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21 June 2016 Inspection Report

CENTRAL VALLEY REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD

INSPECTION REPORT

DATE: 21 June 2016

FACILITY: Joseph Magdic Jr.:
Madera County APN 045-122-007(40 acres)

LOCATION: Avenue 13 ½ and Road 22, Madera CA

INSPECTION DATE: 20 June 2016

INSPECTED BY: Wesley Ouimette and Terry Bechtel, Central Valley Water Board

BACKGROUND:

A California Water Code section 13260 Directive Letter (Directive) was mailed certified to Joseph Magdic Jr. on 30 January 2015 directing the landowner to obtain regulatory coverage in the Irrigated Lands Regulatory Program (ILRP) for their discharges to land. No response to the Directive was received.

This inspection was conducted to confirm the presence of a commercial irrigated agricultural operation on the property, as well as to determine if there is a potential to drain to surface waters of the state.

OBSERVATIONS AND COMMENTS:

From public roads, staff observed an irrigated vineyard. From these roads, staff could not determine the irrigation method, but there were wet soils on the vineyard edge. There is a supply levee running along the northern border of the parcel, but there does not appear to be any way for excess irrigation or stormwater to discharge to the canal. No other obvious signs of a discharge could be observed from the areas of the parcel that staff could see.

Area Map:



Photos:



Photo 1(photo 2616): Photo taken facing West from northeast corner of Madera County Assessor's parcel number 045-122-007. Parcel is a vineyard, and is lower than adjacent supply canal by about 1ft.



Photo 2(photo 2617): Photo taken from same location as photo 1. Photo shows supply canal and vineyard.



Photo 3 (photo 2618): Photo taken facing West from same location as photo 1. Shows another view of vineyard and supply canal. There are no roadside drainage ditches in this area of the County.



Photo 4 (photo 2619): Photo taken facing East from northwest corner of the subject parcel.



Photo 5 (photo 2620): Photo taken from same location as photo 4. Photo shows parcel is lower than supply canal.

SUMMARY: Due to public access constraints, Staff could only observe the North edge of the property. The property is a vineyard that appears to be irrigated for a commercial use. There were no obvious signs of surface water discharges.