



May 16, 2016

State Water Resources Control Board  
Office of Chief Counsel  
Attn: Ryan Mallory Jones, Adrianna Crowl  
1001 "I" Street, 22<sup>nd</sup> floor  
Sacramento, CA 95814

Email: [Ryan.Mallory-Jones@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:Ryan.Mallory-Jones@waterboards.ca.gov); [waterqualitypetitions@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:waterqualitypetitions@waterboards.ca.gov)

**SWRCB/OCC FILE A-2455 (a thru m)  
WRITTEN RESPONSE TO PETITIONS FOR REVIEW**

Dear Ryan Mallory-Jones:

This is in response to your March 15, 2016 Complete Petition 30-day Response letter, as modified in your April 11 letter, in the above matters which invited written response from the San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional Board) and other interested persons relating to the adoption by the Regional Board on November 18/19, 2016 of the Municipal Regional Stormwater Permit for the San Francisco Bay Area, Order No. R2-2015-0049 (the MRP Order).

This written response is submitted on behalf of the City of Newark. The City is a petitioner in this matter (A-2455(e)) and an interested person with regard to the San Francisco Baykeeper petition for review.

The City of Newark fully supports and concurs with the Written Response filed by Gary Grimm on behalf of the Alameda Countywide Clean Water Program (the Program) in this matter. The City is a member agency of the Program and is committed to implementation of municipal stormwater measures necessary to maintain and improve water quality in the San Francisco Bay Region.

Thank you for your consideration of our comments, and we look forward to your further action on these petitions for review.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Soren Fajeau".

Soren Fajeau, P.E.  
Public Works Director  
City of Newark

cc A-2455(a thru m) Distribution List

A-2455(a thru m) Distribution List

A-2455(a)  
City of Alameda **[via email only]**  
Elizabeth Warmerdam,  
Interim City Manager  
Attn: Janet Kern, City Attorney  
2263 Santa Clara Avenue  
Alameda, CA 94501  
[jkern@alamedacityattorney.org](mailto:jkern@alamedacityattorney.org)

A-2455(b)  
Antonio Acosta **[via email only]**  
City of Union City  
34009 Alvarado-Niles Road  
Union City, CA 94587  
[TAcosta@unioncity.org](mailto:TAcosta@unioncity.org)

A-2455(c)  
Robert L. Falk **[via email only]**  
Legal Counsel  
Santa Clara Valley Urban Runoff  
Pollution Prevention Program  
Morrison & Foerster LLP  
425 Market Street, 32<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
San Francisco, CA 94105  
[RFalk@mofo.com](mailto:RFalk@mofo.com)

Matthew Fabry, PE **[via email only]**  
Manager  
San Mateo Countywide Water  
Pollution Prevention Program  
City/County Assoc. of Governments  
of San Mateo County  
555 County Center, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Redwood City, CA 94063  
[MFabry@smcgov.org](mailto:MFabry@smcgov.org)

A-2455(d)  
City of Albany **[via email only]**  
Public Works  
Attn: Ray Chan  
548 Cleveland Avenue  
Albany, CA 94710  
[rchan@albanyca.org](mailto:rchan@albanyca.org)

**[via email only]**  
Wen Chen, PhD, PE, CFM, QSD/P  
Senior Engineer  
City of Albany Public Works  
548 Cleveland Avenue  
Albany, CA 94710  
[wchen@albanyca.org](mailto:wchen@albanyca.org)

A-2455(e)  
Soren Fajeau, P.E. **[via email only]**  
Assistant City Engineer  
37101 Newark Blvd  
Newark, CA 94560  
[Soren.fajeau@newark.org](mailto:Soren.fajeau@newark.org)

A-2455(f)  
Elisa Wilfong **[via email only]**  
Water Pollution Control Administrator  
City of Hayward  
777 B Street  
Hayward, CA 94541  
[Elisa.Wilfong@hayward-ca.gov](mailto:Elisa.Wilfong@hayward-ca.gov)

Erik Pearson **[via email only]**  
Environmental Services Manager  
City of Hayward  
777 B Street  
Hayward, CA 94541  
[Erik.pearson@hayward-ca.gov](mailto:Erik.pearson@hayward-ca.gov)

Michael S. Lawson **[via email only]**  
City Attorney  
City of Hayward  
777 B Street  
Hayward, CA 94541  
[Michael.Lawson@hayward-ca.gov](mailto:Michael.Lawson@hayward-ca.gov)

(Continued)

March 15, 2016

A-2455(g)  
City of San Jose **[via email only]**  
Leah Goldberg, Sr. Deputy City Attorney  
City Attorney's Office  
200 E Santa Clara Street  
San Jose, CA 95113  
[Cao.main@sanjoseca.gov](mailto:Cao.main@sanjoseca.gov)

A-2455(h)  
City of Dublin **[via email only]**  
Andrew Russell  
Assistant Public Works Director/City  
Engineer  
100 Civic Plaza  
Dublin, CA 94568  
[Andrew.Russell@dublin.ca.gov](mailto:Andrew.Russell@dublin.ca.gov)

Sarah Quiter, Esq. **[via email only]**  
Meyers Nave  
555 12<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 1500  
Oakland, CA 94607  
[Squiter@meyersnave.com](mailto:Squiter@meyersnave.com)

A-2455(i)  
Dee Williams-Ridley **[via email only]**  
Interim City Manager  
City of Berkeley  
Administrative Division  
2180 Milvia Street  
Berkeley, CA 94704  
[DWilliams-Ridley@ci.berkeley.ca.us](mailto:DWilliams-Ridley@ci.berkeley.ca.us)

