

Your submission to Clean Water

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What are your thoughts on the proposed swimming targets, for example, on the timeframes and categories?

Notes

They look like they are an improvement but are still confusing. I don't like dropping the bar on the goalposts on Ecoli from 260 to 540 cfus. It talks about applying the targets to rivers that are deep enough to swim in but no mention about rivers that used to have enough water for swimming but now don't because of over allocation for irrigation.

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What do you think about the proposed amendments to the Freshwater NPS?

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They look to be an improvement

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What are your thoughts on the proposed stock exclusion regulation, for example, the timeframes and stock types to be excluded?

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They look excessive for large beef properties. Do water races with a continuous flow need fencing off?

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Do you have any other comments on the contents of the Clean Water discussion document?

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Some good parts and some non practical parts(fencing creeks on extensive beef properties)