



November 6th, 2014

Dr. Ginachi Amah
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Los Angeles, CA 90013

RE: Support for RWQCB to Adopt Resolution Retaining The Current Recreational Beneficial Use Designations for the Engineered Channels of the Los Angeles River Watershed

Dear Dr. Amah,

As President and Founder of Friends of the Los Angeles River (FoLAR), I fully Support the California Regional Water Quality Control Board to Adopt Resolution Retaining The Current Recreational Beneficial Use Designations for the Engineered Channels of the Los Angeles River Watershed.

Since Senate Bill 1201 (De Leon) was signed by Governor Brown, the interest in the Los Angeles River has grown. Not only a win for the recreating public, it is a win for the environment of the Los Angeles River Watershed as tremendous awareness was created, resulting in several projects/grants benefiting the environment.

The movement to restore the L.A. River has changed a lot over the last quarter-century. We are finally witness to results, and FoLAR will continue our education on stewardship to keep the recreation zones in harmony with habitat.

Sincerely,

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