



This Advisory is provided to inform you about activities of the District which may affect your operation. It will assist you in your effort to achieve and maintain compliance with applicable air pollution rules and regulations.

ATTENTION: MARSH BURNERS



SUBJECT: CONTINUATION OF APPROVAL PROCEDURES FOR FALL MARSH BURN SEASON

Based on positive responses from Marsh burners, the Bay Area Air Quality Management District (District) has decided to continue the Spring 2006 approval procedures for the Fall 2006 Marsh Burn Season. The Burn season is from **September 1, 2006 until October 15, 2006**.

As a reminder, Marsh burners will continue to follow the current burn permit and smoke management plan approval procedures and must comply with the following two requirements:

- Marsh burners must call **(415) 749-4915 by 12:00 noon** on the day before the intended burn date and leave a message with the property name, acreage amount to be burned, contact name and phone number. This call will initiate the additional forecasting work necessary to allocate marsh burning acreage for the following day. No return call will be made by the District unless deemed necessary. If burners do not call the day before, then no acreage allocation will be forecast for the following day.
- Marsh burners must call (415) 749-4600 between 8:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. on the morning of the planned burn and prior to ignition to receive their acreage allocation.

If you have any further needs, please call the District at the following numbers:

-  For compliance assistance, call (415) 749-4999, the Compliance Counselor Hotline.
-  For further questions regarding this advisory or District Regulation 5, please contact Dennis Baker, Air Quality Technician at (415) 749-4600 or email dbaker@baaqmd.gov.

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