

Notice of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research P0 Box
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County Clerk County of Contra Costa

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

Project Title:

Tesoro Martinez Facility, Tesoro Refining & Marketing Company LLC, Martinez, Contra Costa County-
Reissuance of NPDES Permit

Project Location - Specific:

The permit covers the Tesoro Martinez Facility, which discharges treated industrial wastewater to the Suisun Bay via Discharge Point 001 (38.0483°, -122.0894°), stormwater from Discharge Point 003 (38.0122°, -122.0652°), Discharge Point 005-T2NW (38.0302°, -122.0753°), Discharge Point 005-T2S-A (38.0191°, -122.0669°), Discharge Point 005-T2S-B (38.0193°, -122.0674°), Discharge Point 005-T2S-C (38.0202°, -122.0682°), Discharge Point 005-T2SW (38.0223°, -122.0693°), Discharge Point 005-T4NW (38.0179°, -122.0675°), Discharge Point 005-T4SW (38.0042°, -122.0583°), and Discharge Point 006 (38.0274°, -122.0567°) to Lower Walnut Creek, and stormwater from Discharge Point 004 (38.0225°, -122.0583°) to Hastings Slough.

Project Location - City Martinez **Project Location - County:** Contra Costa County

Description of Project:

Waste Discharge Requirements permit Tesoro Refining and Marketing Company LLC to discharge approximately 3.1 million gallons per day of treated wastewater to the Suisun Bay and stormwater to Lower Walnut Creek and Hastings Slough.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Regional Water Quality Control Board

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: California Regional Water Quality Control Board

Exempt Status: *(check one)*

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Section 13389 of the California Water Code
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project is the adoption of an NPDES permit.

Lead Agency: San Francisco Bay Regional Water Board

Contact Person: Gaurav Mittal

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (510) 622-2407

If filed by applicant:

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes No

Signature: _____ Date: 12/20/2021 Title: Executive Officer

Michael Montgomery

Signed by Lead Agency

Signed by Applicant

Date received for filing at OPR: _____