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MCW-MC,

Attached is the agenda for our watershed meeting next Tuesday. Please let me know if you have any changes to the agenda soon so I can redistribute a revised agenda Monday morning; if you don't get the redistribution, then no changes were needed.

Please note that the meeting will take place at the Westlake Village City Hall with a BROWN BAG at 12PM and the Management Committee meeting at 1:30PM. This month's brown bag is with CONTECH Construction Products Inc. on LID and Runoff Reduction BMPs; visit www.contech-cpi.com for more information. Please RSVP to me by 10AM Monday, February 28th, as lunch will be provided and a head count is needed.

Also, the City of Santa Clarita is hosting QSP/QSD training. Please see information provided by Heather Merenda below.

If you have any questions about the agenda or brown bag, please let me know.

Thanks!

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The new General Construction Activities Permit requires, after September 2, 2011, that any person who develops or alters a Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) be a Qualified SWPPP Developer (QSD). It requires any person who has the responsibility of implementing a SWPPP on a construction site be a Qualified SWPPP Practitioner (QSP).Qualified SWPPP Developers can implement a SWPPP on site as well, but Qualified SWPPP Practitioners may not develop or alter SWPPPs. There are prerequisites required to be a QSD or QSP, not the least of which is going through state approved training program and passing an open book test at the Regional Board offices. There are additional requirements.

Additionally, a person aspiring to be certified as a QSP or QSD must be a registered professional engineer, geologist, landscape architect or professional hydrologist. If you do not have any of these, you can qualify for the requirement by going through Envirocert training and certification. A QSD must be either a Envirocert Certified Professional in Erosion and Sediment Control or Certified Professional in Storm Water Quality. A QSP must be an Envirocert Certified Erosion Sediment and Storm Water

Inspector. The City of Santa Clarita, working with Envirocert, has secured trainings and related exams for Santa Clarita in March 2011 at the Activities Center. Envirocert requires an application to get the certification to make sure people have the required education and/or experience for the certification they are going for. The next chance for this training is in Orange County, so it's a good chance to get it locally. I've put the dates and links below. Get your applications in soon in order to make sure you can get approved before the test date. The test date for all three certifications will be Thursday, March 17, 2011. Contact Envirocert directly at the links below for more information.

Remember, Envirocert is a prerequisite for the QSD or QSP; CASQA is certifying trainers for the ADDITIONAL training and the state is proctoring the exams for the required QSD/QSP certification.

Certified Professional in Erosion and Sediment Control - March 14th
http://www.cpesc.org/
http://www.cms4s.org/cc-info/cc-event.asp?EventID=991

Certified Professional in Storm Water Quality - March 15th
http://www.cpswq.org/
http://www.cpswq.org/cq-info/cq-event.asp?EventID=993

Certified Erosion Sediment and Storm Water Inspector - March 16th
http://www.cesswi.org/
http://www.cesswi.org/ci-info/ci-event.asp?EventID=995

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Subject: Malibu Creek Watershed - Management Committee, Cancellation Reminder, March's Meeting and News/Events

Morning all,

This is a reminder that we will not be having our meeting tomorrow (2/8) due to the LA Permit Group workshop in Arcadia. It appears that those enrolled in QSP/QSD training will have a conflict with our March meeting, so I'd like to see if the group is willing to meet on March 1st instead of the 8th.

Please let me know if you are available on March 1st for a brown bag at noon and our regular meeting at 1:30pm. Pending our availability, I have CONTECH Construction Products, Inc. lined up to present on LID hierarchy and infiltration methods for the brown bag.

Attached are some recent docs of interest for the group. In summary: the application Melina Watts submitted for our watershed coordinator has an award recommended; MS4 Permittees are getting some support by APWA, NACWA, and NAFSMA who has issue with EPA's recent revisions to guidance docs pertaining to TMDLs in MS4 permits; Public Notice on the release of the interim (because it has an 18-month shelf life until we get the NEW-new MS4 permit) LA MS4 Permit; California Financing Coordinating Committee is holding a series of funding workshops (thanks Aracely for the forward); and as we know the

LA Permit Group has its first meeting tomorrow, please see the attached agenda for details. Please feel free to share any relevant news/events I missed.

Thanks!

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