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Date: 3/13/2012 12:14 PM
Subject: Re: ESJWQC E. coli, nutrient, inorganics and metals Exceedance Report-February 2012

Rachel,
Does the Coalition know what the source of copper exceedances is for this site?

Susan

>>> Rachel West <rwest@mlj-llc.com> 3/13/2012 9:34 AM >>>
Hello Susan,

Livingston Drain @ Robin Ave is located in the Coalition's Zone 4 which is in Merced County. Cottonwood Creek @ Rd 20 is in Zone 6 in Madera County so the two waterbodies do not drain from the same area. Livingston Drain @ Robin Ave receives water from Hammatt Lateral, Arena Canal, Livingston Canal and storm water from the city of Livingston.

For your reference, the AMR 2012 includes a site description (page 42) and site map (Appendix VIII) for Livingston Drain @ Robin Ave.

Please let me know if you have any other questions.

Thanks,
Rachel

On Tue, Mar 13, 2012 at 9:13 AM, Susan Fregien
<sfregien@waterboards.ca.gov> wrote:

> Hi Rachel,
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> Thank you for submitting the ESJWQC February 2012 Exceedance Report.
> Can you tell me in which zone and county the Livingston Drain @ Robin
> Ave is located? Does this water body drain from the same area that
> Cottonwood Creek drains? Does it receive water from Madera Irrigation
> District?
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> Susan
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> >>> Rachel West <rwest@mlj-llc.com> 3/12/2012 10:35 AM >>>
> Dear Susan,
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> As required in the Monitoring and Reporting Program (Order No.
> R5-2008-0005) for Coalition Groups, an Exceedance Report is being
> submitted
> to address the following issues a) the exceedances, b) the follow-up
> monitoring, and c) any analysis or other actions the Coalition Group
> may
> take to address the exceedance.
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> a.) On February 7, 2012, Normal Monitoring (NM) and Management Plan
> Monitoring (MPM) were conducted in the ESJWQC region. Water was
> collected
> for the analysis of physical parameters, nutrients, metals, and
> bacteria. During
> this monitoring event two sites were sampled as non-contiguous
> waterbodies
> (Dry Creek @ Rd 18 and Duck Slough @ Hwy 99). There were three dry
> sites
> during this monitoring event (Berenda Slough along Ave 18 ½,
> Cottonwood
> Creek @ Rd 20 and McCoy Lateral @ Hwy 140). Final data for this event
> were
> received from the laboratory on March 7, 2012. Exceedances of
> receiving
> water limitations for *E. coli, *total dissolved solids (TDS),
> dissolved
> copper and nitrate-nitrite occurred. Details on the sites and
> constituents
> sampled and associated exceedances are provided in an excel
> spreadsheet
> attached to this email. Raw data are available upon request. Site
> pictures and flow data from this event were provided by email on
> February
> 13, 2012, and are also available on the MLJ-LLC Sharepoint website (
> <http://sharepoint.mlj-llc.com/mlj-db/database/forms/allitems.aspx>).
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> b.) Sampling occurred at sites in the ESJWQC region again on March 6,
> 2012.
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> c.) All new exceedances requiring Management Plans as well as
> Management
> Plan Monitoring results will be evaluated in the ESJWQC Annual
> Management
> Plan Update Report due April 1, 2013.
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> Michael Johnson
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> Thanks,
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> Rachel C. West

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