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## Call for Posters - State of the Bay Conference

Deadline for abstract submission is April 9, 2010

Conference held May 14 & 15, 2010, Morro Bay Community Center, 1001 Kennedy Way, Morro Bay

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The State of the Bay is a free two-day event hosted by the Morro Bay National Estuary Program. The conference provides partnering agencies, local organizations and the general public with the latest news about conditions affecting the Morro Bay estuary and efforts to protect it. Presentations, panel discussions, field trips and exhibits will be accompanied by a poster session focusing on fresh water, estuarine, marine and watershed topics relevant to the estuary and/or its watershed. Submitters should be available to be present at the Friday poster session on May 14, 2010 after 5 pm.

Poster subjects should fit within one of the following categories:

- Freshwater, estuarine, or marine water quality protection
- Water conservation
- Habitat restoration and protection
- Creek restoration projects
- Sedimentation
- Rare or endangered species
- Invasive species remediation
- Impervious surfaces/Low Impact Development
- Climate Change

Poster size: 3'x5' maximum. Posters should be legible from a distance of 5'-6'.

Poster materials should include list of author(s) and should contain sections outlining methods, results and conclusion.

Students and professionals pursuing work on relevant topics are encouraged to submit an abstract for consideration. If you believe a topic is relevant to the goals of the Estuary Program and do not see it here, or have any additional questions, please contact us.

### **Abstracts must be submitted by April 9, 2010**

Abstract should state the purpose, significant results, and main conclusion of work in 250 words or less.

Forms can be found at the Estuary Program website below.

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