



**SOUTH FEATHER**  
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December 18, 2009

Ms. Victoria Whitney, Chief  
Division of Water Rights  
State Water Resources Control Board  
P.O. Box 2000  
Sacramento, CA 95812-2000

Re: Petition for Temporary Transfer of Water/Water Rights  
Permits 1267 and 2494 (Applications 1651 and 2778)


Dear Ms. Whitney:

Enclosed are the application forms and supporting documentation submitted by South Feather Water and Power Agency for a temporary water transfer of a total of 10,000 acre-feet to San Diego County Water Authority in 2010. For purposes of allocating the transferred water by permit, please assume that 5,000 acre-feet will be transferred pursuant to each of the two above referenced permits.

Enclosed are checks for the application fees, totaling \$6,997 and made payable to the State Water Resources Control Board, and for the environmental filing fee of \$850 made payable to the California Department of Fish and Game.

The applications and supporting documentation are also being sent to the Boards of Supervisors in each county potentially affected by the proposed transfer, per the attached Service List. If you require further information, please contact Kathryn Zancanella at (530) 534-1221, ext. 202 or via email at [Kzancanella@southfeather.com](mailto:Kzancanella@southfeather.com).

Sincerely,  
**South Feather Water and Power Agency**



Michael Glaze, General Manager

Enclosures

c. Attached Service List  
Kathryn Zancanella, Power Division Manager

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Vendor: SWRCB  
 Vendor No: 79490  
 Invoice Number 12-18-09  
 Date 12/18/2009  
 Vendor Acct No:  
 Description  
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Check Date: 12/18/2009  
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 P.O. Box 2000  
 Sacramento, CA 95812-2000

*Louis J. Cochran*  
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 DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS

**PETITION FOR TEMPORARY TRANSFER  
 OF WATER/WATER RIGHTS**  
*(Water Code 1725)*

Point of Diversion     Point of Rediversion     Place of Use     Purpose of Use

Application No(s). 1651    Permit No. 1267    License No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Statement or Other No. \_\_\_\_\_

***Present Holder and User of Water Right***

South Feather Water and Power Agency	Michael Glaze	530-533-4578
Person or Company name	Contact person	Telephone No.
2310 Oro-Quincy Highway	Oroville	CA
Address	City	State
Glaze@southfeather.com		95966
E-MAIL (For noticing purposes)		

***Co-petitioner***

Person or Company name	Contact person	Telephone No.
Address	City	State
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***Proposed New User***

San Diego County Water Authority	Dennis Cushman	(858) 522-6785
Person or Company name	Contact person	Telephone No.
4677 Overland Avenue	San Diego	CA
Address	City	State
DCushman@sdcwa.org		92123
E-MAIL (For noticing purposes)		

I (We) hereby petition the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) under the provisions of Water Code (WC) section 1725 et seq. and in conformance with the specific requirements of California Code of Regulations (CCR) section 794 for temporary change(s) to the water right application(s) noted above for the purpose of transferring water. The changes are **shown on the accompanying map and described as follows:**

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***Period of Transfer/Exchange*** (Not to exceed one year)

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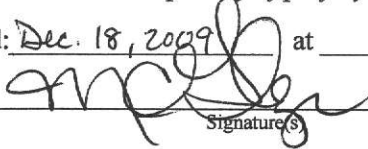


- 5b. Does the proposed use serve to preserve or enhance wetlands habitat, fish and wildlife resources, or recreation in or on the water (See WC 1707)? No  
(yes/no)
- 5c. Provide an analysis of potential effect(s) on fish, wildlife, or other instream beneficial uses which may arise from the proposed change. Releases from storage will occur in summer months, potentially cooling water temperatures slightly below what they would be absent the transfer.
- 5d. State reasons you believe the proposed temporary change will not unreasonably affect fish, wildlife, or other instream beneficial uses, see Water Code Section 1727 (b)(2). The beneficial uses of the stream include cold water habitat. Releases will be ramped up and down to prevent impacts to amphibian species.
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(yes/no)?
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*I (we) declare under penalty of perjury that the above is true and correct to the best of my (our) knowledge and belief.*

Dated: Dec. 18, 2009 at Oroville, California

  
Signature(s)

(530) 533-4578  
Telephone No.

**NOTE:** This petition shall be accompanied by all information and fees required by this form and W.C. Section 1725 et. seq, before the SWRCB will consider acceptance of the petition requesting a temporary change to facilitate a transfer/exchange.

