

Proposed Urban Pesticides Provision

2021 Status Update for an ongoing Statewide Project

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Agenda



Elements of the

Proposed Urban Pesticides Provisions

Where we were. Where we are.

Working Draft Municipal Requirements

Statewide Program of Implementation for Urban Pesticides

Proposed Urban Pesticides Provisions

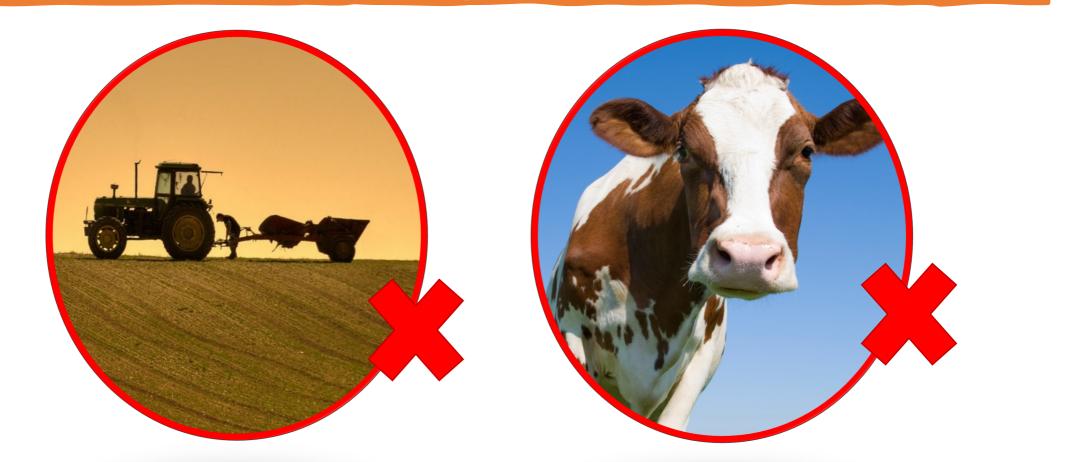
Interagency Coordination

Improved Monitoring Data*

Municipal Permit Requirements*

*The proposed Provisions would apply to Phase I and Phase II MS4 permits.

Proposed URBAN Pesticides Provisions



Provisions would NOT apply to:



- California Department of Transportation MS4 Permit
- Statewide Industrial General Permit
- Statewide Construction General Permit
- Pesticide permits
- Wastewater discharges
- Irrigated lands

Provisions would NOT:

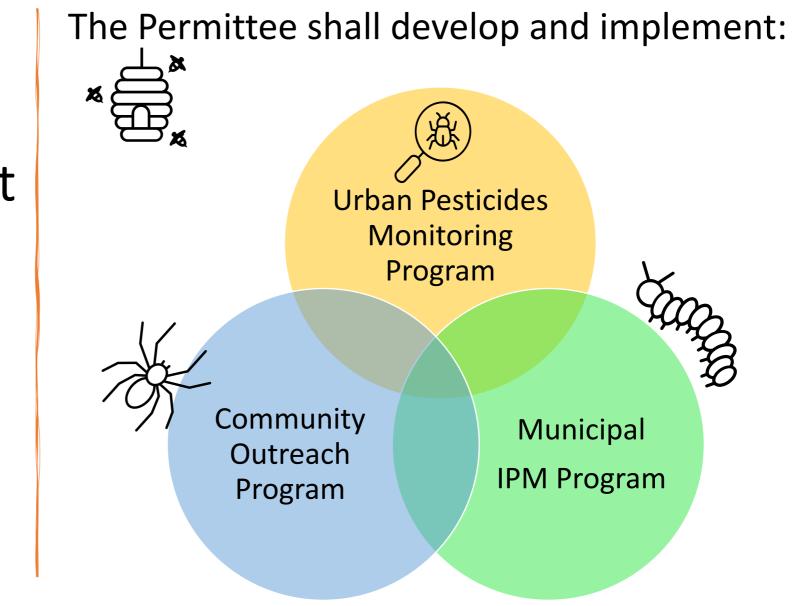


- Create new water quality objectives for pesticides or pesticide-related toxicity
- Create a statewide TMDL for urban pesticides or pesticide-related toxicity
- Change existing pesticide TMDL requirements

Developing a Statewide Priority Project

Preliminary effort	Management	Technical work	Draft Urban
by the Pesticides	Agency	Stakeholder	Pesticides
Work Group	Agreement	engagement	Provisions
2016–2017	2018-2019	2020–Present	2022

Working Draft **Municipal Permit** Requirements for Urban Pesticides Management



Draft Requirements for Urban Pesticides Monitoring

Monitor for pesticide-related toxicity & urban pesticides:

INDIVIDUAL MONITORING

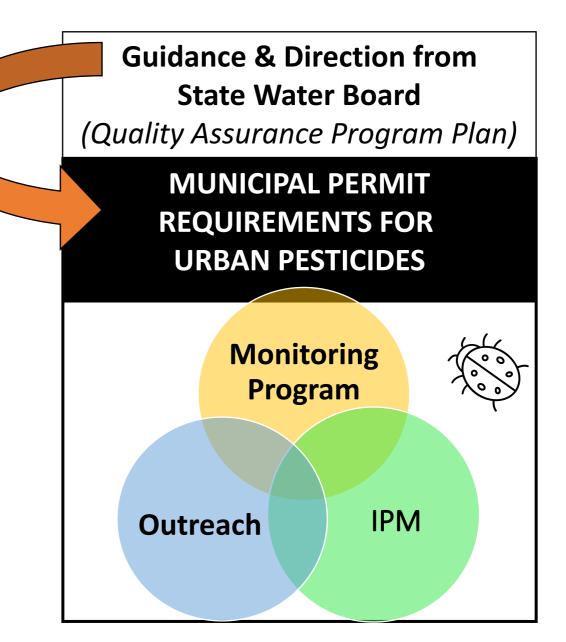
- Regulatory default
- Informed by permittee's Municipal IPM Program

