

# CAUSES OF DEGRADATION AT RIVER NJORO WATER SHED



- ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS ALONG RIVER NJORO**
- POLLUTION
  - DEFORESTATION ALONG THE RIPARIAN ZONES
  - EROSION
  - WATER DISCHARGE/SEWAGE
  - INORGANIC FERTILIZERS FROM FARMS

Deforestation, settlements, farming and grazing, within the forests lead to degradation of the eco-systems and the water quality in the river

Construction materials and paints polluting the river

Run-off from the shops and bitc series

Farming along the river

Settlements causing encroachment to the riparian land

Farms encroaching the riparian land

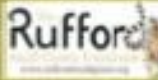
Domestic animals polluting river

Eucalyptus trees planted along the river drawing a lot of water thus reducing its volume

Sand harvesting in Barudi area

Sedimentation

LAKE NAKURU



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