

## **SECTION 401 WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION PUBLIC NOTICE**

The Central Coast Water Board is currently reviewing a Clean Water Act section 401 Water Quality Certification application for the project described below. We encourage public comments on the proposed project and will take comments into consideration when taking action on the application. You may submit written comments on this project to:

Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board

895 Aerovista Place, Suite 101

San Luis Obispo, CA 93401

Attention: 401 Coordinator

OR

centralcoast@waterboards.ca.gov

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**Project Applicant:** County of Santa Cruz Department of Public Works – Joel LaCagnina

**Applicant's Agent:** Self-Representing

**Project Name:** Trout Gulch Road PM 1.85, 1.90, & 3.03 Storm Damage Repair Project

**Receiving Water:** Trout Creek

**City/County:** Aptos / Santa Cruz

**Public Notice:** April 14, 2022 – May 5, 2022

### **Project Description:**

The purpose of the proposed project is to reconstruct the damaged roadway, embankment, and drainage facilities at each site.

The proposed project activities include:

- Reconstructing the slope with vegetated soil wraps and vegetated RSP;
- Vegetating the RSP portion of the slope with topsoil, willows (Sona-Tube), coconut blanket, fiber rolls, and hydroseed;
- Reconstructing damaged road pavement; and
- Replacing the existing culverts and down drains.

Proposed Mitigation:

Rehabilitation of 0.053 acres and 113 linear feet of riparian habitat.