



# 2014 QUAGGA & ZEBRA MUSSEL PREVENTION PROGRAM



## at LAKES NACIMIENTO AND SAN ANTONIO

- **Mandatory vessel screening and/or inspections required prior to launching**
- **Restricted launch hours in effect at public ramps**

### PROGRAM STANDARDS:

- All vessels must be CLEAN, DRAIN and DRY
- All vessel operators must complete a Vessel Screening Permit or be enrolled and complying with the provisions of the Resident Vessel Program
- All vessels must pass a screening/inspection, Vessel Screening Permits must be stamped by a certified screener\*, and stamped permits or valid Resident Vessel Certificate and Affidavit must be carried on the vessel.
- Vessels that have been on infested lakes within the past 30 days and/or fail to arrive in a CLEAN, DRAIN, and DRY condition will be required to undergo a full inspection.
- No vessels will be allowed to launch that have been on infested lakes within the past 10 days or fails inspection.
- Vessels exiting the Monterey County ramps may choose to be banded on exit. Banded vessels will complete a screening form to carry while on the lake and may not be required to undergo a screening or inspection expediting the entry process.

*\*Official STAMP: Boaters must carry a SIGNED and STAMPED Vessel Screening Permit with them while boating at Lakes Nacimiento or San Antonio. Permits are valid for up to 21 days.*

### PUBLIC LAUNCH RAMP HOURS:

**MAY to SEPTEMBER:**

**Open at 6 am -- Close at 9 pm**

**WINTER HOURS:**

**Open at 6 am -- Close 45 minutes after sunset**

During the closed times the ramps will be locked. Boats will not be able to launch or leave the water outside of these hours. Please plan accordingly.

**NOTICE:** It is unlawful (CDFG Code 2300- 2302) to possess, import, ship, or transport in the state, or place, plant, or cause to be placed or planted in any water within the state, zebra or quagga mussels.