

Alameda Creek Watershed Council
Annual Conference

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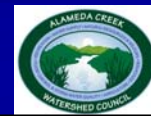
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I. WELCOME
&
INTRODUCTIONS



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II. COUNCIL BUSINESS & WORKGROUP UPDATES



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Stakeholders currently represented on the Council:

- Alameda County Flood Control and Water Conservation District
- Alameda County Water District
- Alameda County Resource Conservation District
- East Bay Regional Park District
- Livermore Area Recreation and Park District
- City of Livermore
- San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board
- Zone 7 Water Agency
- Friends of the Arroyos



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Chair: Elke Rank

Co-Assistant Chairs: Manny da Costa & Ralph Johnson

Fisheries
Workgroup
(Manny da Costa)

Sediment Workgroup
(Ralph Johnson)

Eden Landing
Ponds Workgroup
(TBD)

Stewardship
Workgroup
(Amy Evans)

Flows Subcommittee



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Regular ACWC Meetings:

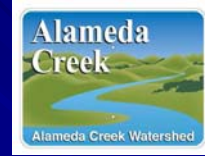
- Mark your calendars! In 2010, we expect to meet on the 4th Thursdays monthly.
- Everyone is welcome.
- We hope to have field tours and training sessions on alternate months. Please contact Elke Rank at 925-454-5005 or erank@zone7water.com if you have suggestions for meeting topics, trainings, and/or field tours.



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Stewardship Workgroup Updates:

- **PHOTO CONTEST.** 2009 Photo Contest
- **PROJECT DATABASE.** Compiling past, current and proposed restoration projects throughout the Watershed.
- **ADOPT A SPOT PROGRAM.** Adopted TWO SPOTS ALONG Alameda Creek; these adopt a spot locations are areas where Council members can complete projects such as creek clean-ups or planting projects. Currently, eastern Alameda County does not have a formal Adopt-A-Spot Program; the Council has begun organizing an effort to start an adopted spot program in this portion of the county.
- **SIGNAGE PROJECT.** Proposing to post signs that name the creeks in the Alameda Creek Watershed at major trails and roads crossings. Aimed at educating the public about their environment, creating awareness of local creeks within the larger Alameda Creek watershed, and stimulating stewardship activities. Seeking funding.



UP NEXT

**History of the Alameda Creek Watershed Council
&
Updates from
Sediment Workgroup & Fisheries Workgroup**



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**III. PROJECTS IN AND AROUND
ALAMEDA CREEK WATERSHED**

Robin Grossinger
Janet M. Sowers
Jeff Miller
John Krause



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**IV. LESSONS LEARNED
(SEDIMENT FOCUS)**

Mitch Avalon
Sarah Pearce
Mitch Swanson
Liang Xu



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V. SUMMARY & WRAP UP

Lester McKee
Conference Participants
ACWC Chairs

