

6th Annual
**Bay Area Macroinvertebrate Bioassessment Information
Network (BAMBI) Meeting**



Tuesday, January 30, 2007
10:00 AM to 2:30 PM
Room 10, 2nd Floor, Elihu Harris State Office Building
1515 Clay St., Oakland, CA, 94612



9:30 Registration and Check-in

Welcome, Introductions and BAMBI Participant Activities

10:00 Welcome and Agenda Review

Arleen Feng – *Alameda Countywide Clean Water Program*

10:10 Bay Area Bioassessment Activities - Introductions and Summaries from Bay Area Agencies and Organizations - Meeting Attendees (up to 10 minutes per attendee)

Update on Statewide Bioassessment Efforts

11:00 Surface Water Ambient Monitoring Program (SWAMP)

- ◆ Bioassessment in SWAMP Redesign – Chris Sommers – *EOA, Inc.*
- ◆ SWAMP Bioassessment Workgroup Activities and Changes to SWAMP Physical Habitat Protocols - Matt Cover – *SF Bay Water Board & UC Berkeley*

11:30 Southwestern Association of Freshwater Invertebrate Taxonomists Update

Arleen Feng - *Alameda Countywide Clean Water Program*

Bay Area Bioassessment Research

11:40 Effects of Riparian Eucalyptus Litter on Benthic Macroinvertebrates in Three Small Streams - Preliminary Results – Igor Lancan – *Ph.D Candidate, U.C. Berkeley*

12:10 Lunch (Provided)

Updates on Current and Planned Bay Area Bioassessment Activities

12:45 Benthic Index of Biotic Integrity (B-IBI) for San Francisco Bay Area Creeks

Chris Sommers – *EOA, Inc.*

1:15 Future of Bioassessment in the Bay Area – Drivers and Questions

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1:30 Assessing Our Bioassessment Needs for the Future

Arleen Feng – *Alameda Countywide Clean Water Program*

1:45 Ideas for Next Year's Meeting and Wrap-up

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2:00 Adjourn