

**United State Environmental Protection Agency and
Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board**

...Invite you to attend a workshop to discuss...

Addressing San Fernando Valley Chromium

March 10, 2008

*Glendale Civic Auditorium, Lower Level
1401 North Verdugo Road, Glendale, CA 91208*

Workshop Agenda

Registration/Poster Session

8:00 - 8:30

Welcome

8:30 - 8:35 Francine Diamond, Chair
California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Region IV
8:35 - 8:45 Wayne Nastri, Regional Administrator
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region IX

Chromium in the San Fernando Valley Groundwater Basin (Panel Discussions)

8:45 - 9:15 **Location and Extent of Chromium Contamination**
*Focus: Overview of introduction, migration, and concentrations of
Chromium in the San Fernando Valley groundwater basin*

Panelists: US EPA; Regional Water Board

9:15 - 9:45 **Chromium Toxicity and Public Health Goals**
*Focus: Overview of chemical toxicity; discussion on
current/developing PHGs, the significance and relation of
PHGs to drinking water standards and PHG adoption
process and timeline*

*Panelists: CA Dept. Public Health; CA Office of Environmental
Health Hazard Assessment*

9:45 - 10:00 **Q&A**

Break

(AGENDA CONTINUED ON OTHER SIDE)

**Addressing San Fernando Valley Chromium
Workshop Agenda (Continued)**

Chromium Investigation and Cleanup (Panel Discussions)

10:15-11:00 **Response to Contamination**

Focus: *Summary of agency activities to investigate and remediate variables which affect the investigation and remediation of chromium groundwater contamination (e.g., agency resources, PRP cooperation, data gaps, etc)*

Panelists: *US EPA; Regional Water Board; Department of Toxic Substances Control; Cities of Glendale and Los Angeles*

11:00-11:20 **Going Forward / Chrome Action Plan**

Focus: *Discussion on future remediation priorities and activities*

Panelists: *US EPA; Regional Water Board; Department of Toxic Substances Control*

11:20-11:45 **Q&A**

Stakeholder Input and Information Sharing (Roundtable Discussion)

11:45-12:00 Focus: *Provide stakeholders with an opportunity to comment on workshop information and to suggest how to effectively communicate with affected communities/stakeholders*

Closing Remarks

12:00-12:10 Tracy Egoscue, Executive Officer
California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Region IV

Open House and Poster Session

12:10-1:00+ Focus: *Provide workshop participants an opportunity to meet one on-one with agency representatives*

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