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Sent: Monday, September 28, 2009 4:02 PM
To: CBSC (General Mail)
Subject: Support for new Greywater code.

Dear Dave Walls,

I live in Atascadero, CA and I am very pleased with our new greywater code. I spent thousands building a fully contained natural water treatment system because prior code was such a mess that I was afraid to release the product even though our animals drank and we swam in the water. I think the no-permit requirement for washing machine and single fixture systems is a very important aspect of the code. This will make simple greywater systems economical for Californians seeking to conserve water. The 12 requirements for the no-permit systems will protect environmental and public health, while supporting greywater reuse.

Please keep that part of the code intact and continue in this direction of removing barriers of permits and fees for simple sustainable practices.

Sincerely,
Richard F. Smith, Ph.D.