

# CUPA NEWSLETTER

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#### **Important Dates:**

- Hazardous
  Materials Business
  Plans (HMBP) are due
  on or before March 1<sup>st</sup>
  and must be submitted
  using CERS.
- Annual CUPA permit bills will be sent in May 2019 with a due date of 6/30/2019.
   Make sure we have the correct mailing address on file!

### **Upcoming CUPA Conference Hosted by Cal CUPA Forum**

Where: Anaheim Marriott, 700 W. Convention Way, Anaheim, CA 92802 Feb 25th - Feb 28th, 2019

This conference is open to the public and provides training in subjects related to all of the different environmental programs regulated by CUPAs. This is a great opportunity for the regulated community to learn more about topics such as: Underground Storage Tanks, Hazardous Waste, Hazardous Materials, Emergency Response, and much more. Specific classes as well as sponsorship opportunities are applicable to businesses. For more information visit: <a href="https://www.calcupa.org">www.calcupa.org</a>



## **HMBP Training**

The El Segundo CUPA will conduct a FREE Hazardous Materials Business Plan (HMBP) class. The class will cover basic requirements for entering a HMBP on the California Environmental Reporting System (CERS). The class is open to all businesses and facilities that are required to submit an HMBP.

Some of the topics covered in the workshop are: making a submittal from a previous submittal (applicable to businesses and facilities that have previously submitted HMBP plans in CERS), completing the Hazardous Materials Inventory, creating a Site Map, and how to fill out an Emergency Response/Contingency Plan. This training will help businesses prepare for the HMBP submittal due date on March 1st.

# **HMBP Training Details**

February 14, 2019

Choose 1 of 2 Sessions:

8am-12pm

1pm-5pm

El Segundo Library Friends of Library Room

**FREE of Charge!** 

RSVP by 2/4/19 to Liz Lydic at elydic@elsegundo.org



#### **Hazardous Waste News**

Hazardous Waste is one of the six regulated programs managed by the Environmental Safety Division. Businesses in El Segundo that are also generators of hazardous waste are subject to strict laws and regulations to account for the proper storage, management, disposal and permitting. That system protects the public and community from harmful effects of illegally disposed hazardous waste, and saves moneys that otherwise would be required to clean up hazardous waste. A task of the Environmental Safety Division is to enforce the laws and apply penalties to non-compliant businesses. Effective January 1, 2018, Governor Brown signed Assembly Bill 245 that effectively increases the penalty amounts associated to hazardous waste control law from \$25,000 to \$70,000 per day per violation.



# Meet the City of El Segundo Environmental Safety Staff

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