

Wetland/Riparian Policy

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Subject: Comment Letter - Wetland and Riparian Area Protection Policy

Hello,

This is a letter to the State Resources Water Control Board. My name is Jason Avina and I am an AmeriCorps member serving for one year with the Planning and Conservation League Foundation. I am emailing you to ask your body to provide the streams, wetlands, and riparian habitats with the **STRONGEST POSSIBLE PROTECTION** in deciding upon a regulatory process. Our society is on an unsustainable, dangerous path. The deaths of unique wildlife species and the destruction of wetland habitats vital to maintaining ecological balance are at the end of this path. As a society we have veered far from any kind of equilibrium with the natural world. Increased development on our wetlands will do much more in the long run to further this separation, than it will to support a healthy economy or be beneficial to society in any lasting sense. I urge you to please, choose the strongest possible protection for wetlands and watersheds.

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