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Reminder: Do not irrigate your property to minimize water saturating the slope. During rains, control drainage from your property and direct it to an appropriate location (storm drain or engineered culvert).

EBMUD is working to keep the area safe. EBMUD and the Town of Moraga will continue to monitor the situation. For public safety, EBMUD will remove trees on the slope. EBMUD is working with environmental and geotechnical experts on next steps. If you observe a slide, on EBMUD lands, call us 24/7 (866) 403-2683 or contact the Town of Moraga at (925) 888-7040. If there is an emergency call 911.

We strongly encourage everyone to respect the trail closure signs and stay away from the unstable area.

If you have questions or concerns today please contact Michelle Blackwell, Community Affairs (510) 287-2053, mblackwe@ebmud.com. On Saturday and Sunday your contact is Sharla Sullivan at (510) 459-5930. After-hours call (866) 403-2683 and EBMUD dispatch will connect you with the standby contact. If there is an emergency, please contact 911. EBMUD will post information on ebmud.com today.

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