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EXPERIENCE

Division of Water Rights June 2011 - Present

Water Resources Control Engineer July 1998 – March 2003

- Conduct drought curtailment and drought complaint investigations
- Determine if water diversion facilities are operating in compliance with the terms and conditions of the water right permit or license
- Interview water diverters, engineering consultants and other interested parties involved with water right investigations
- Prepare enforcement documents including Cease and Desist Orders and Administrative Civil Liability Complaints
- Make findings of fact pertaining to: the basis of right for subject diversions; compliance with the terms and conditions of water right permits and licenses; waste or unreasonable use of water; and , unreasonable adverse impacts to public trust resources
- Work in cooperation with special investigators, and other state and federal experts on investigations and enforcements cases against water diverters violating Water Rights law
- Prepare reports of investigation and inspection detailing technical findings and recommendations for necessary actions to ensure project compliance

Division of Financial Assistance April 2003 – May 2011

Water Resources Control Engineer

- Project Manager for State Revolving Fund loan, Water Recycling grant, and Small Community Wastewater grant programs
- Assist in planning, design and construction of water quality protection and improvement projects
- Provide engineering and administrative services and advice to applicants seeking loan or grant funding as authorized by State and/or Federal law
- Evaluate and recommend for approval engineering and technical reports submitted by applicants for funding
- Conduct and attend meetings with Federal, State and local government agencies and the public to interpret and apply laws, regulations and policies

Division of Water Quality March 1992 – June 1998

Water Resources Control Engineer

- Prepare technical analysis of petitions presented to the State Water Resources Control Board regarding Regional Water Board actions or inactions

- Prepare associated written reports of the technical analysis and recommend State Water Board action
- Pretreatment Program Coordinator – perform on-site audits and inspections of POTWs and industrial users
- Prepare reports summarizing audit and inspection findings, recommendations and required actions
- Provide technical review and assistance on pretreatment issues to the Regional Water Board, POTW staff, and industrial users
- Coordinated a two day statewide training course for NPDES permit writers

EDUCATION

San Jose State University, 1988
Bachelor of Science Degree, Civil Engineering, 1988

LICENSE/CERTIFICATION

California Professional Registration,
Civil Engineering Certificate Number 56432