

commentletters - Impact of AB2121 on Gualala River Communities

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SWRCB,

We urge the SWRCB to revisit and revise the proposed policy "intended to enhance instream flows" of the Gualala River.

While well intended, we feel the proposed measures would have drastic impacts, both economic and environmental, on the communities of The Sea Ranch and Gualala. The proposed policies should be revised to consider the economic and environmental on current water users. We believe the effected communities would suffer serious economic damage.

We urge the SWRCB in conjunction with the RWQCB to hold regional hearings on this matter and request the SWRCB postpone the closure of the public comment period from March 26, 2010 and extend it for 90 days. In addition, we request the SWRCB postpone the Public hearing on April 27, 2010 to a future date subsequent to the conclusion of the recommended regional hearings.

Thank you for you consideration.

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