

**12 December 2025 BOARD MEETING
DISCUSSION AGENDA ITEM**

AGENDA ITEM: 15

SUBJECT:

STORAGE TANKS PROGRAM AND SITE CLEANUP PROGRAM
PER- AND POLYFLUOROALKYL SUBSTANCE INVESTIGATIVE ACTIVITIES UPDATE

BOARD ACTION:

Information Item Only

BACKGROUND:

This information item provides an overview of the conditions concerning Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS) in California's groundwater, with a specific focus on the Central Valley Region.

PFAS are a large group of man-made chemicals that have been extensively used in many industries and products. Some of these PFAS compounds can be toxic at very low levels. Their unique properties, which include heat, oil, and water resistance, have contributed to their persistence in the environment, posing special challenges to environmental remediation.

This information item will introduce the recent developments related to PFAS replacement, analytical chemistry, remediation technology, and regulatory standards. State Board staff will present findings from a statewide initiative to monitor PFAS levels at public drinking water supply wells that serve Disadvantaged Communities (the DAC project). Additionally, Central Valley Regional Board staff will report on the status and results of implementing the State Board's PFAS investigative orders at airports, bulk fuel terminals, and chrome plating facilities within the Central Valley Region. The staff will also discuss the next steps for the DAC project and ongoing PFAS investigations in the Central Valley Region.

RECOMMENDATION:

Not applicable

REVIEWS:

Management Review:	MSB, November 10, 2025
Legal Review:	<Initials> <Date>

BOARD MEETING LOCATION:

State Water Resources Control Board
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