

## DEPARTMENT OF PESTICIDE REGULATION

### GENERAL CATEGORIES OF POTENTIAL SEPs

A **Supplemental Environmental Project (SEP)** is defined as an environmentally beneficial project that a person subject to an enforcement action voluntarily agrees to undertake in settlement of the action and to offset a portion of a civil penalty.

The following is a list of potential SEPs that DPR may consider. See [DPR's SEP Policy](#) for more information.

- Donation to an entity designated by DPR for the purpose of disposing of unwanted and legacy pesticides (pesticides that can no longer be legally used or are prohibited from use) for growers in a specific California county.
- Donation to an environmental justice monitoring and reporting network that connects the community with real people that can help solve local environmental problems related to unlawful pesticide use.
- Donation to CalEPA's Environmental Justice Small Grants, related to pesticides.
- Projects that improve pesticide application technologies.
- Projects that increase cost effectiveness of reduced-risk pesticide practices.
- Projects that develop outreach material for a specific pesticide-related industry identified by DPR as needing additional technical information or compliance.
- Contribute to a project aimed at developing and improving pest management practices or reducing risks associated with pesticide use.
- Projects that promote outreach and reduced-risk strategies for pesticide use.
- Contribute to a grant set up by a non-profit and approved by DPR that benefits a California agricultural community and conforms to the nexus of the violation.

If you would like to submit a SEP proposal for consideration, please complete the form available on DPR's Web site or [click here](#).