

# The Bay Institute presents the North Bay Film Premiere of



## A Simple Question *The Story of STRAW*

**January 20, 2010 | 7 PM**

**The Marin Showcase Theatre**  
at the Marin Center  
3501 Civic Center Drive, San Rafael

Tickets are \$10 and may be  
purchased at the Marin Center Box  
Office (415.499.6800) or through  
Ticketmaster.

Questions about the event?  
Contact Sheryl Barbic  
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For more information on the film,  
visit [www.ASimpleQuestion.org](http://www.ASimpleQuestion.org)

Narrated by Peter Coyote, *A Simple Question: The Story of STRAW* is an inspiring 35-minute documentary that chronicles The Bay Institute's STRAW (Students and Teachers Restoring A Watershed) program.

In 1992, Laurette Rogers' 4th- grade class asked her what they could do to save endangered species. They decided to help save the endangered California Freshwater Shrimp by restoring creekside habitat in the local Stemple Creek watershed.

Partnering with ranchers, scientists, government agencies and schools, this remarkable effort evolved into an amazing program that has restored over 20 miles of habitat, galvanized the local community, and led to significant educational innovations that connect children and teachers with nature.

David Donnenfield and Kevin White, the Bay Area based filmmakers, and several participants in the documentary will hold a panel discussion and be available to answer questions after the film.

Come see an inspiring story of how a student-led project has transformed a watershed and a community!



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