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June 15 benefit a great success

The Duke's a hazard

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Coalition formed to demand safe water

We demand safe water

Is your water safe?

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Santa Clara County cancer death rate jumps (Fairchild)

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300 in Health Suit (Fairchild Update)

Toxic Wastes Endangering Bay

Model Ordinance Update

EPA Coming to Town

Fairchild, National in Defense Doghouse

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Workers Picket Company Clinic, Reprinted from SCCOSH news

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News Briefs - Gypsy Moth Suit Stops Aerial Spraying (FOR NOW)*State,National toxics Groups

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 Safe Water Council Moves on Solutions, By Susie Wilson, Supervisor District 1
 The P.R. is High Tech-Clean-up is Low priority , by Ted Smith
 High Tech Leaks Spreading Across U.S.A
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 State Study confirms Birth Defect Cluster, by Mandy Hawes
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 UPSIZE: Coalition Urges Wilson to Uphold Clean Car Mandate, By Sue Abby
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 Published by MIT Press, 1995, 315pp., by Angela Tanzii
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 SVTC Joins Fight Against Phony Initiatives, by Moe Stavnezer

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 SVTC Joins Over 30 Groups in Campaign Protecting Immigrant Rights & the Environment
 Rodrigo Cruz: One-Year Anniversary of Worker Toxic Injustice, by Olivia Zapanta and Annette Puskarich
 Global Distribution of Organochlorines (Source: Global Pesticide Campaigner, March 1996 and Chlorine Monitor, October 20, 1995)
 Methyl Bromide's Rebirth, by Sandi Funke & Lynn DeAsis
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 SVTC Bookshelf: Dying from Dioxin, by Lois Gibbs, Toxic Sludge is Good for You, by John Stauber and Sheldon Rampton,
 Our Stolen Future, by Theo Colburn, Dianne Dumonowski, and John Peterson Myers (an John, the Penguin Group)
 Much of US experiences increased levels of ultra-violet light, (Source: Rachel's Environment and Health Weekly, December 7, 1995)

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 Dangers of Chemical Combinations (excerpted from Rachel's Environment & Health Weekly #498)

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 Another Myth Unveiled: High-tech increases stratification, (Source: San Jose Mercury News, June 16-17, 1996)
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Kaiser Cement, Do Your Share to Spare Our Air, by Sue Abby

Tales of Air Cargo, by Lenny Siegel

Wet Cleaning:a Clean and Green Opportunity, by Tina Cosentino

Labor Beat (Editor's note: The electronics industry is known for its strong anti-union stance.

Dying from Dioxin:A Citizen's Guide to Reclaiming Our Health and rebuilding Democracy by Lois Marie

Gibbs and the Citizens Clearinghouse for Hazardous Waste, by Tina Cosentino

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Extinction is Forever:One-fourth of Mammal Species Face Extinction (Source New York

Times,10/8/96;Washington Post 10/4/96, Frogs Give Warning (Source:San Jose Mercury

News,October 1,1996)

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*Voices for Pesticide Reform:the Case for Safe Practices and Sound Policy;

*aHealth Based Chemical Exposure Guidelines is a new book available from the Santa Clara Center for Occupational Safety and Health (SCCOSH);

*Generations at Risk:How Environmental Toxics May Affect Reproductive Health in Massachusetts

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15 years and growing, by Leslee Hamilton, Leslie Byster, Frank Schiavo and Paul Burks

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Chemicals Poison Workers, by Leslie Byster

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Responsible technology- goes global, by Ted Smith

Kaiser Cancer Risk Higher Than Previously Estimated, by Leslie Fowler

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 Building the Next Generation of Corporate Responsibility, by Sheila Davis and Ted Smith
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 Health studies recommended for electronics workers
 Exporting Harm report raises alarm
 Takeback moves forward
 Activists angered
 Clean Streams/Clean Bay students present watershed monitoring
 Taking environmental justice to creeks
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 Time has come for computer takeback
 Water and justice for all
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 Clean Streams Student Monitors
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 Release of the 4th Annual Computer Report Card with the Computer TakeBack Campaign
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 Latina Mothers Learn about Environmental Justice
 Health and Environmental Justice Project Takes the Bay Area Air Quality Management District on a "Toxic Tour of the South Bay"
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Other publications from SVTC and related organizations

1. **June 1992: The Bargaining chip - bulletin of the Semiconductor Industry Good Neighbor Campaign (sponsored by Campaign for Responsible Technology (CRT) and Southwest Network for Environmental and Economic Justice (SNEEJ))**
 - * Silicon Summer launched - does chip industry benefit our community?
 - * What is REMATCH?
 - * Defense authorization bill mandates \$10 million for environmentally safe manufacturing
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 - * SEMATECH gets campaign proposals
 - * Community groups press industry for more accountability
 - * Affiliates meet in Austin, TX
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 - * Electronic Industry Good Neighbor Campaign - an historic community-based initiative
 - * Community reports from Austin, San Jose, Phoenix and Albuquerque
 - * Did you know - high-tech resources and outputs
 - * Campaign to end the miscarriage of justice
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 - * Needed: A new strategic approach - environmental justice and precautionary principle
 - * Basic tenets of community involvement
 - * Building a more effective model for worker health and safety
 - * Summary of repossess to the alternative regulatory model
 - * CRT advisory board
5. **2000 SVTC progress report - Recent highlights**
 - * Clean computer campaign
 - * Sustainable water program
 - * International Campaign for Responsible Technology (ICRT)
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10. **Toxics around us - A Newscaster 4 Newsmag - fold out map with SF Bay Area toxic hotspots**
11. **March 1997 - Connections - EPA reports on PWB technologies- safer, cleaner manufacturing**
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 - * **Safer, cleaner manufacturing facilities & healthier environment**
 - * **removing formaldehyde & switching to safer substitutes in circuit board manufacturing**
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 - * **Demand "Right to know"**
 - * **A message to all Digital workers**
 - * **Know your rights**
 - * **Our loss = their gain**
 - * **"Listening sessions" not the answer**