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## **Petition for Temporary Transfer of Water/Water Rights Supplemental Information**

**Line 1b. Provide an analysis which provides documentation that the amount of water to be transferred/exchanged would have been consumptively used or stored in the absence of the proposed temporary change.**

South Feather Water and Power Agency (SFWPA) proposes to transfer 10,000 acre-feet of water that would otherwise remain in storage in Little Grass Valley and Sly Creek reservoirs. This water will be transferred to Lake Oroville, managed by the Department of Water Resources (DWR) for release to San Diego County Water Authority via the State Water Project facilities. This water will be used to generate up to eighteen hours per day at SFWPA's Sly Creek, Woodleaf and Forbestown powerhouses and then spilled at Ponderosa Dam on the South Fork Feather River to Lake Oroville, where it will be used to generate power at the Hyatt Powerplant and/or Thermalito Powerplant before being released to the Feather River.

Each year, PG&E, the purchaser of power from SFWPA's South Feather Power Project, provides a forecast of generation and reservoir operations. During a typical year, Little Grass Valley and Sly Creek reservoirs are filled by the end of May with runoff from snow melt and rainfall, and are then gradually drawn down throughout the summer to provide instream aquatic habitat, consumptive water supply and power generation, while maintaining sufficient water surface levels for recreation purposes. The end of year storage (on or before December 31) in Little Grass Valley Reservoir is typically 45,000 – 50,000 AF, and the storage in Sly Creek Reservoir is 10,000-15,000 AF, for a combined end of year storage total of about 60,000 AF.

To facilitate the temporary transfer, 10,000 AF in excess of typical operations will be drawn from Little Grass Valley and Sly Creek in June-September, while still meeting criteria for providing reservoir recreation, and delivered through the South Fork Feather River facilities to Ponderosa Dam where the water will be spilled to Lake Oroville. The reservoirs will then continue to be drawn down after the recreation season ends to an end of year combined storage of 50,000 AF. Absent the temporary transfer, the reservoirs would be operated to achieve the end of year combined storage of 60,000 AF.

There will be no change or impact to SFWPA's irrigation or domestic deliveries as a result of this transfer. DWR and SFWPA will agree to establish refill criteria that mitigate any potential impact to the State Water Project as a result of SFWPA refilling its reservoirs following the transfer.

## ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION FOR PETITIONS

(THIS IS NOT A CEQA DOCUMENT)

APPLICATION NO. 1651 & 2778 PERMIT NO. 1267 & 2492 LICENSE NO.

The following information will aid in the environmental review of your change petition as required by the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). IN ORDER FOR YOUR CHANGE PETITION TO BE ACCEPTED AS COMPLETED, ANSWERS TO THE QUESTIONS LISTED BELOW MUST BE COMPLETED TO THE BEST OF YOUR ABILITY. Failure to answer all questions may result in your change petition being returned to you, causing delays in processing. If you need more space, attach additional sheets. Additional information may be required from you to amplify further or clarify the information requested in this form.

### DISCRIPTION OF CHANGES TO PROJECT

1. Provide a description of the proposed changes to your project, including but not limited to, type of construction activity, structures existing or to be built, area to be graded or excavated, changes in land use, and project operational changes, including changes in how the water will be used. South Feather Water and Power Agency proposes to transfer 10,000 acre-feet from storage in its reservoirs to Lake Oroville for use by San Diego County Water Authority. The water will be drawn from storage in Little Grass Valley and Sly Creek reservoirs during May-December, passed through South Feather's Sly Creek, Woodleaf and Forbestown powerhouses, and then spilled at Ponderosa Dam to Lake Oroville. Water will be released from Lake Oroville to San Diego County WA for use in its service area or in the MWD service area or will be placed in groundwater storage in Kern County. The reduction in storage levels in Little Grass Valley and Sly Creek reservoirs, and the resulting flows in the South Fork Feather River are well within the operating limitations of the South Feather Power Project, and will have no adverse impact on water supply to South Feather's customers.

GOVERNMENTAL REQUIREMENTS

Before a final decision can be made on your change petition, we must consider the information contained in an environmental document prepared in compliance with the requirements of CEQA. If an environmental document has been prepared for your proposed changes by another agency, we must consider it. If one has not been prepared, a determination must be made as to who is responsible for the preparation of the environmental document for your change petition. The following questions are designed to aid us in that determination.

