

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:

Martinez Refining Company LLC, Martinez Refining Company, Martinez, Contra Costa County- Reissuance of NPDES Permit

Project Location - Specific:

The permit covers the Martinez Refining Company LLC, which discharges treated industrial wastewater to the Carquinez Strait via Discharge Point 001 (38.0322°, -122.1289°) and stormwater to Peyton Slough via Discharge Point 002 (38.0225°, -122.1106°) and to Peyton Creek via Discharge Points 004 (38.0150°, -122.1186°), 005 (38.0161°, -122.1019°), 007 (38.0014°, -122.1019°), and 008 (38.0111°, -122.1067°).

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

Description of Project:

Waste Discharge Requirements permit Martinez Refining Company to discharge approximately 5.3 million gallons per day of treated wastewater to Carquinez Strait and to discharge facility stormwater to Peyton Slough and Peyton Creek.

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: 11/14/2022 Title: Executive Officer

Eileen White

- Signed by Lead Agency
- Signed by Applicant

Date received for filing at OPR: _____