



State Water Resources Control Board Division of Drinking Water

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NOTICE OF TRANSFER OF SAFE DRINKING WATER ACT REGULATORY OVERSIGHT FOR HAVASU WATER COMPANY

The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board), Division of Drinking Water is providing this notice of the transfer of the regulatory oversight of your public water system, Havasu Water Company (Company) from the State Water Board to the United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9 (USEPA). This transfer is based on the November 2, 2023 letter from USEPA to the Company affirming its role as regulator of the Company's public water system under the Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA).

The regulatory oversight of your public water system will be transferred to USEPA as of **January 1, 2024**. USEPA will then regulate all activities related to the public water system under the SDWA. After that date, the Division of Drinking Water, San Bernardino District office will no longer be accepting water quality and other required reporting for compliance with SDWA laws and regulations. This action requires the Company to revise its operational documents and procedures to reflect regulatory reporting to USEPA. Additional details for reporting to USEPA will be provided under a separate letter from USEPA.

If you have any questions regarding the transfer of your water system to USEPA, please contact me at (909) 388-2602 or by email at sean.mccarthy@waterboards.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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