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To the CA State Waterboard,

I would like to comment on the proposed enforcement policy. I support the elimination of environmental polluters and growers who deliberately damage our watercourses. However, it seems that as time goes by, and cannabis farming is more regulated, those growers will naturally be eliminated without the need for a separate arm of enforcement that will cost taxpayers, and especially legal cannabis farmers, more money.

Instead, I suggest that all efforts and funds be directed to ensure that water storage for all sectors of the population, especially in rural and agricultural areas, be made more affordable and accessible. Use funds to offer grants, subsidies, and tax breaks for purchasing tanks.

If enforcement is needed, direct it towards petrochemical agribusinesses who are destroying the waters of our state without any repercussions.

As a taxpayer, small farmer and owner of 3 registered water rights and filing 3 annual water reports, I do not want to see more enforcement, but encouragement and support.

Sincerely, Katherine Wolman