

**STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD  
BOARD MEETING SESSION – DIVISION OF WATER QUALITY  
JULY 2, 2014**

**ITEM 9**

**SUBJECT**

INFORMATIONAL ITEM ON THE STORM WATER STRATEGY INITIATIVE

**DISCUSSION**

Over the next several months, Water Board staff will engage with stakeholders through a collaborative process to identify and discuss storm water regulatory program issues and potential approaches to address those issues. The product of this collaboration will be a prioritized list of potential Water Board actions. Specific projects to address storm water regulatory program issues will be identified from the list of potential actions for Water Board consideration at a later Board meeting in fall 2014. Development of project work plans will be the second phase of the project.

**POLICY ISSUE**

None.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

None.

**REGIONAL BOARD IMPACT**

None.

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

No action is proposed. This is an informational item.

<p>State Water Board action on this item will assist the Water Boards in reaching Goals 1, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of the Strategic Plan Update: 2008-2012. Work on this storm water strategic initiative will assist in the Water Boards by focusing the goals and objectives in the Strategic Plan Update on the challenges and opportunities presented in the storm water program. If fulfilled as envisioned the result will be more sustainable local water supplies, better support of beneficial uses, improved transparency and accountability, and more consistency.</p>
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