

Dear SCAOR Members,

The State of California has released proposed new regulations and requirements for onsite wastewater treatment systems. If enacted, these regulations will make it too burdensome to own a property with a septic system. There is even a new point-of-sale requirement to transfer technical documents.

The SCAOR Local Government Relations Committee (LGR) invites you to attend a special meeting on Friday, January 30th from 10:00am-11:30am being held in the SCAOR seminar room at 2525 Main Street in Soquel. Special guest speaker John Ricker, Water Resources Division Director for the County of Santa Cruz, along with LGR Committee members will discuss the details of these proposed regulations and the impact they will have on homeowners and sellers.

Comments and suggestions on this issue are welcome and must be submitted to the State no later than February 9th to be considered. Let your voice be heard by attending this meeting.

The proposed regulations and draft Environmental Impact Report have been released to the public for review. Click <u>here</u> to access this information.

Reserve a seat today by contacting Karen Kirwan at 831-464-2000 or send an email to kkirwan@scaor.org. There is no charge for this meeting.

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