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Project: Pesticide Toxicity Reduction Strategy

Description: To address municipal stormwater NPDES permit compliance issues and the May 1999 303(d) listing of 35 Bay Area urban creeks as impaired by diazinon, the Regional Water Board requested that Bay Area stormwater programs develop a strategy to help address pesticide-related toxicity in urban creeks. The Strategy, organized into three basic types of actions – education, regulatory, and monitoring – includes actions that are or should be taken by local, regional, state, and federal government agencies. The actions are distributed among these various levels of government based on each agency’s regulatory authority, constituency, and resources. Following the beginning of implementation of the strategy, BASMAA drafted an annual report that summarized implementation across all actions and for all agencies during FY 99/00. In subsequent years, reporting has been handled by the individual agencies.

FY: 98/99

Overseer: Pesticide Work Group

Contracting Agency: BASMAA

Contractor: Geoff Brosseau

Budget: Not applicable

Status: Done

Deliverable(s): *Strategy for Reducing Organophosphate Pesticide-Related Toxicity in San Francisco Bay Area Urban Creeks* (February 2000); *FY 99/00 Annual Report – Strategy for Reducing Organophosphate Pesticide-Related Toxicity in San Francisco Bay Area Urban Creeks* (November 2000)
