

The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) adopted a new Fee Policy for fiscal year 2023-2024. Included in the new Fee Policy is a change to the annual fees for those facilities submitting a Notice of Intent to Comply with the IGP (NOI). In prior years, the Stormwater IGP NOI annual fee was a flat fee, most recently \$1738.00, but with the new 2023-2024 Fee Policy, the annual fee was converted to a three-tier fee based on the facility's "Total Area of Industrial Activities and Materials Exposed to Stormwater."

0 to <1 acre	\$1651.00
1 to <5 acres	\$1673.00
5 or more acres	\$1818.00

Total Areas of Industrial Activities and Materials Exposed to Stormwater includes all areas of industrial activities and areas where industrial materials are exposed to the elements and may be mobilized by stormwater runoff, snowmelt runoff, or other drainage at the facility. Industrial materials is defined (but is not limited to): raw materials, recyclable materials, intermediate products, final products, by product, waste products, fuels, materials such as solvents, detergents, and plastic pellets; finished materials such as metallic products; raw materials used in food processing or production; hazardous substances designated under Section 101(14) of Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERLCA); any chemical the facility is required to report pursuant to Section 313 of Title III of Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA); fertilizers; pesticides; and waste products such as ashes, slag, and sludge and that are used, handled, stored, or disposed in relation to a facility's industrial activity.

The State Water Board recommends you review the Total Areas of Industrial Activities and Materials Exposed to Stormwater entered on the NOI in the Stormwater Multiple Application and Reporting System (SMARTS) to ensure the correct area is used in calculating the invoice.

To verify the area in SMARTS, do the following:

1. Log in at <https://smarts.waterboards.ca.gov>
2. Go to Active Applications
3. Open the applicable WDID number
4. Go to the Facility Info tab
5. Verify the Total Area of Industrial Activities and Materials Exposed to Stormwater
6. If correct, nothing further is needed
7. If incorrect, a Duly Authorized Representative (DAR) or Legally Responsible Person (LRP) must file a Change of Information.
  1. Click on the COIs tab
  2. Add a New COI
  3. Select the NOI COI
  4. Enter the revised acreage amount and upload a revised facility/site map as applicable
  5. Certify and submit the COI.

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