



Beaver Restoration Project Proposal Form

Beaver Restoration Program

Project Proposal ID (CDFW use): _____

LANDOWNER INFORMATION

	Landowner*	Land Manager** (if applicable)
Name		
Tribe/Organization (if applicable)		
Mailing Address		
City, State, Zip		
Primary Phone		
Cell Phone		
Email		

*If proposing a collaborative project involving multiple landowners, provide the primary contact here and additional landowner information via the "Additional project information" spreadsheet.

**If applying on behalf of a landowner, provide landowner's contact information as well.

PROPERTY INFORMATION (provide the parcel number(s)/county for the property included in the project. If more than 10 parcels, use "Additional project information" spreadsheet.)

Tax APN	County

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1. Property type: Private Public

2. Primary land use:



3. Project Objectives: (please make sure to list any species this project is intended to benefit and describe any specific ecological and/or cultural goals for the project)

HABITAT CHARACTERISTICS

4. Stream gradient: What is the dominant stream gradient across the project area?
(Please attach photos)

- Mostly flat (0-2%) Moderately sloping (3-6%) Steep slope (\geq 7%)

5. Presence of deep pools: Are there multiple pools of water greater than 1 meter deep OR a large body of water present? (Please attach photos)

- Yes No

6. Valley width: What is the average width of the valley surrounding the aquatic habitat?
(Please attach photos)

- Wide (>30 meters) Moderate (20-30 meters) Narrow (<20 meters)

7. Presence of hardwoods and herbaceous foods: Describe the abundance of hardwood trees/shrubs and herbaceous plants available as a beaver food source? (For example: aspen, cottonwood, willows, cattails, bulrush, etc.)

- Abundant Some Limited to none

Describe, to the best of your ability, the vegetation species present:

8. Lodge/dam building materials: Describe the density/cover of woody dam-building material near the aquatic habitat? (\leq 10cm diameter wood)

- Abundant Some Limited to none



9. Current or historic beaver use: Are there any known beavers in the area or were beavers previously known to be present on the property? (Check all that apply)

- Not present Currently present Present in the past

10. Please include photos of what you perceive to be the best beaver habitat/location(s) currently present in the potential project area. Beaver habitat typically includes low-gradient streams, deep pools for cover, submergent and emergent vegetation, riparian hardwoods for food, woody vegetation for building material, and a wide (unconfined) valley/floodplain.

Did you include habitat photos: Yes No

POTENTIAL FOR CONFLICT

11. When following the waterway (or otherwise connected aquatic habitat), what is the distance (miles) from the middle of project area to the nearest neighboring property?

12. Have you communicated with neighboring landowners about the potential project? Yes No

If yes, please provide names and feedback:

13. Is there infrastructure present on the property, or neighboring properties, that could be affected by beaver activities and may require additional coordination or contingency planning? (For example: culverts, water control structures, etc.)

- No Yes Unsure



14. When following the waterway (or otherwise connected aquatic habitat), are there tree crops or other woody crops present within approximately five miles of the property? No Yes

15. Any other potential human-beaver conflicts that we should be aware of?

COMMENTS

Printed Name

Title (if applicable)

Signature

Date

Email signed project proposal forms, including "Additional project information" spreadsheet (if applicable), and a compressed (zipped) folder of habitat photos to: BeaverRestoration@wildlife.ca.gov

If you are unable to submit proposals electronically, please mail proposal form with photos to:

California Department of Fish and Wildlife
Attn: Beaver Restoration Program
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Sacramento, CA 94244

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