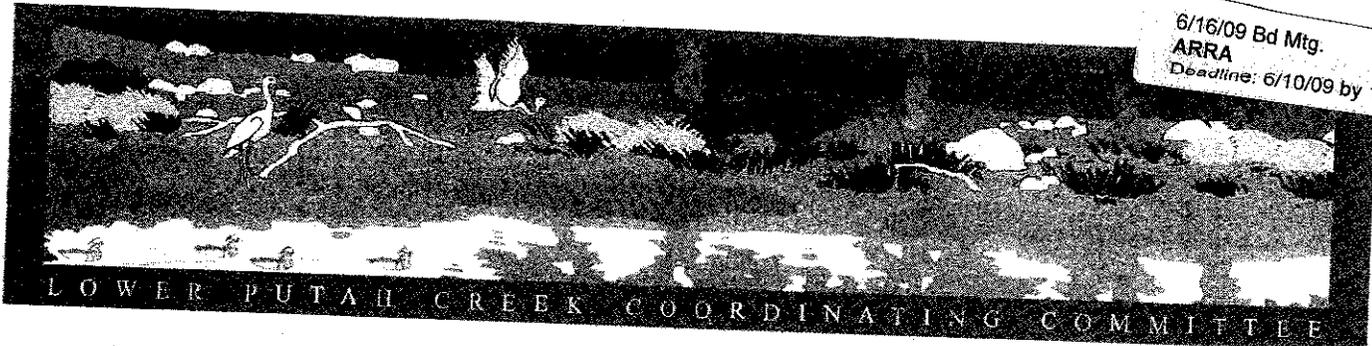
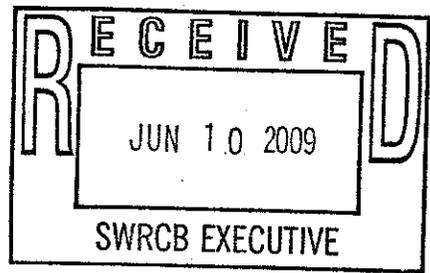


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RE: Comments to the June 16th Board Meeting Session Resolution to Clarify Implementation of Economic Recovery Legislation for the Clean Water State Revolving Fund

Dear Ms. Townsend:

I respectfully disagree with Option 2C of the Expanded Use Projects recommendations that limit projects to urban stormwater projects serving disadvantaged communities (DACs). Our experience on Lower Putah Creek supports inclusion of rural areas that are also DACs. I would also encourage consideration of fish and wildlife benefits of Nonpoint Source Pollution prevention that are more likely to be found in rural communities.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide comments. I appreciate the work of State Board staff especially in these difficult economic times.

Sincerely,

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