2. Contact your county planning or public works department for the following information:
  - a. Person contacted \_\_\_\_\_ Date of contact \_\_\_\_\_  
Department \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Assessor's Parcel No. Not applicable \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. County Zoning Designation \_\_\_\_\_
  - d. Are any county permits required for your proposed changes? No \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes, check appropriate space below:  
\_\_\_\_\_ Grading Permit, \_\_\_\_\_ Use Permit, \_\_\_\_\_ Watercourse  
Obstruction Permit, \_\_\_\_\_ Change of Zoning, \_\_\_\_\_ General Plan  
Change, Other (explain):  
\_\_\_\_\_
  - e. Have you obtained any of the required permits described above? \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes, provide a complete copy of each permit obtained.
  
3. Are any additional state or federal permits required for your proposed changes? No (i.e., from Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, U.S. Forest Service, Bureau of Land Management, Soil Conservation Service, Department of Water Resources (Division of Safety of Dams), Reclamation Board, Coastal Commission, State Lands Commission, etc.) For each agency from which a permit is required provide the following information:  
  
Permit type \_\_\_\_\_  
Person (s) contacted \_\_\_\_\_ Agency \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of contact \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_
  
4. Has any public agency prepared an environmental document for any aspect of your proposed changes? No \_\_\_\_\_

If so, please submit a copy of the latest environmental document (s) prepared, including a copy of the notice of determination adopted by the public agency. If not, explain below whether you expect that a public agency other than the State Water Resources Control Board will be preparing an environmental document for your change petition or whether the applicant, if it is a California public agency, will be preparing the environmental document for your change petition:

Temporary changes under Water Code sections 1725. et seq. are exempt from the requirements of CEQA pursuant to Water Code Section 1729. The SWRCB must consider potential impacts to other legal users and to fish, wildlife or other instream beneficial uses.

Note: When completed, please submit a copy of the final environmental document (including notice of determination) or notice of exemption to the State Water Resources Control Board. Processing of your change petition cannot proceed until such documents are submitted.

5. Will your proposed changes, during construction or operation, generate waste or wastewater containing such things as sewage, industrial chemicals, metals, or agricultural chemicals, or cause erosion, turbidity or sedimentation? No If so, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

If yes or you are unsure of your answer, contact your local Regional Water Quality Control Board for the following information (See attachment for address and telephone number):

Will a waste discharge permit be required for your petition? No

Person contacted \_\_\_\_\_ Date of contact \_\_\_\_\_

What method of treatment and disposal will be used? \_\_\_\_\_

6. Have any archeological reports been prepared on this project, or will you be preparing an archeological report to satisfy another public agency? None required

Do you know of any archeological or historic sites located within the general project area?

\_\_\_\_\_ If so, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

### ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

7. Attach **THREE COMPLETE SETS** of color photographs, clearly dated and labeled, showing the vegetation currently existing at the following locations:

- a. Along the stream channel immediately downstream from the proposed point(s) of diversion
- b. Along the stream channel immediately upstream from the proposed point(s) of diversion
- c. At the place(s) where the water is to be used

Note: It is very important that you submit no less than three complete sets of photographs as required above. If less than three sets are submitted, processing of your change petition will be delayed until you furnish the remaining sets!

8. From the list given below, mark or circle the general plant community types which best describe those which occur within you project area (Note: See footnote denoted by \* under Question 11 below):

Tree Dominated Communities

- Subalpine Conifer
- Red Fir
- Lodgepole Pine
- Mixed Conifer
  - Sierran Mixed Conifer
  - White Fir
  - Klamath Mixed Conifer
- Douglas-Fir
- Jeffrey Pine
- Ponderosa Pine
- Eastside Pine
- Redwood
- Pinyon-Juniper
- Juniper
- Aspen
- Closed-Cone Pine-Cypress
- Montane Hardwood-Conifer
- Montane Hardwood
- Valley Foothill Hardwood
  - Blue Oak Woodland
  - Valley Oak Woodland
  - Coastal Oak Woodland
- Valley Foothill Hardwood-Conifer
- Blue Oak-Digger Pine
- Eucalyptus
- Montane Riparian
- Valley Foothill Riparian
- Desert Riparian
- Palm Oasis
- Joshua Tree

Shrub Dominated Communities

- Alpine Dwarf-Shrub
- Low Sage
- Bitterbrush
- Sagebrush
- Montane Chaparral
- Mixed Chaparral
- Chamise-Redshank Chaparral
- Coastal Scrub
- Desert Succulent Shrub
- Desert Wash
- Desert Scrub
- Alkali Desert Scrub

