



State Water Resources Control Board

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD FOR DRAFT SHASTA RIVER WATERSHED CHARACTERIZATION AND MODEL STUDY PLAN

The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) is soliciting technical comments on the Draft Shasta River Watershed Characterization and Model Study Plan (draft study plan). The purpose of the draft study plan is to guide development of a surface water-groundwater hydrology model to simulate water supply, water demand, and instream flows in the Shasta River watershed under different scenarios. The model will serve as a tool to evaluate water management scenarios in support of the California Water Action Plan effort to enhance flows statewide in at least five stream systems that support critical habitat for anadromous fish.

The comment period is from **September 24, 2018** until **October 23, 2018**. To have technical comments considered, please submit comments electronically to:

Email: InstreamFlows@waterboards.ca.gov

The Draft Shasta River Watershed Characterization and Model Study Plan is available on the State Water Board's California Water Action Plan webpage, at: https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water_issues/programs/instream_flows/cwap_enhancing/

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If you have questions regarding this notice, please contact Bob Solecki by email at Robert.Solecki@waterboards.ca.gov or by phone at (916) 319-0276.

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