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October 19, 2009

Join the San Francisco Bay Joint Venture November 3rd on a tour of wetland projects in Richmond and Napa

Dear San Francisco Bay Restoration Authority Member,

I'm writing to invite you to join Bay Area state and federal legislators, county supervisors, funders and San Francisco Bay Wetland Restoration Authority members on a wetlands tour of three projects in the East and North Bay. Come see the restoration in progress at the Napa Plant site, and learn about the wildlife habitat opportunities and restoration at Breuner and San Pablo Marsh in the North Richmond Shoreline.

The tour will last from 10:00 - 3:00 and begin at Pt Pinole Regional Park. Lunch and transportation from site to site will be provided.

Please confirm your interest and availability by Wednesday, October 28 via email to Caroline Warner, Public Outreach Coordinator at <u>cwarner@sfbayjv.org</u> or by phone at 415-259-0334. She will reply with a confirmation letter that includes all the details.

Please note: **rain will postpone the tour until November 12!** Let us know if one or both dates works with your schedule.

Sincerely,

Frederic Q. Reid

Fritz Reid SF Bay Joint Venture Management Board, Chair

Since 1996 partners of the San Francisco Bay Joint Venture (SFBJV) have protected, restored and enhanced nearly 70,000 acres of wetland habitats. SFBJV partners have developed a scientifically based Implementation Strategy defining several objectives for reaching its goal of protecting a total of 200,000 acres of wetlands over a period of 20 years.

For more information, please visit <u>www.sfbayjv.org</u>