

Yvonne West Named Attorney IV in the Office of Enforcement's Cannabis Enforcement Pilot Program

Yvonne West was promoted to the Attorney IV position in the new Cannabis Enforcement pilot program. Yvonne looks forward to using her legal experience in water quality and water rights enforcement to address harmful environmental impacts of unregulated marijuana cultivation.

Yvonne is an attorney in the Office of Enforcement where she has been practicing since the office's formation in 2006. Most recently Yvonne's responsibilities included representing the State Water Board's Division of Water Rights enforcement staff in water rights enforcement matters.



Before working for the State Water Board, Yvonne was with the Sacramento law firm of Bartkiewicz, Kronick & Shanahan, concentrating in the areas of municipal, water, natural resources and environmental law.

Yvonne earned a Juris Doctor from the University of California, Hastings College of the Law, and a Bachelor of Arts in Environmental Studies from The George

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