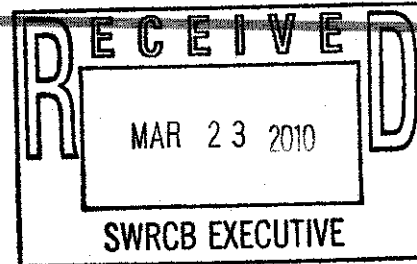


commentletters - Comment Letter-AB2121 Policy

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We are residents of the Sea Ranch and just recently learned of this proposed policy. We request that these comments be made part of the administrative record for the Proposed Policy for Maintaining In stream Flows in Northern California Coastal Streams.

We are afraid of the drastic negative impact that this would have not only on our drinking water supply, but on any fire suppression efforts. As you may be aware, we live in a heavily forested section of the North Coast and wild fires are a huge concern. As you may also be aware residents of Sea Ranch are already using water at a much lower rate per capita than the average California household. The very viability of our community is at stake.

The proposed policy was just recently announced and we believe that the comment period is much too short for such a complex and far reaching issue. In addition, no hearings have been scheduled anywhere near us. It is at least a 3+ hour drive to Sacramento.

Please schedule workshops and hearings in our area so that we can learn more and so can you about the impact on us.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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