



**Santa Clara Valley  
Urban Runoff  
Pollution Prevention Program**

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Executive Officer  
San Francisco Bay Region  
Regional Water Quality Control Board  
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Oakland, CA 94612

Subject: *BHW* Submittal of FY 2008-2009 Annual Report

Dear Mr. Wolfe:

I am pleased to submit the Annual Report for implementation of the Santa Clara Valley Urban Runoff Pollution Prevention Program's (SCVURPPP's) Urban Runoff Management Plan (URMP) during fiscal year 2008-2009. Submittal of this Annual Report fulfills Provision C.6 of NPDES Permit No. CAS029718 (Order 01-024 as amended). The report provides documentation of the SCVURPPP's and the Co-permittees' activities; evaluation of the effectiveness of these activities; and measures for continuous improvement toward achieving the SCVURPPP goals.

Sections 1 and 2 of the Annual Report describe activities conducted by the SCVURPPP on behalf of the Co-permittees, in the areas of program management, permit management and continuous improvement. Section 3 contains information on the Program's local and regional public information/participation program including the Watershed & Outreach efforts coordinated with the Santa Clara Basin Watershed Management Initiative (SCBWMI). Section 4 contains information on the Program's two pronged monitoring approach covering: environmental monitoring and assessment, and programmatic monitoring for FY-08-09. Section 5 covers the Program's watershed management measures including the work that Program and Co-permittees have conducted to both support the SCBWMI and integrate both efforts. Section 6 covers the Program's pesticide management activities to comply with Provision C.9.d. and Section 7 contains a report of the Program's Mercury Pollution Prevention Activities conducted during FY 08-09 per Provision C.9.c

Section 8 describes the Program's efforts during FY 08-09 to assist Co-permittees in addressing and controlling development and re-development as it relates to stormwater quality and flow through the development project planning, review and approval process, per Provision C.3. Section 9 contains the Co-permittees' IND and IC/ID Summary Tables for FY 08-09. Co-permittee summary tables are also included in each Co-permittee Annual Report and contain similar information to what is found within Section 9 of the Program's *FY 07-08 Annual Report*.

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Section 10 (bound in two separate volumes) contains the Co-permittees' FY 08-09 Annual Reports, prepared in accordance with the Water Board staff document entitled *Suggested SCVURPPP Co-permittee Annual Report Format* dated May 29, 2003. Each Co-permittee Annual Report includes a cover letter summarizing local program highlights, accomplishments and continuous improvement items; and a certification statement.

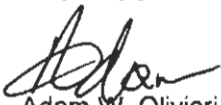
In September 2008, the Program and Co-permittees received two awards from the California Stormwater Quality Association (CASQA) in recognition of programs and efforts designed to protect water quality. They included the CASQA Outstanding BMP Implementation Project Award for developing the Program's *Trash BMP Tool Box*; and the CASQA Outstanding Regional Stormwater News, Information, Outreach and Media Project Award for implementing the Santa Clara Valley Green Gardener Training and Outreach Program. In January 2009, the California Department of Pesticide Regulation (DPR) presented the Program with their DPR Innovator Award for its Pesticide User Outreach activities.

During FY 08-09, the Program continued its local awards program for exemplary site designs to protect water quality. The awards program recognizes Santa Clara Valley's public agency and private development community leaders who are solving site design challenges, reducing stormwater pollution and runoff quantity, and meeting the requirements of the NPDES permit. The 2009 award winners included:

- Private Project, Large Residential – First Community Housing, Casa Feliz Studios, San Jose
- Private Project, Small Residential – Susan Rosenberg, Rosenberg Residence, Palo Alto
- Public Project – City of San Jose, Roosevelt Community Center, San Jose
- Honorable Mention – HMH Engineers, Hampton Park Phase I Townhomes, San Jose

Please contact me if you have any comments or questions. We look forward to working with you to successfully address new challenges during FY 09-10.

Very truly yours,



Adam W. Olivieri, Dr. P.H., P.E.  
Program Manager

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SCVURPPP Management Committee Members  
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Attachments: FY 2008-2009 Annual Report- Sections 1-9- one (1) hard copy  
FY 2008-2009 Annual Report- Appendices- one (1) hard copy  
FY 2008-2009 Annual Report- Section 10- Volume I- one (1) hard copy  
FY 2008-2009 Annual Report- Section 10- Volume II- one (1) hard copy  
FY 2008-2009 Annual Report- Sections 1-10 and Appendices- one (1) compact disc

\*\* The Program's FY 08-09 Annual Report is also provided at [www.scvurppp.org](http://www.scvurppp.org).