Herbaceous Dominated Communities

- Annual Grassland
- Perennial Grassland
- Wet Meadow
- Fresh Emergent Wetland
- Saline Emergent Wetland
- Pasture

Aquatic Communities

- Riverine
- Lacustrine
- Estuarine
- Marine

Developed Communities

- Cropland
- Orchard-Vineyard
- Urban

Literature source: Mayer, K.E., and W.F. Laudenslayer, Jr., (eds). 1988. A Guide to Wildlife Habitats of California. California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, Sacramento. 166 pp. (Note: You may view a copy of this document at our public counter at the address given

at the top of this form or you may purchase a copy by calling the California Department of Fish and Game, Wildlife Habitat Relationships (WHR) Program at (916) 653-7203).

9. Provide below an estimate of the type, number, and size (trunk/stem diameter at chest height) of trees and large shrubs that are planned to be removed or destroyed due to implementation of the proposed changes. Consider all aspects of your change petition, including changes in diversion structures, water distribution and use facilities, and changes in the place of use due to additional water development.

None - existing diversions will be utilized.

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FISH AND WILDLIFE CONCERNS

10. Identify the typical species of fish which occur in the source(s) from which you propose to divert water and discuss whether or not any of these fish species or their habitat has been or would be affected by your proposed changes. (Note: See footnote denoted by \* under Question 11 below):

Rainbow trout, brown trout. Neither of these species or their habitat will be affected by the proposed changes.

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11. Identify the typical species of riparian and terrestrial wildlife in the area and discuss whether or not any of these species and/or their habitat has been or would be affected by your proposed changes through construction of additional water diversion and distribution works and/or changes in land use in the place of water use. (Note: See footnote denoted by \* below):

Deer, coyote, squirrels, upland game species. No changes in diversion facilities or land use are proposed, and area species and habitat will not be affected.

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**\*Note:** The purposes of Question 10 and 11 are to provide a preliminary assessment of the presence of typical plant and animal species in the area and whether these species might be affected by your proposed changes. Detailed site surveys to quantify populations of specific species or determine the presence of rare or endangered species may be required at a later date. It is very important that you answer these questions accurately. If you are unable to obtain appropriate answers from your local California Department of Fish and Game biologists (See attachment for address and telephone number) or you do not have adequate information or expertise to complete your answers, you should hire a fishery consultant and/or a wildlife consultant to review your project and prepare suitable answers for you. For information on available qualified fishery or wildlife consultants near you, consult your local telephone directory yellow pages under Environmental and Ecological Services, or call the California Environmental Protection Agency, Registered Environmental Assessor (REA) Program, at (916) 324-6881 or the University of California, Cooperative Extension Service (See your local telephone directory white pages).

12. Do your proposed changes involve any construction or grading-related activity which has significantly altered or would significantly alter the bed or bank of any stream or lake? **NO**  
If so, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

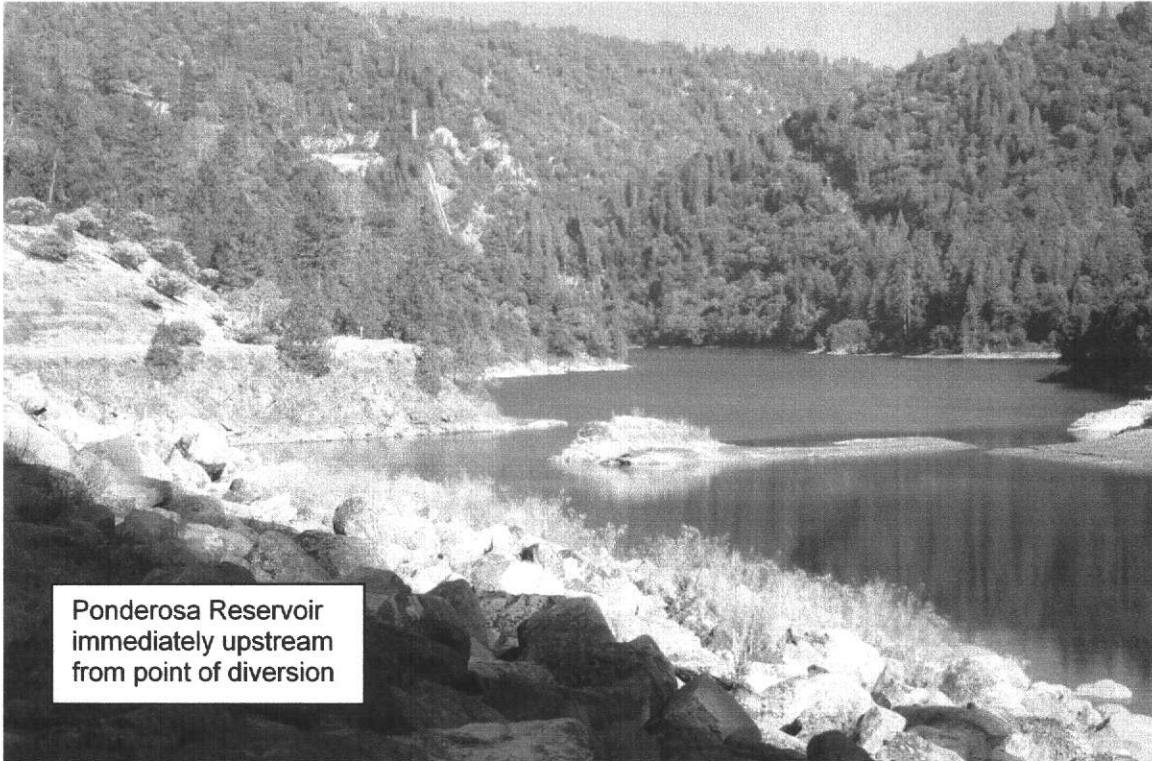
CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the statements I have furnished above and in the attached exhibits are complete to the best of my ability, and that the facts, statements, and information presented are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

