CMER Request

Proponent: RSAG	Date : 2/10/2025			
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Project Name/Issue: Riparian Function Literature Review				
Request: RSAG requests CMER approval of the Riparian Function Literature Review and				
Annotated Bibliography				
Funding Source: AMP Budget	Urgency: High			

Request Description:

RSAG approved the Riparian Function Literature Synthesis on May 15, 2024. CMER review was initiated May 28. Comments were received by July 1 from three CMER reviewers – Jenny Knoth, A.J. Kroll, and Welles Bretherton. A general theme of the comments was concern that the document lacked some elements of synthesis. At their August meeting, CMER requested that the authors wrap up their work on the document without adding additional synthesis elements and retitle the document as a literature review/annotated bibliography. The reviewers indicated which of their comments the authors should address and the document was returned to the authors. The authors revised the literature review in response to CMER comments. At the October CMER meeting, CMER members expressed concern that details of some of the studies included in the literature review, particularly CMER studies, were not portrayed accurately. At their November meeting, CMER decided to allow until January 30, 2025 for CMER reviewers to identify and correct any factual inaccuracies. The document with corrections was returned to the authors who accepted the corrections. A track changes and clean version of the literature review are included in the CMER meeting materials.

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History and Context:					
X = Done @ = Request	Project Management Stage	Iteration #	X = Waived	Date Approved	
	Stand-Alone Literature Synthesis				
X	SAG Approval			5/15/2024	
@	CMER Approval – current request	3			