

**San Joaquin County  
Environmental Health Department**

**Fee Adjustment Workshop**

**WELL SYSTEMS PROGRAM**

**Tuesday, April 17, 2018**

**11:00 a.m.**

# WELL SYSTEMS PROGRAM

## ■ *Purpose*

- ◆ Prevent groundwater contamination & safety hazards by regulation of the location, construction, repair and destruction of water supply, cathodic protection, monitoring and geotechnical wells and borings.

# WELL SYSTEMS PROGRAM

## ■ *Activities*

- ◆ **Permit Issuance**
- ◆ **New Well (Domestic/Agricultural/Industrial) Construction Inspection**
- ◆ **Well Destruction Inspection**
- ◆ **Pump Inspection**
- ◆ **Geotechnical Inspection**
- ◆ **Cathodic Protection Well Inspection**

# WELL SYSTEMS PROGRAM

- *Workload (Jan – Dec 2017)*
  - ◆ 216 New Well Permits
  - ◆ 227 Geotechnical/Cathodic Protection Well Permits
  - ◆ 67 Well Destruction Permits
  - ◆ 523 Pump Permits
  - ◆ 7 Out-of-Service Well Permits
  - ◆ 24 Complaints

# WELL SYSTEMS PROGRAM

## ■ *Funding*

- ◆ Construction, Destruction, and Pump Permit Fees
- ◆ Consultation Service Fees

# WHY ARE WE HERE TODAY?

## ■ *Annual Fee Review*

- ◆ All EHD program fees are reviewed each year as part of County budget process.
- ◆ Board of Supervisor Resolution B-90-620 policy endorsing full cost recovery.
- ◆ All EHD fee calculations based on:
  - ◆ Actual prior fiscal year department costs
  - ◆ Staff time spent on program-specific activity

# WHY ARE WE HERE TODAY?

- *Last Fee Adjustment* – August 1, 2017
- *Hourly Rate*
  - ◆ All EHD charges are based on per hour fee
  - ◆ Increased operating costs

# FEE ADJUSTMENT PROPOSAL

- Fee increases of approximately 6% are proposed to offset program costs
- Proposed effective date is July 1, 2018





# **PUBLIC FEE HEARING**

**San Joaquin County Board of  
Supervisors Chambers**

*Tuesday, June 12, 2018*

Proposed Effective Date  
for New Fees  
**July 1, 2018**

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