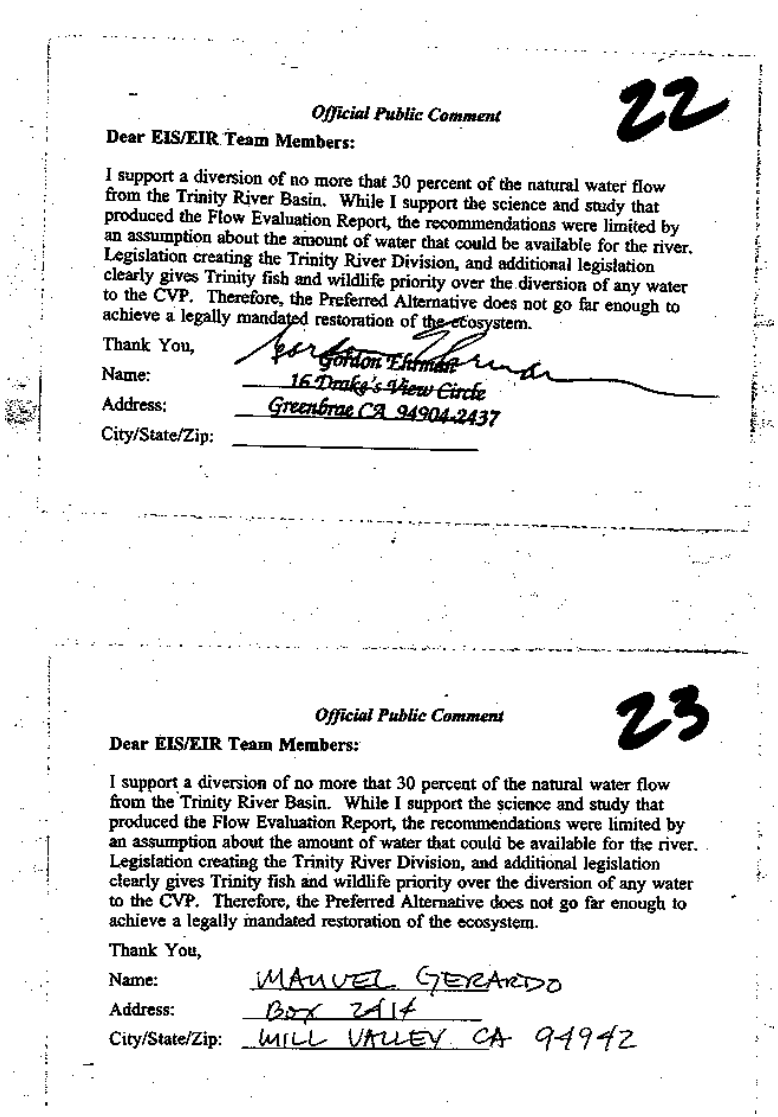

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Thank You,

Name: for Gordon Ehrman

Address: 16 Drake's View Circle

City/State/Zip: Greenbrae CA 94904-2437

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Thank You,

Name: MANUEL GERARDO

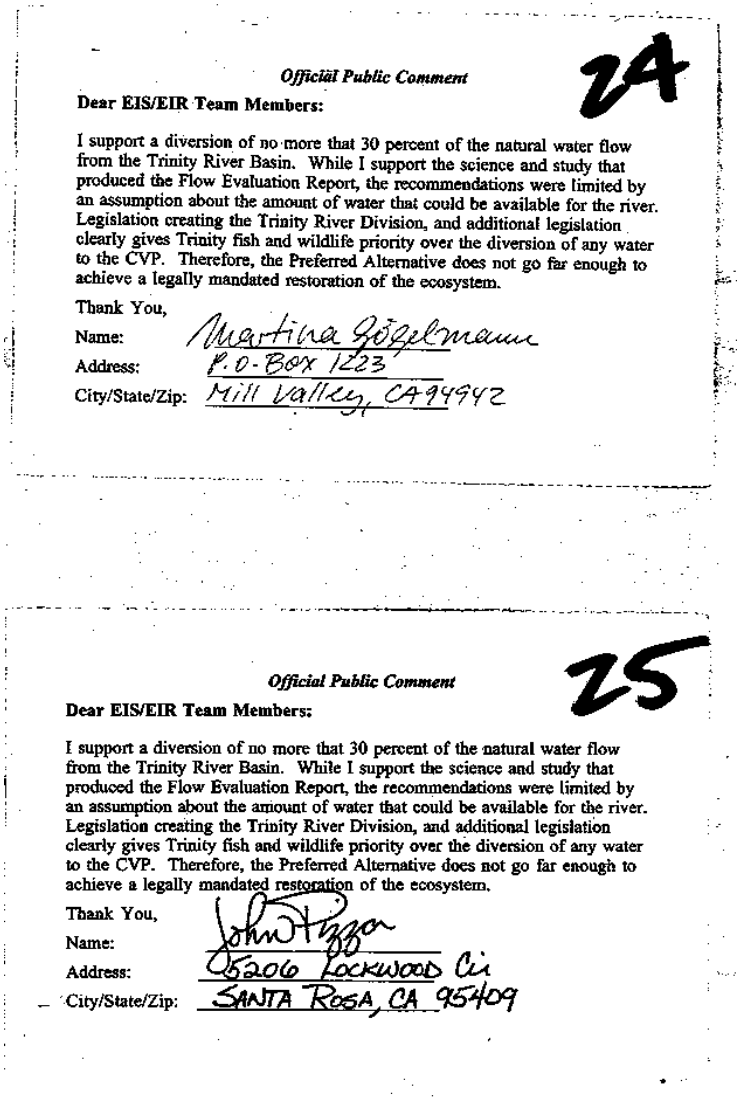
Address: Box 2414

City/State/Zip: MILL VALLEY CA 94942

Postcards from Gordon Ehrman and Manual Gerardo

22-1 Please see thematic responses titled "Fisheries."

23-1 Please see thematic responses titled "Fisheries."



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Name: Martina Gögelmann

Address: P.O. Box 1223

City/State/Zip: Mill Valley, CA 94942

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Thank You,

Name: John Pizza

Address: 5206 Lockwood Ci

City/State/Zip: Santa Rosa, CA 95409

Postcards from Martina Gogelmann and John Pizza

24-1 Please see thematic responses titled "Fisheries."

25-1 Please see thematic responses titled "Fisheries."

WORLD STEWARDSHIP INSTITUTE
BUSINESS — SCIENCE — FAITH

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Mr. Joe Polos
US Fish & Wildlife Service
1125 16th Street, Room 209
Arcata, CA 95521

Dear Mr. Polos,

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Sincerely,

STEVEN K. HON
13360 GIBSON ST.
BOX 1135
GLEN ELLEN, CA.
95442-1135

409 MENDOCINO AVENUE, SUITE A
SANTA ROSA, CALIFORNIA 95401
Phone: 707.573.3160 Fax: 707.578.7702
Email: wsi@ecostewards.org
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Letter from World Stewardship Institute

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Sincerely,

Let the water flow!

J. Devin Stubblefield
921 Cindy Ln.
Petaluma, CA 94952

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Thank You,

Name: Rudy Ramp

Address: 370A California Ave.

City/State/Zip: Arcata, CA 95521

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Thank You,

Name: Richard S. Jenne

Address: P.O. Box 693

City/State/Zip: Fall River Mills, CA 96028

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Thank You,

Name: JANICE L. WISZ

Address: HCR 1 Box 611

City/State/Zip: TRINITY CENTER, CA. 96091

Postcards from Rudy Ramp, Richard S. Jenne, and Janice L. Wisz

28-1 Please see thematic responses titled "Fisheries."

29-1 Please see thematic responses titled "Fisheries."

