

California Trout's Board of Governors & Gala Committee

<u>Cordially invite</u> you to

CALIFORNIA TROUT celebrates 35 years!

conserving california's great wild trout & steelhead regions

FRIDAY, MAY 5, 2006

Four Seasons Hotel, 757 Market Street, San Francisco

6 pm Cocktails & Silent Auction 8 pm Dinner & Awards 9 pm Live Auction

COCKTAIL ATTIRE

Call the Four Seasons at (415) 633-3000 by April 21 & ask for the special CalTrout guest rate

Bid on a wide array of spectacular wine, exciting getaways, premium fly fishing gear, and unique artwork. A current list of silent and live auction items can be previewed at www.caltrout.org.

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- O \$25,000 DIAMOND SPONSOR 2 Tables For 10, Premiere Full-page Program Ad, Gala Signage & Stage Recognition
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- O \$2,500 SILVER SPONSOR 6 Tickets & Quarter-page Program Ad
- O \$1,500 BRONZE SPONSOR 4 Tickets & Program Listing
- O \$500 HOST COMMITTEE 2 Tickets & Program Listing
- O \$200 INDIVIDUAL TICKETS

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$__

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Mail: Fold & return RSVP form in envelope
Fax: Fax completed form to 415.785.7851
Web: Buy tickets online WWW.CALTROUT.ORG

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO CALTROUT Tickets include cocktails, dinner & auction. The non-deductible portion of each ticket is \$60.

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CALIFORNIA TROUT

For over 35 years, California Trout (CalTrout) has been the only organization solely dedicated to protecting California's wild trout and steelhead streams. California's wild trout and steelhead habitats are the most diverse of any state in the nation and contribute vital elements to the overall health of the state's environment and economy. Based in San Francisco, the organization supports a fulltime staff of fourteen including six conservation managers who work with communities across California to protect and restore the state's most important wild trout and steelhead regions: the Eastern Sierra, the Mount Shasta-Area, the North Coast, and the South Coast. CalTrout has a membership of over 6,000 and participates in coalitions that represent more than 250,000 Californians. Learn how you can help CalTrout protect the state's wild trout and steelhead heritage by visiting www.caltrout.org today.

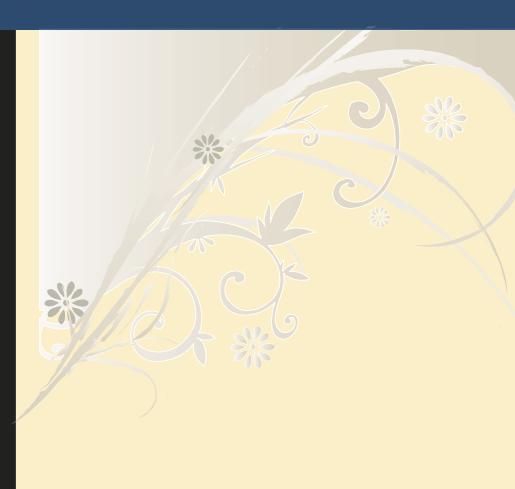
Nicholas Graves, 2006 Claude Rosenberg Jr. Award
Nicholas Graves has been an executive member of California Trout's Board since 2004 and in that time provided remarkable leadership for the organization's Board and staff while advancing California Trout's business development priorities and with it, its conservation goals. Additionally, Nick's passion for California's beautiful Eastern Sierra inspired a generous multi-year gift to establish a permanent California Trout office and conservation manager in the town of Mammoth Lakes. Because of Nick's generosity, California Trout can now effectively protect the Eastern Sierra's outstanding, but threatened, watersheds. For his exceptional contributions to wild trout and steelhead conservation through philanthropy, California Trout is proud to honor Nicholas Graves with the Claude Rosenberg Jr. Award in 2006.

All proceeds will support CalTrout's ongoing conservation efforts in California's great wild trout and steelhead regions: San Francisco Bay Area, North Coast, Mt. Shasta, Lake Tahoe, Eastern Sierra, and South Coast



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