

Stream Restoration and Erosive Forces Workshop

Wednesday, January 31, 2007

8:30 am to noon

Santa Clara Valley Water District Board Room
5750 Almaden Expressway, San Jose

The Environmental Advisory Committee (EAC) to the Santa Clara Valley Water District and the Santa Clara Valley Watershed Management Initiative (WMI) are co-sponsoring a half-day public workshop to develop a shared understanding of the problems and solutions associated with stream erosion and restoration.

The Workshop will be a dialogue among invited guests representing a diversity of viewpoints as to how best to address erosion problems. The public is invited to observe and provide input at designated times.

Content of Workshop:

- ✧ A presentation on the points of agreement amongst diverse stakeholders as to the nature of the problem and possible solutions to the problem of erosion in Santa Clara County streams and potential for restoration of physical stability and ecological health of these streams.
- ✧ Presentations by various stakeholders of differing view-points – municipal staff, county-wide stormwater program, Santa Clara Valley Water District, environmental groups – as to what is needed to address erosion and/or re-create stable healthy streams
- ✧ Discussion Period

Anyone wishing to attend is encouraged to RSVP to rnarsim@valleywater.org.

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Notice: Due to the presence of a member of the Regional Water Quality Control Board and of the State Water Resources Control Board, the workshop will be audio-taped. Though the focus of the workshop is not on permit matters under consideration by the Regional or State Boards, stormwater discharges are one of the factors affecting erosive forces in streams; therefore issues related to the pending municipal stormwater permit could arise.