

April 2, 2009 Email from: tcarlino@lamebrane.com

Subject: Cleaning up the Bay Area Waterways

I would like to comment for the upcoming discussion on standards for trash in the Bay Area waterways. I have been a contributor of photos of some of the trash hot spots to Save the Bay and I have some recent updates of one particularly bad spot that I would like to bring to your attention to graphically illustrate the seriousness of the problems. I think that viewing the photos will make it clear why I am in favor of badly needed cleanup, much higher standards and strong enforcement. The area is along the east bank of Coyote Creek north of Bailey Avenue at the north end of Coyote Valley. In more than 2 years since I first documented the site there has been no change, and it appears to me now that the extent of the trash is much greater than I had originally believed. Attached are recent photos taken on Mar 8, 2009.

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Attachments: Six Photos of Coyote Creek at Bailey Avenue