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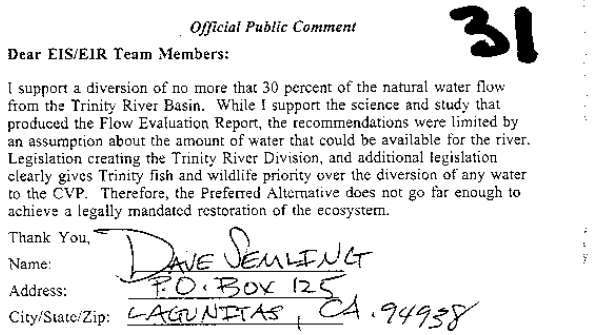
Postcards from Dave Semling and James H. McKenna



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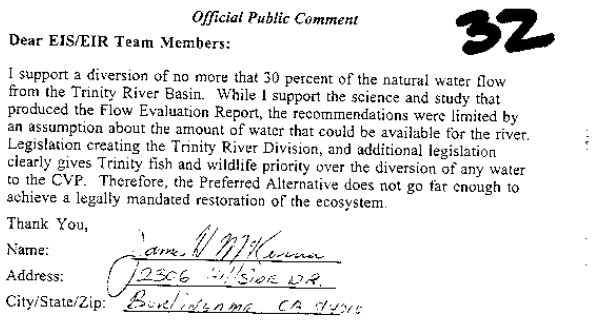
Thank You,

Name: DAVE SEMLING

Address: P.O. BOX 125

City/State/Zip: LAGUNITAS, CA. 94938



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Thank You,

Name: James H McKenna

Address: 12306 Skidmore Dr.

City/State/Zip: Burlingame, CA 94010

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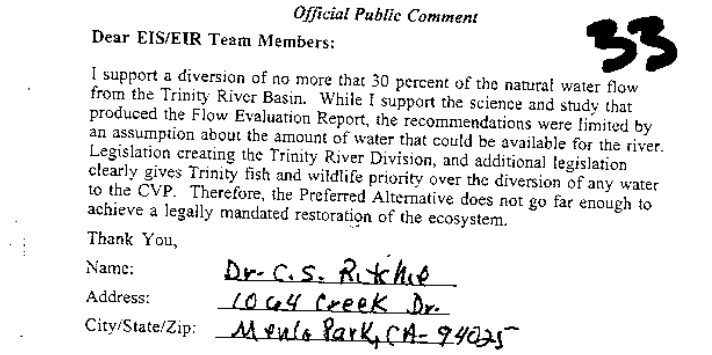
Postcards from Dr. C. S. Ritchie and Richard Anderson



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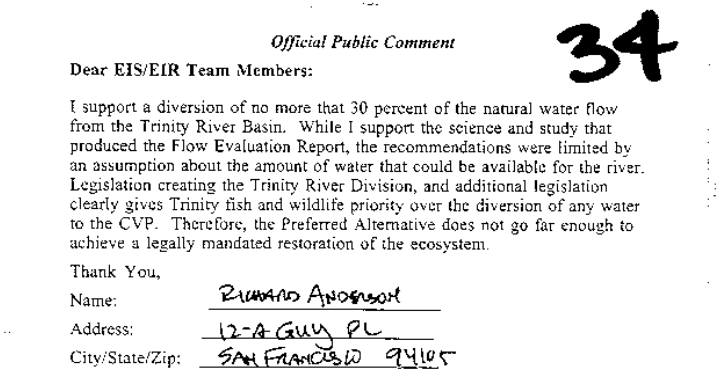
Name: Dr. C. S. Ritchie

Address: 1064 Creek Dr.

