

VALLEJO SANITATION & FLOOD CONTROL DISTRICT

- **1952**
• VSFCD created by a special act of the California legislature.
- **1959**
• Wastewater treatment plant begins treating Vallejo's sewage.
- **1970**
• California's Porter-Cologne Water Quality Act requires sewage treatment plants to keep water clean, balancing economic considerations with environmental goals.
- **1972**
• Clean Water Act established, initial focus on reducing polluted effluent from industrial and sewage treatment facilities.
- **1977**
• VSFCD begins more advanced treatment.
- **1983**
• District purchases Tubbs Island farm for the beneficial reuse of biosolids.
- **1987**
• Clean Water Act amendments shift focus to polluted runoff, and the District creates its first Storm Drain Master Plan.
- **1988**
• District improves secondary facility to provide better service.
- **1990**
• VSFCD wins national first place award from the U.S. EPA for innovative and beneficial application of biosolids to farmland in Sonoma County.
- **1991**
• Treatment plant capacity is increased from 30 to 60 million gallons per day.
- **2002**
• VSFCD wins Governors Environmental Economic Leadership Award for Energy Conservation
- **2005**
• Treatment plant completes major odor reduction project.
- **2006**
• VSFCD completes \$60 million project designed to eliminate sewer overflows in Vallejo.
- **2008**
• VSFCD wins Governors Environmental Economic Leadership Award for Energy Conservation; major modifications to the plant includes building a 8.5 million gallon storage tank to prevent overflows.
- **2010**
• District wins two major statewide awards: Wastewater Plant of the Year and Safety Plant of the Year from the California Water Environment Association.

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