

**STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD
BOARD MEETING SESSION – OFFICE OF RESEARCH PLANNING AND PERFORMANCE
AUGUST 16, 2011**

ITEM 13

SUBJECT

WATER BOARDS' 2010 ANNUAL ENFORCEMENT REPORT

DISCUSSION

Information from the [Annual Enforcement Report for 2010](#) will be presented covering enforcement related statistics for the five core regulatory programs administered by the Water Boards. The 2010 Annual Enforcement Report will serve as the basis Water Board's chapter of the Cal/EPA Consolidated Enforcement Report.

POLICY ISSUE

None. The Annual Enforcement Report provides enforcement related statistics and describes enforcement priorities currently being implemented.

FISCAL IMPACT

None.

REGIONAL BOARD IMPACT

No additional impact at this time. This report describes the efforts of the Regional Water Boards related to enforcement functions. The Regional Water Boards will be expected to continue maintaining current data and information in various databases that form the basis for periodic reporting in the Annual Enforcement Report.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

None at this time. Informational Item.

This information item assists the Water Boards in reaching Goal 5 of the Strategic Plan Update: 2008-2012 to improve transparency and accountability. In particular, this item assists in fulfilling Objective 5.4 to "create ... a web-based water quality report card that will communicate to the public the quality of the State's waters, the performance of the Water Boards in protecting those waters, and other Water Board-related issues that affect the public." More specifically, Action 5.4.1. directs the development of "annual web-based reports on the effectiveness of Water Board programs, ... which track performance measures ... and allow the Water Boards to adjust priorities and strategies for the coming year."