City/State/Zip: Menlo Park, CA- 94025



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Name: Richard Anderson

Address: 12-A Guy Pl

City/State/Zip: San Francisco 94105

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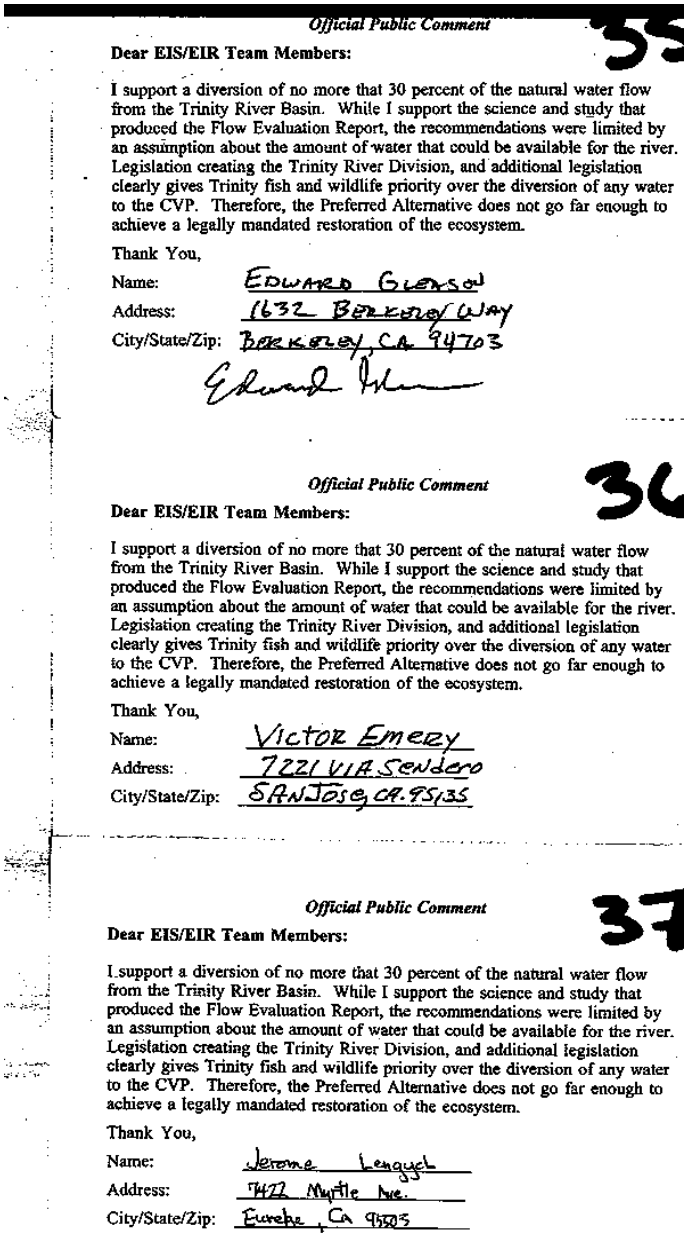

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Name: EDWARD GLEASON

Address: 1632 BERKELEY WAY

City/State/Zip: BERKELEY CA 94703

Edward Gleason

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Name: Victor Emery

Address: 7221 VIA Sendero

City/State/Zip: SAN Jose, CA. 95135

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Thank You,

Name: Jerome Lengych

Address: 7472 Myrtle Ave.

City/State/Zip: Eureka, Ca 95503

Postcards from Edward Gleason, Victor Emery, and Jerome Lengych

35-1 Please see thematic responses titled "Fisheries."

36-1 Please see thematic responses titled "Fisheries."

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Micah Schwabrow
914 Beaver Lane
Santa Rosa CA 95404

Joe Polos
US Fish + Wildlife Service
1125 16th St, Rm 209
Arcata CA 95521

Dear Mr. Polos,

It is my understanding that you can have an important influence on the health of the Trinity River ecosystem. Diversion of water from our its natural watershed to other uses is always a hardship on the original source. In this case the coho salmon is like the canary in the mine. I urge you to use your position and influence to implement restoration of the Trinity River to at the least 70% of its original flow. This change would help a great deal for both the environmental health + economic health of the region. Thank you.

Sincerely,
Micah Schwabrow

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Letter from Micah Schwabrow

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Address: 26099 Pithaven Hill Rd

City/State/Zip: Clovis Ca 93611

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Name: Liz Zemke

Address: 233 E Portal

City/State/Zip: Fresno, Ca 93720

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Name: Larry & Lynne West

Address: 8143 E Paul

City/State/Zip: Clovis Ca 93611

Postcards from Stan Phuen, Liz Zemke, and Larry and Lynne West

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Address: 233 E Pettland

City/State/Zip: Fresno, CA 93720

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Thank You,

Name: Fly Fishers For Conservation (150-180 members)

Address: 233 E Pettland

City/State/Zip: Fresno, CA 93720

Our Club Supports Saving the Trinity River.

