

# California River Parkway & Urban Streams Restoration Grant Programs

The Resources Agency & the California Department of Water Resources are pleased to announce the joint release of the guidelines and application for the California River Parkways and the Urban Streams Restoration grant programs.

**Urban Streams Restoration Program Goals** include: (1) reducing property damage caused by flooding or erosion; (2) restoring, enhancing, or protecting the natural ecological values of streams; and (3) promoting community involvement, education, or stewardship.

**River Parkways Program Goals** include: (1) protecting and restoring riparian and riverine habitat; and (2) directly improving the quality of life in California by providing important recreational, open space, wildlife, flood management, water quality, and urban waterfront revitalization benefits to communities in the State.

## Available Funding This Year (FY08/09):

River Parkways:	\$30.9 million
Urban Streams:	\$9.1 million
Application deadline:	November 12, 2008
Anticipated Grant Award	June 2009
Anticipated project completion date:	May 1, 2013

Similar levels of funding are anticipated for Fiscal Year 09/10

## Eligible Applicants for the Urban Stream Restoration Program include:

Local Public Agencies, Nonprofit (501(c)(3)), & Citizens' Groups

## Eligible Applicants for the River Parkway Program include:

State Agencies, Local Public Agencies, Nonprofit (501(c)(3)),

## Please Visit the following Websites for Guidelines & Applications:

- **Urban Streams Restoration Program:**  
<http://www.watershedrestoration.water.ca.gov/urbanstreams>.
- **California River Parkways:**  
[http://resources.ca.gov/bonds\\_riverparkways.html](http://resources.ca.gov/bonds_riverparkways.html)