ARE YOU READY FOR FSMA'S PRE-HARVEST WATER ASSESSMENT REQUIREMENTS?



Western Tree Nut Association, in conjunction with the California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA) and the University of California Agricultural and Natural Resources (UCANR), is coordinating <u>free</u> **Pre-Harvest Water Assessment Regional Workshop for tree nut growers.**

The goal of this regional Pre-Harvest Water Assessment Workshop is to ensure tree nut growers are prepared for the FSMA Produce Safety Rule, specifically now that the Final Rule on Pre-Harvest Agricultural Water requirements came into effect in July of 2024 and the compliance date comes into effect April 7th, 2025.

Who should attend:

- All growers who are required to meet the Produce Safety Rule Requirements.

What to expect:

- CDFA inspectors will be providing recommendations on the assessment and how to tailor to the assessment to your operations.
- CDFA inspectors or UCANR will be discuss requirements on the Final Rule on Pre-Harvest Agricultural and what will be required for the now enforceable harvest & post-harvest water requirements.
- CDFA will hold a Question and Answer session for any specific questions you may have about your operations.

Locations & Regions

Madera - April 4

Winters – April 17

Hanford - April 28

Wasco – April 29

Manteca- April 30

Chico - May 29**

All will be held in the morning - 9:00 am **Except** *Chico* will be held in the *afternoon only* - **1:30 pm

Special thank you to our sites for hosting!

The events are **FREE** however you **must RSVP** to <u>mandy@agprocessors.org</u> or (559) 455-9272. Once you have RSVP'd we will provide you the address for the date and region you choose.

Come to the site nearest you. Don't miss this opportunity.