

Multi-Agency and Environmental Justice Community Workshop

Rising Sea Levels, Climate Change, and Contamination Sites
Along San Francisco Bay's Waterfront

The Resilient Communities Initiative – a Bay Area climate justice coalition – joins with the California Environmental Protection Agency and the Bay Conservation and Development Commission to invite you and your organization/agency to participate in an important and timely workshop with representatives of local, regional, state and federal agencies and community environmental justice leaders to discuss the threat posed by rising sea levels and climate change to the many contamination sites and landfills located along the San Francisco Bay waterfront.

The meeting will take place on **Friday, October 20, 2017 from 1:00 pm to 4:30 pm** at the State Building, 455 Golden Gate Avenue, San Francisco in the San Diego Room.

The workshop will include a presentation by environmental justice leaders about the concerns of communities along San Francisco Bay that have contaminated sites. Representatives of government regulatory agencies will share information about this issue. Bay Conservation and Development Commission staff will present updated maps illustrating the latest projections of sea level rise along San Francisco Bay. We will then have focused smaller group discussions.

As the Sea Level Rise threat, and remediation of contamination sites, is a multi-jurisdictional issue, we are organizing this meeting in the hope of facilitating a productive and informative discussion and ongoing process where updates and best practices can be shared and increased regulatory agency attention can be focused on this issue.

Please RSVP to Rebecca Favila of California EPA: Rebecca.Favila@calepa.ca.gov or (916) 322-7649

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Sincerely,

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Greenaction for Health and Environmental Justice and the Resilient Communities Initiative