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I would like to comment on part of the tmdl . This concerns the impact from recreational use of the Russian River. Concessionaires who rent canoes, kayaks and other water vehicles do not provide sanitation facilities for any of their patrons along their chosen routes at any point. I suggest that a fee be added to their business permits and that they be required to provide and maintain these facilities along the river! They should also instruct their clients on the contribution to the tmdl they make when they relieve themselves along the banks of the river. Every year for the passed 20 yrs. we have seen a tremendous increase in visitors who use the river and the fecal remains they leave. To be specific: burkes canoes out of meribel beach in forestville ca. And numerous smaller vendors all along the river.

Thanks,

Geoff Williams

Sent from my river