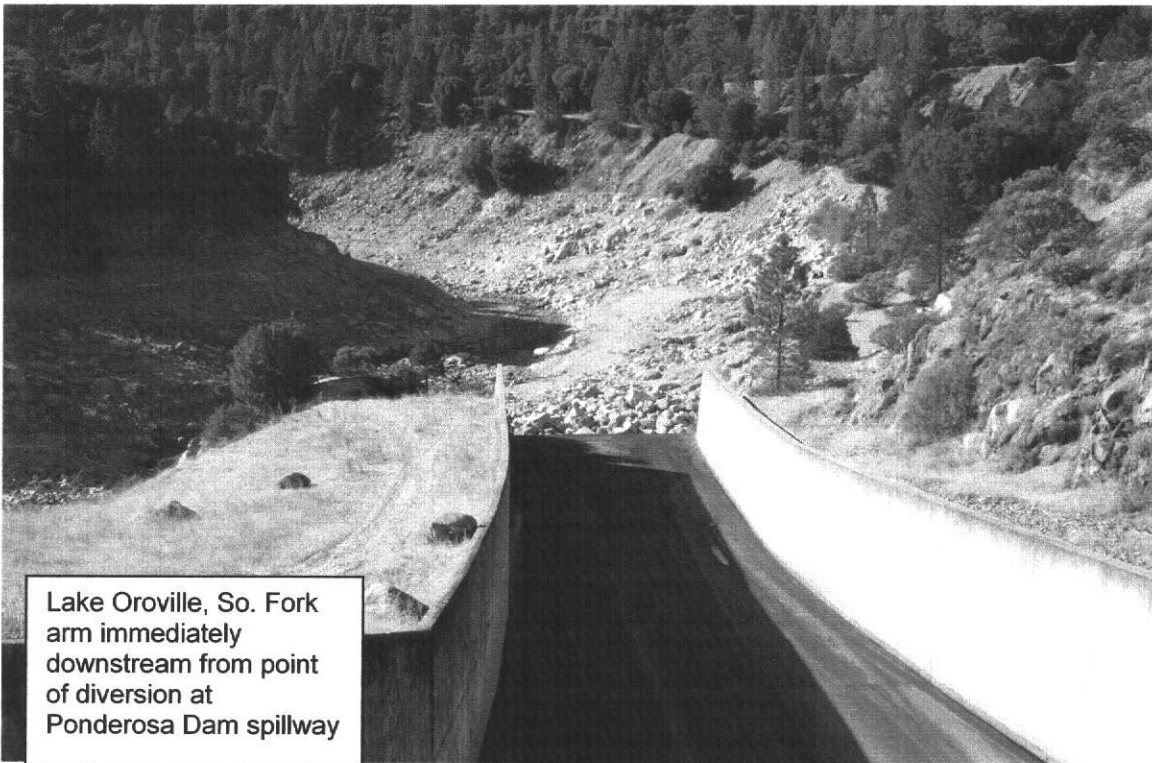
Date Dec. 17, 2009 Signature 



**Environmental Information for Petitions  
Environmental Setting – Photographs**

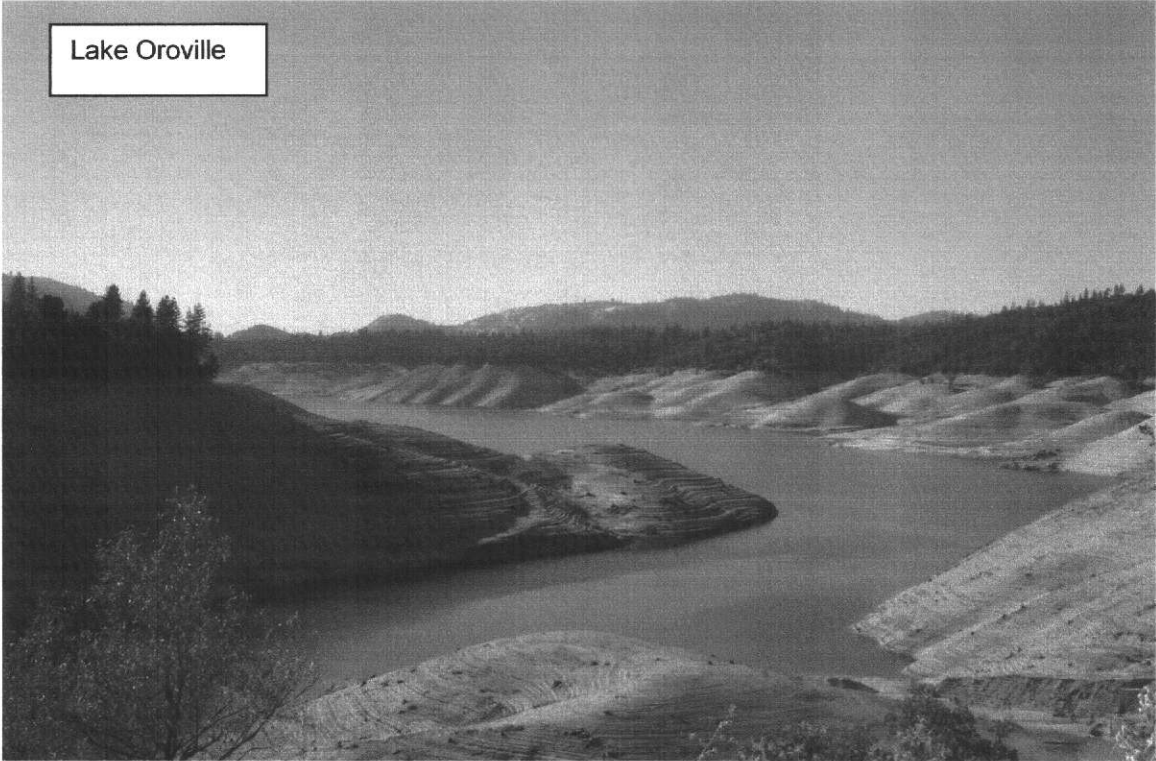


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Lake Oroville, So. Fork  
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downstream from point  
of diversion at  
Ponderosa Dam spillway

Lake Oroville




The 10,000 acre-feet transferred will be placed in Lake Oroville for release to the Feather River and to the points of diversion on the State Water Project for San Diego County Water Authority. The place of use will include San Vicente Reservoir, shown below.



**PROOF OF SERVICE STATEMENT**

I, Kathryn Zancanella, do certify that the attached  
PETITION FOR TEMPORARY TRANSFER OF WATER/WATER RIGHTS,  
UNDER PERMITS 1267 AND 2494 (APPLICATIONS 1651 AND 2778)  
was mailed on December 21, 2009 to the parties listed below.

Dated Dec 21, 2009  
Forbestown, California  
Signature 

State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Water Rights  
California Dept. of Fish and Game, North Central Region  
Regional Water Quality Control Board  
San Diego County Water Authority  
County of Butte, Board of Supervisors  
County of San Diego, Board of Supervisors  
County of Plumas, Board of Supervisors  
County of Yuba, Board of Supervisors  
County of Kern, Board of Supervisors  
County of Los Angeles, Board of Supervisors  
County of Orange, Board of Supervisors  
County of Riverside, Board of Supervisors  
County of San Bernardino, Board of Supervisors  
County of Ventura, Board of Supervisors