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To: Board of Directors
From: District Manager
Subject: Annual Steelhead Report; March 2006
Date: March 31, 2006

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the Board of Directors by motion of the Board accept and file the subject report.

BACKGROUND:

Transmitted under separate cover, please find a copy of the Annual Steelhead Report; March 2006.

The subject report provides a summary of juvenile steelhead sampling activities for the year 2005 in the middle and upper mainstream San Lorenzo River and four (4) upper watershed tributaries (Zayante, Bean, Boulder and Bear Creeks). Seven (7) mainstream and twelve (12) tributary sites were sampled in the fall of 2005. In addition, the report provides a discussion regarding habitat characteristics and a comparison of juvenile densities between prior years. The principal author of the report, Don Alley, from D.W. Alley & Associates will be present to make a brief presentation and answer any questions your Board may have regarding the subject report.

It is recommended that the Board of Directors by motion of the Board accept and file the subject report.

James Mueller
District Manager

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