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Farm Water Quality Planning and Evaluation of Management Practices

Carpinteria Lions Club 6197 Casitas Pass Road, Carpinteria CA 93013 September 5, 2012 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

Moderator: Julie Newman, Floriculture and Nursery Crops Advisor, UC Cooperative Extension, Ventura and Santa Barbara Counties

This workshop will help greenhouse and nursery growers evaluate their water quality management practices and implement an IPM program. It will also help growers in Region 3 comply with ag waiver requirements for developing and updating their farm water quality plans by October 1. DPR and CCA CEUs requested; 4 ag waiver hours requested from the Los Angeles Regional Water Board for growers in Region 4.

Objectives: Help growers (1) conduct a self-audit of current water quality management practices, (2) develop a farm water quality plan, and (3) implement an IPM program to reduce impacts on water quality. Review irrigation, nutrient, and pesticide BMPs and sediment/erosion control for production and nonproduction areas in greenhouses and nurseries.

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Time	Title	Speaker
9:00am	Registration	
9:30am	Introduction and Evaluation of Management	Julie Newman
	Practices	
10:00am	Farm Water Quality Planning	Julie Fallon, Soil and Water
		Conservation Manager, Cachuma
		Resource Conservation District
10:30am	Management Goals and Management Practices	Julie Newman and Julie Fallon
	(BMPs)	
12:00pm	Break/Lunch	(BBQ hosted by Santa Barbara County
		Flower and Nursery Growers
		Association)
12:30pm	Implementing an IPM Program: Lessons Learned	Michael Parrella, Chair and Professor,
	from the Bedding and Container Color Plant IPM	Entomology, UC Davis
	Alliance Program	
2:00pm	Adjourn	

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After August 30, 2012 and walk-in registration will be \$35.00 per person, contingent on available seating. Handouts and lunch cannot be guaranteed for walk-ins.

| I (we) plan to attend the entire program. Number of people in our party______
| I (we) have a nursery in Ventura or LA Counties and will be applying for ag waiver credit from the Los Angeles Region
| I (we) will not attend the morning program and will be arriving at noon for the lunch and IPM presentation only. Number of people in our party_____

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