Eastern Municipal Water District (EMWD) proposes to adopt the 2019 Sanitary Sewer Management Plan (SSMP).

The proposed approval of the EMWD’s updated 2019 SSMP was prepared by EMWD staff as required by the Statewide General Waste Discharge Requirement (WDR) for Sanitary Sewer Systems (SSS), Order No. 2006-0003-DWQ. EMWD is currently enrolled under the (WDR SSS) through the State Water Resources Control Board. The purpose of the WDR SSS is to provide a consistent, statewide regulatory approach to address Sanitary Sewer Overflows (SSOs). This approach is aimed at preventing SSOs, and ensuring agencies are properly prepared to respond to any SSOs that occur. The WDR SSS requires EMWD to develop, implement and maintain an updated SSMP. The purpose of the SSMP is to document the proper operation and maintenance of EMWD’s SSS.

The WDR SSS, Order No. 2006-0003-DWQ, requires agencies to evaluate and make any necessary subsequent revisions to its SSMP every 5 years or when significant updates to the SSMP are made; the SSMP must be presented to the enrollee’s Governing Board for approval at a public meeting.

This Public Notice officially notifies the general public of a 30-day public review period prior to the Public Hearing. Please submit email comments to edwardsd@emwd.org and written comments by mail to the following location:

Eastern Municipal Water District
Attention: Douglas Edwards
P.O. Box 8300
Perris, CA 92572-8300

Email or written comments received will be forwarded to EMWD’s Board of Directors, and will be considered before the SSMP is approved for adoption. A public meeting of EMWD’s Board of Directors to take action on the SSMP will be held at 9:00 a.m., or as soon as possible thereafter, December 11, 2019 at EMWD headquarters:

Eastern Municipal Water District
2270 Trumble Road
Perris, CA 92570

Should you have questions, contact Douglas Edwards via email edwardsd@emwd.org or phone (951) 928-3777 extension 4511. Copies of the SSMP are available upon request or online at https://emwd.org/public-notices.