

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA
CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
CENTRAL COAST REGION**

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET FOR REGULAR MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 10, 2004

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**SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET – MONITORING & REPORTING PLAN - CASTRO VALLEY
RANCH TIMBER HARVEST PLAN, THP NO. 1-04-127 SCL, SANTA CLARA COUNTY,
BOARD RESOLUTION NO. R3-2004-0078**

This supplemental sheet proposes a change in the Monitoring and Reporting Program (MRP) for the Castro Valley Ranch Timber Harvest Plan regarding visual monitoring after storm events. The Foresters have requested the roads not be used until they dry out adequately to prevent road damage and a possible water quality impact. To address the uncertainty of the language in the draft MRP as to when the visual monitoring event is required, staff proposes to change the language to say the monitoring is required within 24 hours of the end of a significant storm event (consistent with other waiver conditions) unless the roads are impassable. Joe McGuire has agreed to this proposed change.

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Section 2.a. of the Monitoring & Reporting Program is proposed to be modified as follows:

VISUAL MONITORING: All visual monitoring points shall be monitored for existing or potential sources of erosion. Visual monitoring shall be performed within 24 hours of all storm events of two inches of rain of greater within a 24-hour period. ~~or as soon as access roads are dry enough to use~~ **Regional Board staff shall be promptly (i.e., the same day) notified via telephone if roads are impassable.** Starting in the second year following timber harvest activities, visual monitoring shall be consistent with the Big Creek Roads Inventory Program (Attached).