

Jessica,

Below are a couple questions/concerns that came from our group which manages the dependent or County Board of Supervisor governed water districts.

- We have been promoting water conservation for some time and much of the reduction in water use came prior to 2013. So getting people to conserve more can/will be challenging. Is there any thought to rewarding or crediting agency's for conservation efforts prior to 2013? Perhaps going back further than 2013?
- In high growth areas, it appears that conservation efforts will be put on the backs of existing users. Meaning that new growth will always increase water demand so to account for this existing customers will have to conserve more (as new development will be following the most up to date water requirements). Can this be identified in the reporting process and a credit or exemption be given?

We appreciate all of your efforts and assistance.

Sincerely,

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