** The Mendocino Forest Products, LLC Ukiah Sawmill WDR Order R1-2014-0003 will be removed from the draft Order and the Regional Water Board will consider adoption of a rescission order for this facility at a future Board meeting.

**Ecodyne Corporation WDR Order**

**B. Carter Momsen PC on behalf of the Shiloh Group LLC**

**Comment:** Active remediation is currently being conducted at the site and the existing order is still needed to protect water quality.

**Response:** Ecodyne Corporation WDR Order R1-2007-0006 for In-situ Treatment of Contaminated Soil will be removed from the draft Order and the Regional Water Board will consider adoption of a rescission order for this facility at a future Board meeting.

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