

SWRCB STAFF CLARIFICATIONS TO THE NORTH COAST REGIONAL BOARD'S
BASIN PLAN AMENDMENT ESTABLISHING A TOTAL MAXIMUM DAILY LOAD
FOR SEDIMENTS IN THE GARCIA RIVER WATERSHED

1. Delete the words “Summary of the” and “Strategy” from the amendment title and modify the title to read: “Garcia River Watershed Water Quality Attainment Action Plan for Sediment.”
2. Delete the sentence (page 1, second paragraph, 8th line): “The Strategy summarizes the existing watershed data, identifies sources of sediment in the Garcia River watershed, and sets forth a schedule and means for reducing controllable sedimentation.”
3. Delete the phrase “summary of the Strategy (Strategy Summary)” (page 1, second paragraph, 12th line, the sentence beginning “The following” will start a new paragraph) and replace it with “Action Plan”.
4. Delete the sentence (page 1, new third paragraph, last line): “As a result of the Basin Plan amendment process, this Strategy Summary already contains some minor revisions from the Strategy; where there are inconsistencies, the Strategy Summary should be followed.”
5. Change “In-channel gravel mining shall follow all of the recommendations” (page 14, item no. 21) to: “In-channel gravel mining shall follow the following recommendations from the *Garcia River Gravel Management Plan*.” Text of the recommendations to be moved into amendment follows item no. 22, starting on page “a” in Attachment B.
6. Change “Floodplain (Off-Channel) gravel mining shall follow all of the recommendations” (page 14, item no. 22) to: “Floodplain (Off-Channel) gravel mining shall follow the following recommendations from the *Garcia River Gravel Management Plan*.” Text of the recommendations to be moved into amendment follows this item as starting on page “a” in Attachment B.
7. Delete indicated sections page “a” through “g” following page 14.
8. Replace the phrase “Strategy Summary” with “Action Plan” (page 15 at the first paragraph, 4th line; second paragraph 5th line; third paragraph, 1st line; fourth paragraph, 2nd line; last full paragraph, 1st line; on page 18, 1st line, second paragraph, 7th, 8th, and 10th lines; third paragraph, 1st line; and last paragraph, 3rd, 7th, 8th, and 11th lines).
9. Change “Instream and hillslope monitoring parameters, monitoring protocols, and frequency of monitoring are described in detail in pages 156 – 160 of the *Garcia River Watershed Water Quality Attainment Strategy for Sediment*, December 9, 1997.” (page 17, first full paragraph, 2nd sentence) to: “Instream and hillslope monitoring parameters, monitoring protocols, and frequency of monitoring are attached as Table 4.” Insert as Table 4, the information contained in the above citation at the end of the Monitoring Plan subsection.

10. Correct four typographic errors:

- a. On page 12, item 8., 8th line, reverse the order of the two words “soil” and “stable” to read “stable soil”;
- b. On page 13, the numbering repeats “16.” and omits “17.” Change the second “16.” to “17.”;
- c. On page 17, footnote number 8, delete the extraneous “: 1)” after the word “dividing” and before the word “the”;
- d. On page 18, section VIII. Estimated Total Cost and Potential Sources of Funding, correct the acronyms for the Conservation Reserve Program from “(FIP)” to “(CRP)”, and for the Salmon and Steelhead Restoration Program from “(SIP)” to “(SSRP)”.