



## Notice of Public Hearing

On

Carmel River Floodplain Restoration and

Environmental Enhancement Project Funding

From the California Department of Water Resources

Flood Corridor Grant Program



The State of California Department of Water Resources (DWR) and Monterey County invite comments from the public on a request from Monterey County to DWR to provide grant funding for the proposed Carmel River Floodplain Restoration and Environmental Enhancement Project on property located in the unincorporated area of Monterey County. The purpose of the project would be to construct a flood conveyance bypass/causeway and associated road improvements along State Route 1 to increase conductivity between the floodplain and the south arm of the Carmel River Lagoon and to implement restoration and enhancement improvements to portions of the Carmel River floodplain. The proposed project is located south of the City of Carmel-By-The-Sea, on the south side of the Carmel River, in unincorporated Monterey County.

A public hearing has been scheduled for **4:30 p.m.** on **August 27, 2013** at the Carmel Wastewater District Community Meeting Room, 3945 Rio Road, Carmel, California. All interested persons are invited to attend the hearing and express their views. Public input is solicited on whether the project should be partially or fully funded and, if so, whether there are conditions that should be considered to include in the funding agreement. Persons unable to attend should mail or e-mail comments on or before 5:00 p.m. **August 23, 2013** to Kristin Ford, Department of Water Resources, 3464 El Camino Ave., Room 200, Sacramento, CA 95821, e-mail [Kristin.Ford@water.ca.gov](mailto:Kristin.Ford@water.ca.gov) Please include "Carmel River Floodplain Restoration and Environmental Enhancement Project Comment" in the subject line of the e-mail. You may also contact John Ford, Project Manager, Monterey County Resource Management Agency, 168 W. Alisal Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Salinas, CA 93901, email [FordJH@co.monterey.ca.us](mailto:FordJH@co.monterey.ca.us) for information about the project.

Information about the funding source, DWR's Flood Corridor Program, is available on the FCP Internet web site at <http://www.water.ca.gov/floodmgmt/fpo/sgb/fpcp/>.