ENVIRONMENTAL AND PLANNING PRIORITIES

Plan	1.1.1: Document priority watersheds to address impairments
	1.1.2: Document pollutant and TMDL groupings for regional/statewide application
	1.1.5: Identify strategies to be implemented through policies and permits that may not necessitate development of a TMDL
	1.2.5: Develop stormwater monitoring strategy and post data
	1.3.4: Adopt an updated Water Quality Enforcement Policy
	2.1.2: Encourage local development of regional groundwater management strategies and funding to IRWM Plans
	2.2.1: Identify communities relying on groundwater contaminated by anthropogenic sources
	3.2.2: Develop a stormwater reuse target
	3.3.1: Develop with DFG a list of priority streams for minimum flow standards development
	4.1.1: Develop with DWR an MOU to establish the California Water Quality Plan within the California Water Plan
	4.2.1: Convene a stakeholder group to assess Basin Plan update needs
	4.3.1: Prioritize needed near-term Basin Plan amendments with stakeholders
Implement	
	1.2.1: Adopt incentives and requirements in stormwater permits to promote LID/green infrastructure techniques
	1.2.2: Establish a Low Impact Development Center
	1.2.4: Update coastal MS4 permits to reduce wet-weather and eliminate dry-weather beach postings and closures
	1.3.1: Reduce backlog of facilities subject to MMPs
	1.3.2: Implement pilot enforcement programs, beginning with irrigated lands
	1.3.3: Implement pilot programs to protect coastal waters, including implementation of nurdles initiative
	2.1.1: Post a map of high-use groundwater basins that displays groundwater quality information
	2.1.3: Regulate unregulated discharges to protect groundwater quality
	2.2.2: Address improperly abandoned, destroyed, or sealed wells that serve as conduits of contamination to groundwater
	2.2.3: Initiate regulatory or enforcement action against discharges contaminating groundwater
	2.2.4: Collaborate with DWR to expedite funding for IRWM Plans
	2.3.1: Issue new or revised WDRs to high priority facilities to protect groundwater quality
	2.3.2: Coordinate with DTSC to remediate contamination that impacts or may impact drinking water sources
	3.2.1: Require development and implementation of water recycling plans for WWTPs that discharge to irrecoverable sources
	3.2.3: Revise funding criteria to support projects that enhance water reuse, recycling, and groundwater recharge
	4.2.2: Develop a statewide Basin Plan format
	4.2.3: Develop a web-based users guide and regulatory compendium to the Basin Plans
Evaluate	1.1.4: Consider water right actions or UAAs where point and nonpoint source actions do not achieve water quality standards
	1.2.3: Identify impediments to LID and clarify stormwater reuse regulations
	2.1.4: Establish list of high-use basins in decline and obtain resources to limit extractions to improve groundwater quality
	3.1.2: Ensure with DWR effective implementation of water demand management measures as condition for funding, and take
	action to limit waste and unreasonable use of water for suppliers, where appropriate
	3.1.3: Validate conservation plans and actions required of water rights holders
	3.3.2: For priority streams with insufficient flows, identify actions to protect the public trust
Adjust	3.1.1: Assess and update urban BMPs and efficient water management practices for agriculture

ORGANIZATIONAL PRIORITIES

Plan	5.1.4: Develop approach to link UST reimbursements with performance
	5.1.5: Develop plan for an organization and program review process, and complete two reviews by 2009
	6.2.4: Establish pilot program for the regulation of facilities crossing Regional Board boundaries
	6.2.5: Initiate triennial review of State Water Board's anti-degradation policy (Resolution No. 68-16)
	7.1.2: Develop rotational program for staff and management classifications to foster collaboration
	7.2.1: Develop recruitment plan to attract new employees
	7.4.2: Build partnership to address coastal climate-related issues and needs
Implement	5.1.1: Prepare inventory of Water Board programs and functions, and post to Internet
	5.1.2: Link existing workplans with performance-based plans and post to Internet
	5.2.1: Implement the CIWQS review panel recommendations and prioritize QA/QC systems
	5.2.3: Use on-line mapping capability for all Water Board data
	5.4.1: Develop web-based reports displaying program effectiveness/performance
	6.1.1: Adopt revisions to the Water Quality Enforcement Policy
	6.1.2: Adopt uniform hearing procedures and templates for enforcement matters
	6.1.3: Re-organize to separate enforcement from permitting staff, and instill review process for permit enforceability
	6.2.1: Reissue the statewide Phase II MS4 permit to update the baseline for consistency
	6.2.2: Implement public participation procedures
	7.2.2: Create strategic partnerships with the university systems to develop a future employee base
	7.3.1: Create inventory of Water Board-funded research as a reference tool that is accessible to all employees
	7.3.2: Establish electronic repository to share information, best practices, etc.
- <u>-</u>	7.4.4: Use teams to address cross program issues, including integrating water rights and water quality decision-making
Evaluate	5.1.3a: Evaluate and improve process and timelines of the water rights application process as a first step in streamlining
	5.1.3b: Evaluate and improve the formats and processes for the NPDES and other permitting programs
	5.2.2: Develop on-line public GAMA reports & query tools, & increase coordination of monitoring & data-sharing among agencies
	5.3.1: Determine scope and content of a statewide water quality data network with California Water Quality Monitoring Council
	6.2.3: Discuss and evaluate areas of inconsistency through the WQCC meetings
	7.1.1: Assess training needs and develop core curricula beginning with the enforcement and stormwater programs
	7.4.1: Develop pilot enforcement program with DFG to address stormwater concerns in the LA region
Adiust	7.4.3: Develop mechanism to identify and share subject matter experts
Adjust	

Actions that leverage

Actions that address fragmentation

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