

**Fran Recht- A focus on restoration– for fish, water, flood resiliency , and carbon**



# 55 watershed councils, 45 soil and water conservation districts



**This looks like many different types of projects and work for many people**





**For every \$1M invested in restoration, 15-21 jobs created and \$1.48 M leveraged from federal \$ and other sources**



## Tidal wetland restoration – lots of work up and down the coast



## Tidal wetland restoration helps juvenile salmon and crab, oysters and other fish and wildlife



# Re-establishing marsh, scrub and swamp vegetation to capture carbon, provide habitat





## Flood reduction, sediment capture benefits



