

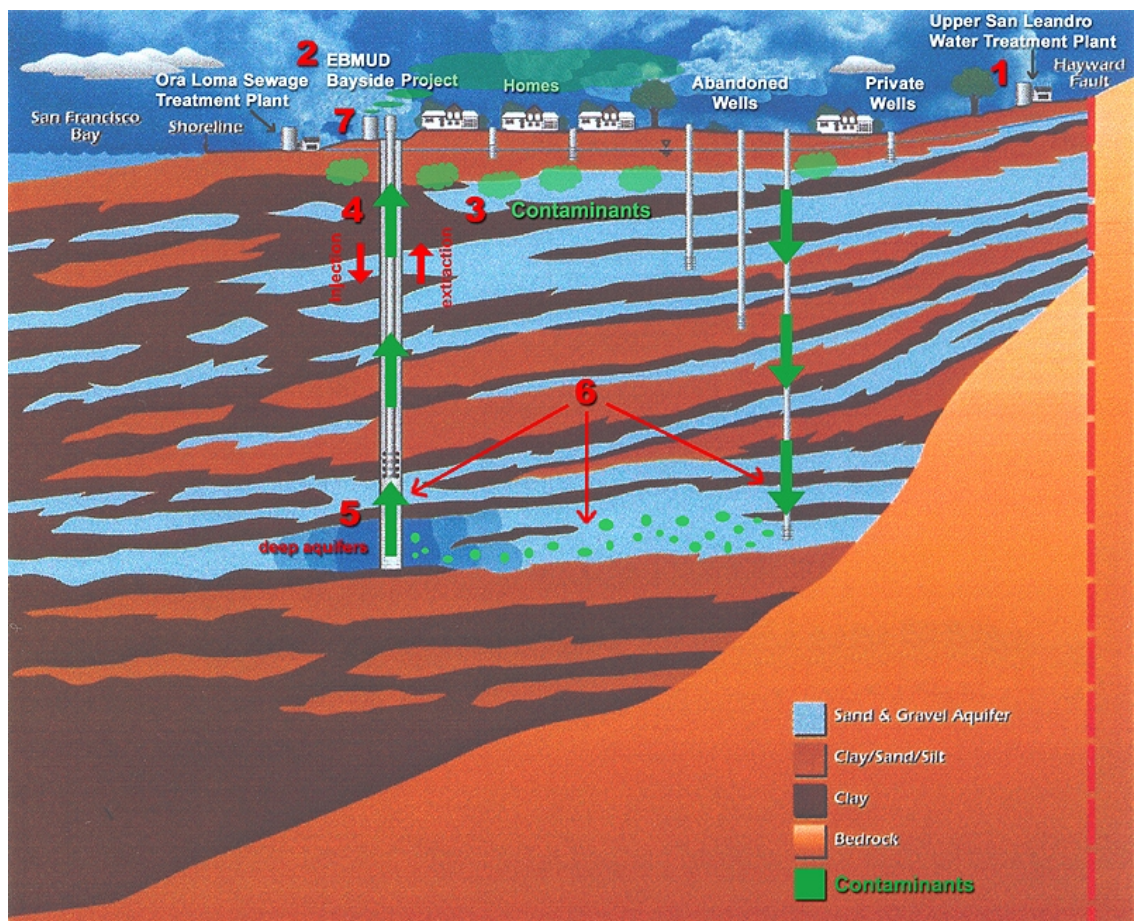
# EBMUD Bayside Groundwater Project -

## Negative Effects to San Leandro & San Lorenzo

- **Property** – Subsidence (**ground sinking**), caused by EBMUD wells, “may cause major and irreparable damage to the homes located within the (Bayside) Project”. – Confirmed by the Heron Bay Homeowners Association Independent Engineer.
- **Health** -**Air Quality**– Pollutants (chloroform, radon, etc.) from the EBMUD water treatment plant will be blown into nearby communities, schools, and businesses, who will then have increased risks of developing cancer.

-**Water Quality**– Your drinking water will come from the ground (lower quality, containing arsenic and radon), rather than from Sierra snowpack (higher quality, what we are drinking now). EBMUD also recognizes that their process of injecting water into the ground may cause abandoned wells to flow or bubble-up to the ground surface. These flowing wells may carry the known contaminants in the shallow aquifer to the ground surface, exposing residents to the hazardous contaminants (waste oils, gasoline products, MTBE, etc).

-**Treated Sewage in Your Drinking Water Supply?**- EBMUD treatment plant and wells are proposed within very close proximity to an existing Sewage Treatment Plant. Just a coincidence? Providing treated sewage as a drinking supply is now done in Southern California and the EBMUD Bayside project proposed next to a sewage treatment plant puts OUR community one step closer to drinking treated sewage water.



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