

ITEM: 20

SUBJECT: Update on Implementation of the Waste Discharge Requirements for Growers within the Eastern San Joaquin River Watershed

BOARD ACTION: Information Item Only.

BACKGROUND: The board adopted the Waste Discharge Requirements for Growers within the Eastern San Joaquin River Watershed (WDRs) in December 2012. The WDRs included a number of short-term deliverables. Staff will provide an update on the status of those deliverables and staff compliance and enforcement activities.

Topics to be covered include:

- Development of farm evaluation; nitrogen management plan; and sediment and erosion control plan templates
- Submittal of the Groundwater Quality Assessment Report Outline
- Review of the relationship between the information and data submitted by growers and the coalition
- Status of enrollment of growers
- General compliance/enforcement strategy for growers who failed to enroll by the deadline
- Lessons learned that could be applied to future WDRs

RECOMMENDATION: No action required, information item only.

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