SAN GABRIEL VALLEY WATER COMPANY

NOTICE

Notice of Public Comment Period
for
Domestic Water Supply Permit Amendment
San Gabriel Valley Water Company Plant No. 8

San Gabriel Valley Water Company ("San Gabriel") invites you to participate in a public comment period and a community meeting regarding the issuance of an amended Domestic Water Supply Permit for operation of San Gabriel's Plant No. 8 Water Treatment Facility ("Plant No. 8") located in the City of South El Monte, to treat contaminated groundwater and to serve the treated water as a drinking water source for distribution to San Gabriel's customers.

This permit amendment would allow San Gabriel to operate Plant No. 8's air-stripping treatment system, liquid-phase granular activated carbon treatment system, a new ultraviolet light with advanced oxidation process treatment system, and implement a new blend plan to collectively treat volatile organic compounds, per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances, and 1,4-dioxane in the groundwater basin of the South El Monte Operable Unit (Superfund site).

This project will restore a large portion of the groundwater production capacity to sufficiently supply San Gabriel's customers with their drinking water needs. Since this treatment facility is treating an extremely impaired water supply, the State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Drinking Water ("DDW") required the preparation of an evaluation process, pursuant to the DDW Process Memo 97-005-R2020 ("Memo"), to assure the public that this treated drinking water supply is safe for consumption. This comprehensive evaluation process of Plant No. 8 has shown that the treatment facility can provide a reliable source of drinking water to the public that complies with all federal and state drinking water standards. This project complies with all the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act.

A public comment period is required as part of the Memo requirements, including a public hearing/community meeting.

Public Comment Period:

October 19, 2026 to November 18, 2026

You are invited to review and comment on the project documents related to the issuance of the amended Domestic Water Supply Permit for operation of San Gabriel's Plant No. 8. The project documents are available for review at www.sgvwater.com/regulatory, under the Public Notices section. The project documents are also available for review at San Gabriel's main office located at:

11142 Garvey Avenue, El Monte, CA 91733

Comments by e-mail or mail must be dated or postmarked no later than November 18, 2026. Comments may be sent:

- Via e-mail (preferred method) to htnguyen@sgvwater.com. Subject Line: Plant No. 8 Treatment Facility Permit.
- Via U.S. mail to San Gabriel Valley Water Company, Attention: Ms. Hai Van Nguyen, P.O. Box 6010, El Monte, CA 91734-2010.

Virtual Community Meeting:

Monday, November 9, 2026 at 4:00 PM

Join online via Teams at:
https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/276362473519597?p=2i9TihL3P9ymMjBahr