

Room 3000, Ferry Building  
San Francisco, California 94111  
March 11, 1965

Colonel W. Clirehugh:  
Office of the Commanding Officer  
Headquarters  
Presidio of San Francisco  
San Francisco, California 94129

Dear Colonel Clirehugh:

We appreciate your interest in desiring to work out a fish management program for the two bodies of water known as Upper and lower Rodeo Lagoon. Our ideas and suggestions are as follows:

This freshwater impoundment is characterized by its small size, relatively cold though highly productive waters, aquatic plant problems and limited shoreline access. It is better suited to trout rather than warmwater species such as bass, bluegills and catfish.

Recommended management activities:

1. Stock with catchable rainbow trout.
2. Experiment with chemical control of aquatic vegetation (We will be happy to provide technical advice.)
3. Develop and carry out a plan for improving shoreline access without destruction of aesthetic beauty of area.
4. Establish a location on the military post in Marin County where angling permits may be obtained.
5. Provide rest room facilities for public use.

This lagoon is characteristically brackish in nature and will not support fresh-water fishes. It is, however, quite rich and should provide suitable habitat for striped bass.

1. Stock with 10,000 fingerling striped bass (we will endeavor to supply the fish during May or June).

Should you desire a meeting to discuss these proposals further, we will be happy to do so. We have greatly appreciated your past cooperation in permitting public fishing use of the lagoon as well as the adjacent (sic) shoreline.

Sincerely,

Willard Greenweld  
Regional Manager  
Region 3

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RODEO LAGOON

Marin County

DATE	6/25/62	STATION A		STATION B	
TIME		3:00		3:30	
DEPTH		TEMP	D.O.	TEMP	D.O.
1		60		63	9.8
2		60	6.6	58	
4		58	4.2	57	3.8
6		57			

DATE	6/22/62	STATION A		LAKE MERCED	
TIME		11:00			
DEPTH		TEMP.	D.O.		
1		68			
2		68			
4		63	12.2		
6		68			
8		68			