

Presented below are water quality standards that are in effect for Clean Water Act purposes.

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Table 2-1a. Recreational Beneficial Uses of Inland Surface Waters.

WATERSHED ^a	WBD No.	REC1	LREC-1	REC2	High Flow Suspension
MALIBU CREEK WATERSHED					
Malibu Lagoon ^c	180701040104	E		E	
Malibu Creek	180701040104	E		E	
Cold Creek	180701040104	E		E	
Las Virgenes Creek	180701040103	Em		E	
Century Reservoir	180701040104	E		E	
Malibou Lake	180701040104	E		E	
Medea Creek Reach 1 (Malibou Lake to Lindero Creek Reach 1)	180701040102	Im		I	
Medea Creek Reach 2 (above Lindero Creek Reach 1)	180701040104	Em		E	
Lindero Creek Reach 1 (Medea Creek Reach 1 to Lake Lindero)	180701040102	I		I	
Lindero Creek Reach 2 (above Lake Lindero)	180701040102	I		I	
Triunfo Creek Reach 1 (Malibou Lake to Lobo Canyon)	180701040101	Im		I	
Triunfo Creek Reach 2 (Lobo Canyon to Westlake Lake)	180701040104	Im		I	
Westlake Lake	180701040101	E		E	
Potrero Valley Creek	180701040101	I		I	
Lake Eleanor Creek	180701040101	I		I	
Lake Eleanor	180701040101	E		E	
Las Virgenes (Westlake) Reservoir	180701040101	Pk,v		E	
Hidden Valley Creek	180701040101	I		I	
Lake Sherwood	180701040101	E		E	
BALLONA CREEK WATERSHED					
Ballona Creek Estuary (ends at Centinela Creek) ^{ww}	180701040300	E		E	
Ballona Lagoon/ Venice Canals ^c	180701040403	E		E	
Ballona Wetlands ^c	180701040300	E		E	
Del Rey Lagoon ^c	180701040500	E		E	
Ballona Creek Reach 2 (Estuary to National Blvd.)	180701040300	Ps,au	E	E	Yav
Ballona Creek Reach 1 (above National Blvd.)	180701040300	Ps,au		E	Yav
LOS CERRITOS CHANNEL WATERSHED					
Los Cerritos Wetlands ^c	180701060702	E		E	
Los Cerritos Channel Estuary (Ends at Anaheim Rd.) ^c	180701060702	Es		E	
Sims Pond	180701060702	P		E	
Los Cerritos Channel (above Atherton St.)	180701060702	P		I	Yav
Los Cerritos Channel (Anaheim Rd. to Atherton St.)	180701060702	P		I	
Colorado Lagoon	180701060702	E		E	

Footnotes are consistent for all beneficial use tables.

- E: Existing beneficial use.
- P: Potential beneficial use.
- I: Intermittent beneficial use.
- E, P, and I shall be protected as required.

- a: Waterbodies are listed multiple times if they cross hydrologic area or subarea boundaries. Beneficial use designations apply to all tributaries to the indicated waterbody, if not listed separately.
- c: Coastal waterbodies which are also listed in Coastal Features Table (2-3) or in Wetlands Table (2-4).
- k: Public access to reservoir and its surrounding watershed is prohibited by Los Angeles County Department of Public Works.
- m: Access prohibited by Los Angeles County Department in the concrete-channelized areas.
- s: Access prohibited by Los Angeles County DPW.
- v: Public water supply reservoir. Owner prohibits public entry.
- w: These areas are engineered channels. All references to Tidal Prisms in Regional Board documents are functionally equivalent to estuaries.

au: The REC-1 use in the Basin Plan, or the associated bacteriological objectives set to protect those activities. However, water quality objectives set to protect other REC-1 uses associated with the fishable goal as expressed in the Federal Clean Water Act section 1010(a)(2) shall remain in effect for waters where the (au) footnote appears.

av: The High Flow Suspension only applies to water contact recreational activities associated with the swimmable goal as expressed in the federal Clean Water Act section 101(a)(2) and regulated under the REC-1 use, non-contact water recreation involving incidental water contact regulated under the REC-2 use, and the associated bacteriological objectives set to protect those activities. Water quality objectives set to protect (1) other recreational uses associated with the fishable goal as expressed in the federal Clean Water Act section 101(a)(2) and regulated under the REC-1 use and (2) other REC-2 uses (e.g., uses involving the aesthetic aspects of water) shall remain in effect at all times for waters where the (av) footnote appears.

The dividing line between "Ballona Creek" and "Ballona Creek to Estuary" is the point at which the vertical channel walls transition to sloping walls.