

**Business  
Hazardous Material  
Reportable Quantity  
New Reporting Method**

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# CERS is the New Reporting Way

- As of Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 2013 State of CA mandated all businesses use the CERS Central website to report their hazardous Materials
- Paper submissions **may not** be accepted
- State Designed the website

# Using CERS Database

- What do I do if I used to get mail from my Stanislaus County CUPA?
  - CERS was “seeded” by our staff
  - You create a username and password
    - Claim an existing facility
    - Most information successfully transferred over
    - Some information must be added if it was not collected by Stanislaus County

# Using CERS Database

- What do I do if I am not a Stanislaus County Business?
  - You will still use CERS to report
  - Check with your CUPA to see if your business information was “seeded” by them

# Using CERS Database

- What do I do if I have businesses in many Counties or in many CUPAs?
  - You can get your facilities set up so you can manage all the facilities using your username and password
  - Each staff member must have a separate username and password
    - The CERS database keeps track of what you change in the database- so do not share your usernames

# Deadlines to Report by

- March 1<sup>st</sup>
- In Stanislaus County we use the State's requirements-because we do not have our own more strict requirements
- As long as you report/submit your inventory "on or before March 1<sup>st</sup>" (the 364 days prior to it) we have been told you will remain in compliance.

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