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Subject: comment letter - wetland and riparian area protection policy

Wetland/Riparian Policy
Deadline: 4/19/07 12 noon

Dear CA Water Resources Board,

I am writing to urge you to support Alternative 4 because it responds to the causes of erosion and pollution and offers the strongest protection for our streams, rivers and wetlands. This is important to all life including people (!), other mammals, plants, reptiles, amphibians, insects and birds. For example, nesting birds and migrating birds rely on healthy ecosystems.

Please ensure that your actions are actually improving the health of aquatic habitats for all life. A decline in the health of aquatic ecosystems will have significant and long term environmental, social and economic consequences.

Thank you for your consideration.
Best Regards,

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