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DEPARTMENT OF  
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Subject: Santa Rosa Subregional Long-Term Wastewater Project Draft EIR/EIS.

Dear Ms. Meredith

Trout Unlimited, North America's leading coldwater fisheries conservation organization still has concerns for the potential impacts of Santa Rosa's wastewater on Salmon and Steelhead trout in the Laguna de Santa Rosa and the Russian River. Our concerns have not been resolved by the Draft EIR/EIS OF July 1996.

Due to the paucity of scientific information and the fragile nature of the Russian River anadromous fishery, i.e., Coho Salmon and Steelhead we are opposed to the proposed Alternate 5 A&B. We believe Alternate 5 will cause significant long term adverse impacts to these public trust resources. As one of the trustee's of this resources you are charged with insuring the project will not harm the public trust resources.

Until you have such scientific information, that will stand up in Court, that clearly demonstrates that there is no accumulative adverse impacts on the public resources, we have no option then to oppose Alternative 5.

Yours truly,



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