

Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board

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CENTRAL COAST AMBIENT MONITORING PROGRAM

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- Santa Cruz RCD*
- Coastal San Luis RCD*
- Upper Salinas - Las Tablas RCD*
- Cachuma RCD*

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Agricultural Water Enhancement Program (AWEP)
<http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/awep/>

STATE BOARD GRANTS PROGRAM WEBSITE
http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/rwqcb3/water_issues/programs/grants/index.shtml

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES
<http://anrcatalog.ucdavis.edu/default.aspx>
<http://ucanr.org>
<http://www.ipm.ucdavis.edu/>

This list includes Technical Service Providers who are available to assist with assessing water quality aspects of farming operations and preparing water quality plans. The listed organizations may, or may not, be available for assistance with Notice of Intent preparation.

The Water Board does not endorse or recommend any particular technical assistance provider. It is the responsibility of the individual landowner and/or grower to select and evaluate technical assistance providers and services available.

If you are a Technical Service Provider and wish to be added or removed from this list, please contact Corinne Huckaby at (805) 549-3504 or email at chuckaby@waterboards.ca.gov