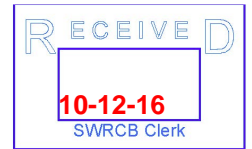


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From: samjbutler@sbcglobal.net
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I would like to thank the Water Board for setting instream flows for the Stanislaus, Tuolumne, and Merced Rivers. This is critical to ensure adequate support for wildlife systems to support fish, wildlife, and water quality.

However I am concerned that the proposed amount of water to remain in the rivers will fall short of the levels required. Please follow the fact-based scientific requirements that the flows be set higher to allow salmon and other wildlife to survive.

Thank you.

Sam Butler