DIESEL ENGINE INCENTIVES PROGRAM

Targeting on-road and off-road heavy-duty diesel engines, this program provides grant funding for qualifying engine replacements including stationary agricultural pumps. (Some examples of off-road heavy-duty vehicles includes tractors, harvesters and spray-rigs, etc.)

This voluntary program is geared to reduce emissions from a non-regulated air pollution source – older, higher use vehicles or stationary diesel engines. Grants are being distributed on a first-come first-serve basis to qualifying applicants. Grant amounts will vary based on the size of the engine and the amount of emissions reduced, with a maximum funding of $25,000 per project. Applications will be accepted beginning June 1, 2001.

Please call the Tehama County Air Pollution control District at 527-3717 for more information on this program.

TEHAMA COUNTY UCCE WEBSITE

We have just activated our new website for our County Cooperative Extension Program. Pay a visit to http://cetehama.ucdavis.edu and see what's new! We post newsletters, insect and irrigation updates as well as a “Calendar of Events”.
TEHAMA COUNTY
PRUNE PEST MANAGEMENT ALLIANCE
FIELD MEETING

Date: Friday, May 25, 2001
Location: Vina Monastery (See Map Below)
Time: 9 – 11:30 AM

Program:

- “Leaf Curl Plum Aphid Biology and Control” -- Dr. Nick Mills, UC Berkeley
- “Saving Money in Prune Production” -- Richard Buchner, Farm Advisor-Tehama County
- “Options to Reduce Energy Costs for Irrigation” -- Allan Fulton, Farm Advisor-Tehama County
- “Cover Crop Economics” -- Fred Thomas, CERUS Consulting

Directions to Vina Monastery
**Almond Pest Management Alliance Spring Field Meeting**

*Thursday - June 7, 2001  Time: 8:30 AM to 11:00 AM*

**WHERE:** Bertagna Orchard, Chico
Crouch Ave. between Stevens Ave, and Cosby Ave. and (see map)

**PROGRAM:**

"Orchard Pesticide and Runoff Issues”
Richard Price, Butte County Agricultural Commissioner

"Using Local Weather Data, Insect models & Traps”
Joe Connell, Farm Advisor, Butte County

"PMA Orchard Management Practices”
Nick Bertagna, PMA Partner

"Experience with “Soft” Pest Management”
Richard Gregor, BioScope, Hughson, CA

"Mite Management”
Carolyn Pickel, Area IPM Advisor, Sacramento Valley

"Control Irrigation Costs through Scheduling & Regulation Deficit Irrigation”
Terry Prichard, Irrigation Specialist, UC Davis

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