



Merced Wild & Scenic River New Ideas for a New Plan



From its headwaters in the high country, to Yosemite Valley, El Portal, and Wawona, a new planning effort is underway to consider how best to protect and enhance the remarkable qualities of the Merced Wild & Scenic River and its South Fork. During the early scoping period, everyone is invited to share ideas to address the following:

- Specific actions needed to protect the river
- On-the-ground site planning for Yosemite Valley, El Portal, and Wawona (including restoration, location of campgrounds, recreation opportunities, and employee housing)
- Strategies for addressing parkwide transportation and other methods for dealing with user capacities

Public Meetings

Date	Time	Location	Address
Monday, October 26	4–8 p.m.	Oakhurst	Masonic Lodge Highway 49
Tuesday, October 27	4–8 p.m.	Lee Vining	Mono Basin Visitor Center Highway 395
Wednesday, October 28	1–4 p.m.	Yosemite Valley	Auditorium—Open House
Monday, November 2	4–8 p.m.	Mariposa	Mariposa Government Center 5100 Bullion Street, 2 nd Floor
Tuesday, November 3	4–8 p.m.	Fresno	REI 7810 N. Blackstone Avenue
Wednesday, November 4	4–8 p.m.	Groveland	Groveland Community Hall
Monday, November 9	4–8 p.m.	Sacramento	Sacramento Southside Clubhouse 2051 6 th Street
Tuesday, November 10	4–8 p.m.	Berkeley	Doubletree Hotel & Executive Meeting Center Berkeley-Marina 200 Marina Boulevard
Monday, November 16	4–8 p.m.	Los Angeles	LA River Center 570 West Avenue 26
Wednesday, December 2	1–4 p.m.	Yosemite Valley	Auditorium—Open House

Through December 4, 2009, written comments may be sent to the park by email (yose_planning@nps.gov), fax (209-379-1294) or mail (Superintendent, attn: Merced River Plan, PO Box 577, Yosemite, CA 95389). For more information and meeting agenda, visit online at www.nps.gov/yose/parkmgmt/newmrrp.htm