A-2455(j)  
City of San Leandro **[via email only]**  
c/o Debbie Pollart, Director of Public  
Works  
14200 Chapman Road  
San Leandro, CA 94578  
[dpollart@sanleandro.org](mailto:dpollart@sanleandro.org)

Sarah Quiter, Esq. **[via email only]**  
Meyers Nave  
555 12<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 1500  
Oakland, CA 94607  
[Squiter@meyersnave.com](mailto:Squiter@meyersnave.com)

A-2455(k)  
County of Alameda **[via email only]**  
c/o Kathy Lee, Esq.  
Deputy County Counsel  
Office of the County Counsel  
1221 Oak Street, Suite 450  
Oakland, CA 94612-4296  
[Kathy.lee@acgov.org](mailto:Kathy.lee@acgov.org)

County of Alameda **[via email only]**  
Public Works Building  
Attn: Sharon Gosselin  
399 Elmhurst Street  
Hayward, CA 94544  
[Sharon@acpwa.org](mailto:Sharon@acpwa.org)

A-2455(l)  
San Francisco Baykeeper **[via email only]**  
Attn: George Torgun, Managing Attorney  
1736 Franklin Street, Suite 800  
Oakland, CA 94512  
[George@baykeeper.org](mailto:George@baykeeper.org)

A-2455(m)  
Celso D. Ortiz **[via email only]**  
Senior Deputy City Attorney  
City of Oakland  
One Frank Ogawa Plaza  
Oakland, CA 94612  
[cortiz@oaklandcityattorney.org](mailto:cortiz@oaklandcityattorney.org)

Keith Lichten **[via email only]**  
Supervising Water Resource Control  
Engineer  
San Francisco Bay Regional Water  
Quality Control Board  
1515 Clay Street, Suite 1400  
Oakland, CA 94612  
[Keith.Lichten@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:Keith.Lichten@waterboards.ca.gov)

(Continued)

March 15, 2016

Dale Bowyer **[via email only]**  
Senior WRC Engineer  
San Francisco Bay Regional Water  
Quality Control Board  
1515 Clay Street, Suite 1400  
Oakland, CA 94612  
[dale.bowyer@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:dale.bowyer@waterboards.ca.gov)

Bruce Wolfe **[via email only]**  
Executive Officer  
San Francisco Bay Regional Water  
Quality Control Board  
1515 Clay Street, Suite 1400  
Oakland, CA 94612  
[bruce.wolfe@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:bruce.wolfe@waterboards.ca.gov)

Ms. Dyan Whyte **[via email only]**  
Assistant Executive Officer  
San Francisco Bay Regional Water  
Quality Control Board  
1515 Clay Street, Suite 1400  
Oakland, CA 94612  
[dyan.whyte@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:dyan.whyte@waterboards.ca.gov)

Thomas Mumley **[via email only]**  
Assistant Executive Officer  
San Francisco Bay Regional Water  
Quality Control Board  
1515 Clay Street, Suite 1400  
Oakland, CA 94612  
[thomas.mumley@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:thomas.mumley@waterboards.ca.gov)

Lori T. Okun, Esq. **[via email only]**  
Office of Chief Counsel  
State Water Resources Control Board  
1001 I Street, 22<sup>nd</sup> Floor [95814]  
P.O. Box 100  
Sacramento, CA 95812-0100  
[lori.okun@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:lori.okun@waterboards.ca.gov)

Tamarin Austin, Esq. **[via email only]**  
Office of Chief Counsel  
State Water Resources Control Board  
1001 I Street, 22<sup>nd</sup> Floor [95814]  
P.O. Box 100  
Sacramento, CA 95812-0100  
[tamarin.austin@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:tamarin.austin@waterboards.ca.gov)

Marnie Ajello, Esq. **[via email only]**  
Office of Chief Counsel  
State Water Resources Control Board  
1001 I Street, 22<sup>nd</sup> Floor [95814]  
P.O. Box 100  
Sacramento, CA 95812-0100  
[Marnie.Ajello@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:Marnie.Ajello@waterboards.ca.gov)

Mr. David W. Smith, Chief **[via email only]**  
Permits Office  
U.S. EPA, Region 9  
75 Hawthorne Street  
San Francisco, CA 94105  
[smith.davidw@epa.gov](mailto:smith.davidw@epa.gov)

Mr. Ken Greenberg, Chief **[via email only]**  
Clean Water Act Compliance (NPDES)  
U.S. EPA, Region 9  
75 Hawthorne Street  
San Francisco, CA 94105  
[greenberg.ken@epa.gov](mailto:greenberg.ken@epa.gov)

Gary Grimm, Esq. **[via email only]**  
Law Office of Gary J. Grimm  
2390 Vine Street  
Berkeley, CA 94708  
[ggrimm@garygrimmlaw.com](mailto:ggrimm@garygrimmlaw.com)

Kathy Cote  
Environmental Services Manager  
39550 Liberty Street  
Fremont, CA 94838  
[KCOte@fremont.gov](mailto:KCOte@fremont.gov)

Philip Wyels, Esq. **[via email only]**  
Office of Chief Counsel  
State Water Resources Control Board  
1001 I Street, 22<sup>nd</sup> Floor [95814]  
P.O. Box 100  
Sacramento, CA 95812-0100  
[Philip.Wyels@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:Philip.Wyels@waterboards.ca.gov)