
Colorado River Basin Regional Water Quality Control Board

Draft 2014 Triennial Review List

The following Issues are under consideration for Basin Plan review and update:

- 1. REVIEW OF THE BENEFICIAL USES OF THE CONSTRUCTED WETLANDS IN IMPERIAL AND COACHELLA VALLEYS**
Conduct a surface water survey to evaluate beneficial uses and water quality objectives.
- 2. SALTON SEA**
Update the Basin Plan to reflect the current status of the Salton Sea; identify projects that accelerate its decline, and identify salient policy and legislative developments that call for restoration of the Salton Sea.
- 3. RESEARCH THREATS TO GROUNDWATER FROM SEPTIC SYSTEM WASTEWATER DISCHARGES IN THE LA QUINTA COVE**
Evaluate existing groundwater data to determine if septic system wastewater discharges are degrading water quality with nitrate, and actions needed for long term groundwater protection.
- 4. FISH TISSUE STUDY FOR PUBLIC CONSUMPTION ADVISORY**
Currently, there is insufficient data to establish a useable consumption advisory.
- 5. BIOASSESSMENT STUDY AS A FOUNDATION FOR ESTABLISHING WATER QUALITY BIO-OBJECTIVES**
Characterize the chemical and biological health of the region's natural non-perennial and intermittent waters, the majority of which are located in the western half of the region.