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On August 3 and 4, 2017, Rancho Murieta Community Services District (CSD) applied Copper Sulfate (EPA Registration No. 56576-1) near the pump intakes and irrigation heads to keep algae from clogging the pumps. On August 12, 2017, approximately 1100 dead fish were seen floating on the lake. CSD suspected that oxygen depletion from using copper sulfate caused the fish to die and flooded the pond with additional water. CSD staff collected and disposed of all of the dead fishes prior to notifying Sacramento County Environmental Management Department.

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