



## Joe's Maintenance Minders

Joe Bryson, District Superintendent, asked that you be reminded of the following items:

- You must remove any and all unpermitted wood steps on the levees.
- Please prohibit children from playing on the levees and from throwing rocks in the area. A clear example of this problem is the children who often throw rocks and dirt by the District's storage shed.
- Trampolines cannot be installed next to a levee without a permit granted by the District.
- Help us keep trash off the levee. Do not throw trash from your backyard onto the levee. This can lead to dangerous conditions. (It also attracts seagulls.)
- Please report any stolen or damaged signs.

## Did You Know?

For reclamation districts in the Sacramento/San Joaquin Delta to be eligible for public assistance from the California Emergency Management Agency and the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's Federal Emergency Management Agency, District Annual Maintenance Plans must be prepared and must include, at a minimum:

- Regular maintenance and inspection schedule and frequency;
- Work items and standards to be employed for each scheduled cycle;
- The method used to identify, prioritize, and carry out maintenance needs;
- Items that would warrant immediate corrective action and the corresponding action; and
- The annual maintenance budget.



## Gophers, Begone!

Gophers, squirrels, and other rodents endanger the integrity of our levees. Be vigilant. Call our District Superintendent immediately if you spot these potentially dangerous mammals on the levees.

## Questions? Comments?

Feel free to call the District Hotline at (209) 406-9142 with any questions or comments, or come attend the board meetings. An opportunity for public comment is offered at each board meeting.

Board meetings are held the first Friday of each month at 8:00 a.m. at the offices of Neumiller & Beardslee, 509 West Weber Avenue, 5th Floor, Stockton.



Thank you for your efforts in keeping our levees safe and well maintained.