



# California Regional Water Quality Control Board

## Los Angeles Region



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TO: Interested Parties

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SUBJECT: **Ballona Creek, Ballona Estuary and Sepulveda Channel Bacteria TMDL  
Coordinated Monitoring Plans**

On April 23, 2008, the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional Board) received the Ballona Creek, Ballona Estuary, and Sepulveda Channel Bacteria TMDL Coordinated Monitoring Plan (Ballona CMP) and the Coordinated Monitoring Plan for Del Rey Lagoon (Del Rey Lagoon CMP). The Ballona CMP was prepared by the Monitoring Plan Sub-committee chaired by the City of Los Angeles. The Sub-committee consists of the Cities of Los Angeles, Culver City, Inglewood, Beverly Hills, West Hollywood, Santa Monica, and the County of Los Angeles and the California Department of Transportation. The Del Rey Lagoon CMP was submitted by the City of Los Angeles as the sole responsible agency for Del Rey Lagoon.

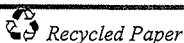
The Ballona CMP and the Del Rey Lagoon CMP were submitted to fulfill the 12-month requirement contained within the Ballona Creek, Ballona Estuary, and Sepulveda Channel Bacteria TMDL to submit a water quality monitoring plan for the Ballona Creek Watershed. The Ballona CMP and the Del Rey Lagoon CMP can be found on our website at:

[http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board\\_decisions/basin\\_plan\\_amendments/technical\\_documents/bpa\\_45\\_2006-011\\_td.shtml](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board_decisions/basin_plan_amendments/technical_documents/bpa_45_2006-011_td.shtml)

If you would like to comment on the CMPs, submit written comments to the Regional Board by **June 9, 2008**. Timely submittal of any written comments is encouraged to ensure that the comments can be fully evaluated by Regional Board staff.

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