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Name: Sierra Bergmann

Address: 233 E. Pettland

City/State/Zip: Fresno, CA 93720

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Address: 844 W HARVARD

City/State/Zip: FRESNO, CA 93705

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Postcards from Peter W. Tampone, Andy Wade, and Leanne Zunigen

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Postcards from Michele Barberi, Marvin Humphrey, and Tom Baretta

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Name: MICHELE BARBERI

Address: PO Box 744

City/State/Zip: ST. HELENA, CA 94574

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Thank You, Marvin Humphrey

Name: MARVIN HUMPHREY

Address: 868 WHITE LN.

City/State/Zip: ST. HELENA CA 94574

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Name: Tom Baretta

Address: 526 Somerset

City/State/Zip: S.F., CA 94134

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Name: John R. Devine

Address: 203 Longford Dr.

City/State/Zip: So. San Fran., CA 94080

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Thank You,

Name: MAUREEN CHOI

Address: 762 GRAND AVE.

City/State/Zip: SO. SAN FRAN., CA 94080

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Name: Jim Connelly

Address: 1713 Green Street

City/State/Zip: San Francisco, CA 94123

Postcards from John R. Devine, Maureen Choi, and Jim Connelly

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Name: Gordon Stallings
Address: 3171 Vickie Ct.
City/State/Zip: Merced, CA 95340

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Name: Mill Valley Services
Address: 25 a E. Blithedale
City/State/Zip: Mill Valley CA 94941

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Name: Peter Mennen
Address: Po. Box 421
City/State/Zip: St. Helena CA 94574

Postcards from Gordon Stallings, Mill Valley Services, and Peter Mennen

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Thank You,

Name: DANIEL DeBONIS

Address: 108 CHIQUITA LN

City/State/Zip: WINDSOR, CA 95492

Official Public Comment 58

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Name: Vince Wolfe

Address: 10 Baggins End

City/State/Zip: Davis CA 95616

Official Public Comment [redacted] 59

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Thank You,

Name: Roger Miller

Address: 1107 E. Fedora

City/State/Zip: Fresno CA 93704

Postcards from Daniel DeBonis, Vince Wolfe, and Roger Miller

57-1 Please see thematic responses titled "Fisheries."

58-1 Please see thematic responses titled "Fisheries."

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Official Public Comment

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Thank You,

Name: MIKLE DAVES

Address: 116 WARD ST #9

City/State/Zip: LARKSPUR, CA 94939

Official Public Comment

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Thank You,

Name: Roz Tampone

Address: 844 W. Harvard Ave

City/State/Zip: Fresno, CA 93705

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Thank You,

Name: NEAL PULTZ

Address: 6318 N. MARCUS

City/State/Zip: FRESNO, CA 93722

Postcards from Mikle Daves, Roz Tampone, and Neal Pultz

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61-1 Please see thematic responses titled "Fisheries."

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Name: Don Shuda

Address: 535 W. Tenaya

City/State/Zip: Clovis CA 93612

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Address: 1107 E. Fedora

City/State/Zip: Fresno CA 93704

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Thank You,

Name: LINDSEY MERRITT

Address: 116 WARD ST #7

City/State/Zip: LARKSPUR CA 94939

Postcards from Don Shuda, Sandra Miller, and Lindsey Merritt

63-1 Please see thematic responses titled "Fisheries."

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Name: _____

Address: Mr. Gerald G. Hoyt
12 Aqua Vista Dr

City/State/Zip: San Rafael CA 94901-4207

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Thank You,

Name: Jeffrey Green

Address: PO Box 1106

City/State/Zip: Mariposa CA 95338

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Thank You,

Name: The John F. Watkins Co.

Address: 1533 Playground Way
Modesto, CA 95355

City/State/Zip: _____

Postcards from Gerald G. Hoytt, Jeffrey Green, and The John F. Watkins Co.

