



ANCHOR BAY WATERSHED SURVEY OF INTERESTS AND CONCERNS

Thank you for your interest in the Anchor Bay Watershed. **Your input is vital** to the development of action plans by the public agencies responsible for management of the watershed. Your survey response will help Anchor Bay watershed communities determine where priorities should be placed in their efforts to improve our water quality. Please take the time to mail or fax this survey back to us. Fax and address information is on the back page of this survey.

Help us prioritize improvements in Anchor Bay water quality.

Rank the following goals with a score of 1 to 5, with 1 being most important and 5 being the least important.

- Remove paper, trash and debris in the Bay and its tributaries to improve its appearance
- Better control soil erosion and limit sediments entering the water
- Improve habitat conditions for fish and wildlife in the water
- Minimize excessive flows that cause flooding, bank erosion and habitat loss
- Encourage investments in land along water for recreation/wildlife protection
- Expand public education about the benefits of protecting Anchor Bay
- Better control sources of fertilizer reaching Anchor Bay and the Great Lakes
- Remove sources of human waste in Anchor Bay that threaten public health
- Increase community planning to address development and protection of water quality

Are there any other goals that you feel should be included in this list? Please indicate any additional goals you would like to see added. How would you rank them from 1 (most important) to 5 (least important).

What issues concerning the management of Anchor Bay are most important to you?

What is the single most important improvement to Anchor Bay and its tributaries that you would like to see?

What types of information about the Anchor Bay Watershed interest you most? (Check as many as apply)

Water Quality ___ Bacteria levels ___
Parks and Public Recreation Areas ___ Fish and wildlife ___
How homeowners can help prevent pollution ___ How businesses can prevent pollution ___
How I can volunteer to help restore Anchor Bay ___ Other (Specify) _____

Which of the following is the best approach to keep you informed regarding the progress in developing a plan to restore Anchor Bay?

Public meetings/workshops ___ Newspaper articles ___ Cable television ___
Web page ___ Direct mailings to your home or business ___ Community newsletters ___
Other (Specify) _____

The following information is requested so that we can keep you informed on the progress of the Anchor Bay watershed planning effort. We will send you information regarding the Anchor Bay Watershed Plan and opportunities to learn more about this project. There is an Anchor Bay public meeting in the fall of 2002, where presentations will be made and public input will be encouraged.

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