

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

SAN LORENZO VALLEY WATER DISTRICT NOTICE OF GRANT AVAILABILITY

Boulder Creek, CA; December 5, 2005

The San Lorenzo Valley Water District announces the availability of grant funds for educational projects which enhance the understanding of the San Lorenzo River Watershed or improves the watershed's environmental health. The San Lorenzo Valley Water District is currently soliciting grant proposal applications from individuals, students, teachers, groups and/or organizations. Grant funding is available for education projects, environmental restoration and enhancement projects and resource conservation projects within the San Lorenzo River Watershed. Details regarding grant requirements are included in the Education Grant Program Notice of Available Grant Funding; however, the following is provided for your information:

- Total amount available for grants: \$17,500.00
- Grant application packages are available at the San Lorenzo Valley Water District, 13060 Highway 9, Boulder Creek, CA, 95006 or contact the District Secretary at (831)430-4636 or kstephens@slvwd.com
- Grant applications must be received by 5:00 p.m., Friday, January 20, 2005 at the San Lorenzo Valley Water District, 13060 Highway 9, Boulder Creek, CA, 95006
- The District encourages grant applications with funding levels at or less than \$2,500.00
- A portion of available funds will be set aside for small grant applications of \$250.00 or less
- Generally, grant award decisions will be completed within six (6) weeks of the proposal application deadline

Further information may be obtained by contacting Kelly Stephens, District Secretary at (831)430-4636 or <u>kstephens@slvwd.com</u>.