66-1 Please see thematic responses titled "Fisheries."

67-1 Please see thematic responses titled "Fisheries."

68-1 Please see thematic responses titled "Fisheries."

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Joe Polos
U. S. Fish & Wildlife Service
1125 16th St. - Room 209
Arcata, Ca 95521

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Dear Mr. Polos:

I understand there are to be hearings held to determine whether flows down the Trinity River will be increased from 30% (or less) to a standard flow of about 70%.

When Senator Clair Engle plumped for the Trinity Dam project in the late 1950's, he stated that not one bucket of water would go into the Sacramento if it was needed in the Trinity.

Didn't take an expert waterologist to see destruction done to the river early on. Jungle-like growth, though not quite as bad as lower Putah Creek below Berryessa Reservoir. On the Trinity too is the unseen demolition: drastic reduction of salmon, steelhead & their dependent species: crawfish, turtles, mussels, raccoons, eels & peripheral reliants. There had to be dramatic declines in those unglamorous animal populations, but as minor species, likely not worthy of study.

In the mid-1970's hearings, statewide, were held to regarding restricting logging on South Fork Trinity River. They turned out to be lip service. Smoke & mirrors. I hope that is not the case regarding Trinity flows.

In what can now be seen as a terrifically bad mistake by choosing the wrong adversary (Soviet Union), Congress extended the continental limit protection to 200 miles out to sea. Events, depredations by the U.S. Forest Service, Bureau of Reclamation, & Bureau of Land Management have proved that that 200 mile limit protection should now be reversed & extend inland a full 200 miles.

Furthermore, Interior should, at last, honor that long-dead senator's pledge. The Trinity watershed & North Coast are more than just a few buckets behind.

Sincerely,

La Dubois

cc: Congressman Matsui
Senator Boxer
Senator Feinstein

P.S. Legislators: To my untrained mind, the Bureau of Reclamation's sale of water appears to be a continuing, costly, unfair, reverse Robin Hood action. That is, robbing from the poor, enriching the rich.

You SHOULD be represented at these alleged hearings.

69-1

Letter from LaDuboir Dated November 7, 1999

69-1 Thank you for your comment. Your comment has been noted. No response is required.

Stanislaus Fly Fishermen, Inc.
1012 Eleventh Street, Suite 103
Modesto, CA 95354-0842
Telephone No.: 209-527-6242
Telecopier No.: 209-527-6251

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November 10, 1999

MR. JOE POLOS
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
1125 16th Street, Room 209
Arcata, CA 95521

Dear Mr. Polos:

I am writing this as the conservation chairman of the Stanislaus Fly Fishermen, a non-profit corporation located in Modesto, California with approximately 75 members. Many of our members have fished and continue to fish the Trinity River. It is the recommendation of the Stanislaus Fly Fishermen that 70% of the natural river flows be retained in the river as oppose to 48% as per the preferred alternative. 70-1

We recognize that the salmon and steelhead runs have been devastated by the heavy diversions from the river for crop irrigation in the Central Valley. This devastation has come about not only because of the diminution of water in river but because of the effect of the lower flow regimes on riverine and riparian habitat. 70-2

Restoration of these fisheries is of critical importance, not just to sport fishermen, but to the commercial salmon industry, tribal members, and residents of Trinity, Humboldt, and Del Norte counties whose economies have been significantly and adversely affected by the devastation of the salmon and steelhead runs.

The preferred recommendation of 48% will not be effective to restore these fisheries without continuing congressional appropriations for habitat restoration projects. It is much less expensive, and considerably less chancy, to let the river restore itself by retaining 70% of the flow in the river. As we all know, congress is fickle-it giveth and it taketh away.

It seems simply unconscionable to rob Peter (commercial fishermen, Indians, and residents of the northern counties) to pay Paul (Central Valley water users).

We do thank you for the opportunity to submit these comments.

Very truly yours,

STANISLAUS FLY FISHERMEN, INC.

