California Regional Water Quality Control Board San Francisco Bay Region 1515 Clay Street, Suite 1400, Oakland, CA 94612

NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT AND PUBLIC HEARING FOR DISCHARGE PERMIT

Sonoma Valley County Sanitation District
Sonoma Valley County Sanitation District Wastewater Treatment Plant
and sanitary sewer system
22675 8th Street East, Sonoma

Board staff has prepared a draft National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit for Sonoma Valley County Sanitation District in accordance with the Clean Water Act and Porter. Cologne Water Quality Control Act. The Sonoma Valley County Sanitation District owns and operates the Sonoma Valley County Sanitation District Wastewater Treatment Plant and sanitary sewer system. It provides tertiary treatment of about 2.9 million gallons per day of wastewater and discharges to Schell Slough, Ringstrom Bay, Management Unit 3, Management Unit 1, the Napa-Sonoma Salt Marsh, and Pond 7A.

The deadline for receipt of comment on the draft permit is **5:00 p.m. on November 14, 2024**. Comments must be sent to the **attention of Kerry O'Connor**. Persons wishing to file written comments on any aspect of this matter must do so no later than this deadline so that such comments may be considered.

The Board will consider adopting the draft permit during a meeting to commence at 9:00 a.m. on **December 11, 2024**. Interested persons are invited to express their views at this hearing.

Pursuant to California Code of Regulations Title 23 section 2050(c), any party who challenges the Board's action through a petition to the State Water Resources Control Board under Water Code section 13320 will be limited to raising only those substantive issues that were raised before the Board at the hearing or in timely submitted correspondence.

All documents related to the draft permit may be inspected at the Board office. The draft permit and developments on this matter are available at www.waterboards.ca.gov/sanfranciscobay. Board staff responses to comments will be posted on that website a week prior to the hearing. Contact Kerry O'Connor at (510) 622-2465 or Kerry.OConnor@waterboards.ca.gov if you have questions.