



# Water Quality Fees

## Division of Administrative Services

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### FY 2017-18 Water Quality Fee Schedule to be Proposed at September 19, 2017 Board Meeting

Staff will be presenting to the State Water Board a proposal for the Fiscal Year (FY) 2017-18 Fee Schedule for Water Quality Fees on Tuesday, September 19, 2017. The item will be posted for public comment approximately 7-10 days prior to the meeting with instructions on how to submit comments. This meeting will be your final opportunity to provide comments to the State Water Board on the FY 2017-18 Fee Schedule.

### Stakeholder Outreach for FY 2018-19

The State Water Board will be holding several stakeholder meetings in 2018 to discuss the FY 2018-19 Fee Schedule. Some of these meetings will be held in various locations throughout the state. To receive information about these meetings, sign up for the "Fee Regulations – Water Quality" email subscription list. (see bottom right)

### Need Our Form W-9 to Pay Your Invoice?

A copy of the State Water Board's W-9 is posted on our website (above) and updated annually. If you need us to complete a different form, please contact us directly.

### Pay Your Invoice Online!

You can make a payment online via Electronic Fund Transfer (EFT). Visit our website (above) for a link to the secure payment website. You must have at least the invoice number to make a payment. We cannot accept credit card payments at this time but hope to in the near future.

### Check the Status of Your Payment Online

Visit our website (above) and click on the Storm Water and Wastewater Permit Fee Invoice Information link. You can search for invoices by WDDID (facility ID), invoice number, facility name or facility address.

### Is Your Billing Address Current?

It is your responsibility to ensure we have the correct billing address on file so that you receive your invoice in a timely manner. If you have a Waste Discharge Requirement permit, contact the appropriate Regional Board at the phone number listed on page 2. If you have a Storm Water permit, log into your SMARTS account and update the billing information.

### Sign Up for Periodic Email Updates

The Fee Branch sends out announcements and periodic updates regarding fees to stakeholders via email. To subscribe to the "Fee Regulations – Water Quality" email list, visit the Water Quality Fees website (above) for a link and instructions. You can also sign up for emails regarding other Water Board topics that might be of interest to you.

### New Fee Schedule for Cannabis Cultivation General Order

In anticipation of adoption of the General Waste Discharge Requirements for Discharges of Waste Associated with Cannabis Cultivation (General Order) in October 2017, staff will be proposing a new fee schedule for the General Order only. The current fee schedule for those dischargers enrolled in a Regional Board order or waiver will remain in place for FY 2017-18. For more information about the State Water Board's Cannabis Cultivation regulatory program, visit [https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water\\_issues/programs/cannabis/index.shtml](https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/cannabis/index.shtml).

### Questions about Your Storm Water Permit?

If you have questions about the SMARTS database or your Storm Water permit, including how to terminate the permit, please contact the State Water Board's Storm Water Unit at [stormwater@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:stormwater@waterboards.ca.gov) or (866) 563-3107. The Storm Water Unit can assist dischargers with Construction, Industrial and Municipal Storm Water permit questions. If you have a question about your invoice, please contact the Fee Branch (contact information above).

### Questions about Your Waste Discharge Requirement (WDR) Invoice or Permit?

Please contact the appropriate Regional Board directly with any questions about your invoice or your permit, including how to transfer or terminate the permit if it is no longer needed. WDR programs include: Waste Discharge Requirements, Land Disposal, National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES), Confined Animal Facilities (CAF), Agricultural Lands, and Water Quality Certification.

### Regional Board WDR Permit Contacts

| REGION                           | PHONE NUMBER                                      | WATER QUALITY CERT. ONLY |
|----------------------------------|---|--------------------------|
| 1 – North Coast                  | (707) 576-2656                                    | (707) 576-2653           |
| 2 – San Francisco Bay            | (510) 622-2400                                    | (510) 622-2380           |
| 3 – Central Coast                | (805) 549-3550                                    | (805) 542-4771           |
| 4 – Los Angeles                  | (213) 620-2424<br>RB4Fees@waterboards.ca.gov      | (213) 576-6785           |
| 5F – Central Valley (Fresno)     | (559) 445-5550                                    | (559) 445-6042           |
| 5R - Central Valley (Redding)    | (530) 224-4850                                    | (530) 224-2437           |
| 5S – Central Valley (Sacramento) | (916) 464-4727<br>R5-Fees@waterboards.ca.gov      | (916) 464-4787           |
| 6A – Lahontan (South Lake Tahoe) | (530) 542-5464                                    | (530) 542-5430           |
| 6B – Lahontan (Victorville)      | (760) 241-7306                                    | (760) 241-7376           |
| 7 – Colorado River               | (760) 776-8941                                    | (760) 776-8941           |
| 8 – Santa Ana                    | (951) 782-4902<br>Susan.Beeson@waterboards.ca.gov | (951) 782-3295           |
| 9 – San Diego                    | (619) 521-3919                                    | (619) 521-3364           |

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