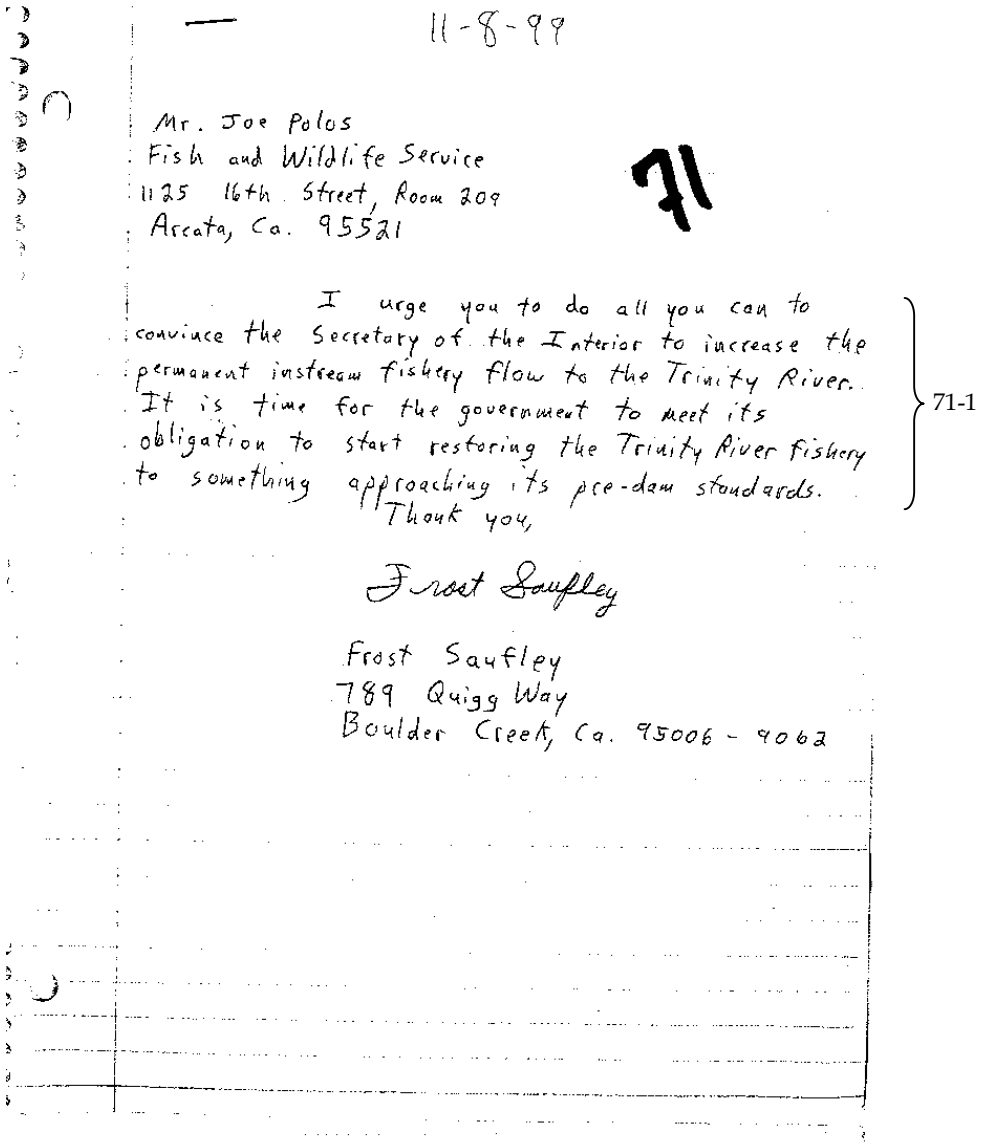
By _____
JOHN T. MURPHY, Conservation Chairman

JTM:ms

Letter from Stanislaus Fly Fishermen, Inc. Dated November 10, 1999

70-1 Please see thematic responses titled "Fisheries."

