



American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) of 2009 Fraud Prevention in the State Revolving Fund

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA), Office of Inspector General (OIG) is charged with the oversight and review of ARRA funds. As part of this effort, U.S. EPA, the California State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board), and the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) have planned training seminars to be presented by Michael Janiga and Bill Dayton, from the OIG, U.S. EPA, throughout California to provide you with information and suggestions to help monitor the use of stimulus funds, and to inform you of the potential for fraud, waste, and abuse in the State Revolving Fund (SRF) programs.

Although these seminars maybe useful to anyone who administers projects/contracts funded by (SRF) loans, attendance at one of these seminars is **MANDATORY** for recipients of stimulus funding pursuant to the ARRA. If you are on an SRF Priority List and expect to receive ARRA funding, please plan to attend or send a representative to one of the seminars. For your convenience the Sacramento location will be webcast for those recipients that are unable to attend a scheduled seminar in your area ([see attached flyer for webcast instructions](#)). If you need additional information or would like to view the training presentation, please visit the State Water Board's website at: http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/grants_loans/srf/econ_recovery_info.shtml

All training seminars are scheduled from **9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon**, except the Sacramento location:

<p><u>RIVERSIDE</u> Wednesday, June 24, 2009 California Regional Water Quality Control Board High Grove Room 3737 Main Street Suite 500 Riverside, CA 92501-3339</p>	<p><u>LOS ANGELES</u> Thursday, June 25, 2009 California Regional Water Quality Control Board Carmel Conference Room 320 W. 4th Street, Suite 200 Los Angeles, CA 90013</p>	<p><u>SAN DIEGO</u> Friday, June 26, 2009 California Regional Water Quality Control Board Regional Board Room 9174 Sky Park Court, Suite 100 San Diego, CA 92123</p>
<p><u>REDDING</u> Tuesday, July 14, 2009 California Department of Transportation Conference Room 4300 Caterpillar Road Redding, CA 96003</p>	<p><u>OAKLAND</u> Wednesday, July 15, 2009 California Regional Water Quality Control Board Conference Room #2 1515 Clay Street #1400 Oakland, CA 94612</p>	<p><u>SACRAMENTO</u> Thursday, July 16, 2009 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Cal/EPA Building *Coastal Hearing Room 1001 I Street, 2nd Floor Sacramento, CA 95814</p> <p>*Please check in with the guard at the front door.</p>
	<p><u>FRESNO</u> Tuesday, July 21, 2009 California Regional Water Quality Control Board Kings Conference Room 1685 E. Street Fresno, CA 93706</p> <p><u>BAYSIDE (Humboldt County)</u> Tuesday, August 4, 2009 Humboldt Area Foundation Conference Room 373 Indianola Road Bayside, CA 95524</p>	

If you have questions, for State Water Board please contact Isomia Lamar at (916) 341-5867, ilamar@waterboards.ca.gov or for CDPH please call Dat Tran at (916) 449-5600, dwpfunds@cdph.ca.gov.