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**Subject:** Thunder Valley Casino's Increased Discharge into Orchard Creek

Dear Ms Messina:

We are heavily involved in the restoration of anadromous fish to the upper American River Watershed and the various streams and creeks in the Roseville/Granite Bay Area. Particularly Auburn Ravine and Miners Ravine where we have our home. I am strongly opposed to allowing Thunder Valley Casino to increase discharge into Orchard Creek. It is my understanding that RWB exists to guarantee water quality for Californians. How does tripling the discharge into Auburn Ravine, a stream in the process of having anadromous fish runs restored, guarantee water quality? We believe that the request by Thunder Valley Casino should be denied.

Thank you for taking the time to read this e-mail and any consideration you would given to opposing the increase in discharge into Orchard Creek.

Sincerely,

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