70-2 The effects of a range of flow schedules and levels of mechanical restoration are discussed in Section 3.2 Geomorphic Environment. The effects of the same range of flow schedules and mechanical restoration efforts on fisheries are discussed in Section 3.5. The commentor's recommended alternative is within the range of alternatives considered in the DEIS/EIR.



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Mr. Joe Polos
Fish and Wildlife Service
1125 16th Street, Room 209
Arcata, Ca. 95521

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I urge you to do all you can to convince the Secretary of the Interior to increase the permanent instream fishery flow to the Trinity River. It is time for the government to meet its obligation to start restoring the Trinity River fishery to something approaching its pre-dam standards.

71-1

Thank you,

Frost Saufley

Frost Saufley
789 Quigg Way
Boulder Creek, Ca. 95006 - 9062

Letter from Frost Saufley dated November 8, 1999

71-1 Thank you for your comment. Your comment has been noted. No response is required.

Official Public Comment

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Thank You,

Name: Gregory McKinney

Address: P.O. Box 78

City/State/Zip: Cutten, CA 95534

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Name: R. Allen

Address: P.O. Box 6157

City/State/Zip: Eureka, Ca. 95502

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Thank You,

Name: Susan Billings

Address: 128 Alvarado Rd

City/State/Zip: Berkeley, CA 94705

Postcards from Gregory McKinney, R. Allen, and Susan Billings

72-1 Please see thematic responses titled "Fisheries."

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Name: Vicky N. Turner

Address: 370 A California Ave

City/State/Zip: Arcata, CA 95521

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Name: Tina M. Wahlund

Address: 2130 Holly St.

City/State/Zip: Eureka, CA 95503

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Thank You,

Name: Hillary Ross

Address: PO Box 5152

City/State/Zip: Arcata, CA 95518

Postcards from Vicky N. Turner, Tina Wahlund, and Hillary Ross

75-1 Please see thematic responses titled "Fisheries."

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Name: Amy E Brennan

Address: PO Box 6411C

City/State/Zip: Eureka, CA 95502-6411C

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Name: Kathy Ryan

Address: 4346 Mitchell Road

City/State/Zip: Eureka, CA 95503

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Name: Janet Helen Morrison

Address: 1182 Union St.

City/State/Zip: Arcata, CA 95521

Postcards from Amy E. Brennan, Kathy Ryan, and Janet Helen Morrison

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Name: Melvin McKinney

Address:

City/State/Zip: M. MCKINNEY PO BOX 76 CUTTEN CA 95534-0076

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Name: James R. Ritter

Address: P.O. Box 91

City/State/Zip: Bayside, CA 95524

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Name: Roxanna Roberts

Address: 1655 Kaiser Ct #5

City/State/Zip: Arcata CA 95521

Postcards from Melvin McKinney, James Ritter, and Roxanna Roberts

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Name: Tim Chauver

Address: 370 B California Ave

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Name: Janeen R. Evans

Address: 2575 Alliance Rd #12-0

City/State/Zip: Arcata CA 95521

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Name: Cori Sisemore

Address: PO Bx 974

City/State/Zip: Ferndale, CA. 95536

Postcards from Tim Chauver, Janeen R. Evans, and Cori Sisemore

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Postcards from Florence Allen and Gerald K. White

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Name: Florence Allen

Address: PO Box 6451

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Name: Gerald K. White

Address: 7 E. 12th ST.

City/State/Zip: ARCATA, CA. 95521

Letter from Eight Signatories

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Mr. Joe Polos
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
1125 16th St., Room 209
Arcata, CA 95521

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Sincerely,

Thomas de Lorbeau
Mary C. Oliphant
Jerry Ros
Skip Robinson
Lucia Amatista
Howard Powell
Paul Ogle Jr.
James S. Hurlbut

Letter from Five Signatories

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Madeleine Sone
Charles Sr. Sone
Ann Dolin
Ron Karp
Michelle McAfee

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Trinity Letter

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1125 16th Street, Room 209, Arcata, CA. 95521.

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Thank You

Name: Paul S. Bohrer

Address: P.O. Box 774

City/State/Zip: Fortuna Calif. 95540

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Postcard from Paul S. Bohrer

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