

Hemp Program Updates



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Staff Updates

- Natalie Jacuzzi Sr. Environmental Scientist
 Vacant- Associate Governmental Program Analyst
- Gurminder Gill Environmental Scientist
 Loc Phan Environmental Scientist

Emergency Regulations

- OAL approved proposed emergency regulations 7/11/2022
- Amend Sections 4900-4902, 4935, 4940-4944, 4946, 4950, and 4950.1
- Adopt Sections 4934, 4936, 4951, and 4952 in Title 3 of the California Code of Regulations

County update meetings

- Every other month
- Update counties on program activities
 - Regulations
 - Coordination
 - Board updates
- How can program provide better support
 - Suggest topics
 - Trainings

Laboratory Updates

- Working with labs to update applications to comply with emergency regulations
- Emailed new requirements to all currently approved and pending laboratories
- 5 Reviewed and approved
- 5 laboratories are pending approval

Industrial Hemp Advisory Board Members

- Onboarded 4 new members
 - Diwan Munger (grower)
 - Shannon Hattan (grower)
 - Kadie Britt (EARI)
 - Mike Fisher (Sherriff's Association)
- Current Board Vacancies
 - Pending CACASA representative

IHAB Motions Update

- 3 motions last meeting
 - 1. Harvest Definition
 - 2. Remove Pre-Harvest Report requirement and consolidate information collected
 - 3. Review Board member applicants

Thank you!

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