STATEWIDE COORDINATED MONITORING

- Opt-in
- Focus Studies--Statistically informed design that results in statewide representative monitoring



Data quality guidance to be provided to ensure statewide consistency & comparability of the data





Draft Requirements for Community Outreach The Permittee shall publicize case studies about urban IPM implementation:

Provide centralized, online access to outreach resources

Communicate key messages

Targeted at priority audiences



Outreach: Best Practices & Alternative Approaches

Leveraging outreach materials & resources *encouraged*

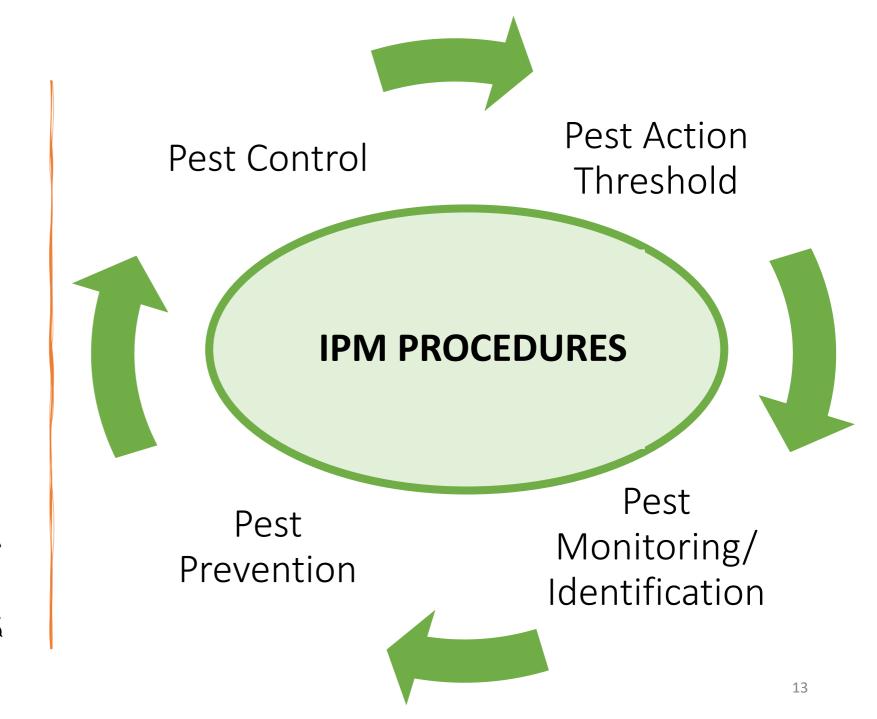






University of California Agriculture and Natural Resources Integrated Pest Management Program

Draft Requirements for **Municipal** Integrated Pest Management (IPM) X x Program





Municipal Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Program

IPM Policy

IPM Procedures



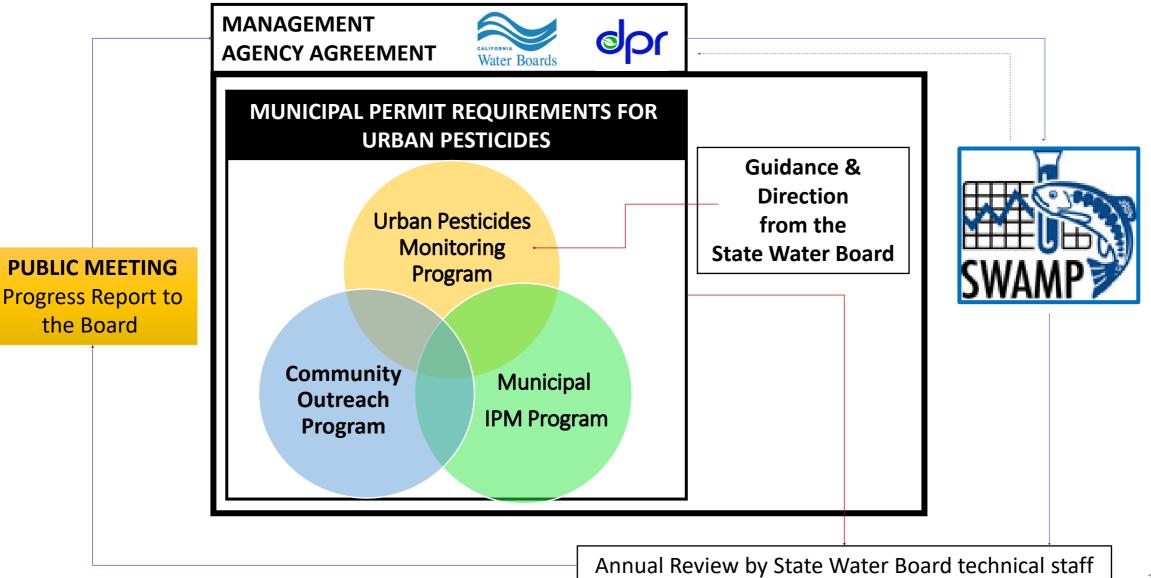
IPM Training

IPM Record Keeping

Annual Reporting

(IPM Coordinator—Summary of audit findings)

Proposed Urban Pesticides Provisions Program of Implementation



THANK YOU! QUESTIONS?



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