



Third Annual North Bay Water Conference:
WHY WATERSHEDS?

Conference Program

Friday, April 4, 2003

8:30am - 9:30 am Registration & Coffee	
9:30 am - 10:00 am Morning Sessions (Main Tent)	
9:30am - 9:40 am Welcome and Opening Remarks	
Jack Gibson Director, Marin Municipal Water District President, NBWA Board of Directors	Cynthia Murray Supervisor, Marin County NBWA Board of Directors
9:40 am - 10:00 am Opening Keynote Address	
Arthur Baggett Chair, California State Water Resources Control Board	

POLICY SESSIONS (Main Tent)	TECHNICAL SESSIONS (Upper Tent)
Moderator: Cynthia Murray, County of Marin	Moderator: Randy Raines, NBWA
10:10 am - 11:05 am Watershed Partnerships <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Importance of Watershed Councils - Dr. Sari Sommarstrom, Sari Sommarstrom & Associates/UC Berkeley Wildland Resource Center • Making Watershed Partnerships Work - Dr. William Leach, UC Davis Department of Environmental Science and Policy • Santa Clara Basin Watershed Management Initiative - Sarah Young, Santa Clara Valley Water District 	10:10 am - 11:05 am Water Resources <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regional Approach to Improving Water Conservation - Nicole Sandkulla, Bay Area Water Users Association • North Bay Regional Water Recycling Study - Randy Raines, North Bay Watershed Association • Role of Water Trading in California - Tim Quinn, Metropolitan Water District of Southern California
11:05 am - 11:20 pm BREAK Coffee will be served in the Sponsor Area	
11:20 am - 12:15 pm Watershed Planning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The California Watershed Assessment Manual - Dr. Fraser Shilling, UC Davis Department of Environmental Science and Policy • Columbia Slough Watershed Council - Jay Mower, Columbia Slough Watershed Council • Napa River Coalition - Dave Dickson, MIG Inc 	11:20 am - 12:15 pm Water Quality <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applications of TMDLs to Watersheds - Tom Mumley, Bay Area RWQCB • Wetlands for Non Point Source Treatment - Dr. Alex Horne, UC Berkeley, Department of Civil Engineering • Regional Stormwater Treatment and Pollutant Trading - Dr. Peter Mangarella, GeoSyntec Consultants

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12:15 pm - 12:30 pm BREAK	
12:30 pm - 1:20 pm Luncheon Sessions (Main Tent)	
12:30 pm - 1:00 pm Lunch Service Provided by Viansa Winery	
1:00 pm - 1:20 pm Luncheon Keynote Address Catherine Kuhlman Acting Director, Region IX Water Division U.S Environmental Protection Agency	
POLICY SESSIONS, Continued (Main Tent) Moderator: Cynthia Murray, County of Marin	TECHNICAL SESSIONS, Continued (Upper Tent) Moderator: Randy Raines, NBWA
<p style="text-align: center;">1:30 pm - 2:25 pm Funding Strategies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Statewide Coalitions Start with Local Cooperation - Mike Thompson, Sonoma County Water Agency • Case Study: Santa Ana Watershed Project Authority - Daniel Cozad, Santa Ana Watershed Project Authority • Update on California's Next Water Bond Measures - Dave Richardson, RMC 	<p style="text-align: center;">1:30 pm - 2:25 pm Environmental Enhancement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Streams in Balance - Ann Riley, Bay Area RWQCB • Environmental Restoration in Sonoma Valley - Caitlin Cornwall, Sonoma Ecology Center • Environmental Data Management Using KRIS - Bill Kier, Kier Associates/ Institute for Fisheries Research
2:30 pm - 3:00 pm Closing Sessions (Main Tent)	
2:30 pm - 2:45 pm Viansa Wetlands Discussion Joe Sebastiani Viansa winery	
2:45 pm - 3:00 pm Closing Remarks Mike Kerns Supervisor, Sonoma County NBWA Board of Directors	
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm Wetland tours and winery tours	



*Special thanks also to Viansa Winery staff
and wetland docents for winery and wetland tours.*

