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Re: Auburn Dam Proposed Revocation Hearing

Dear Ms. McCue:

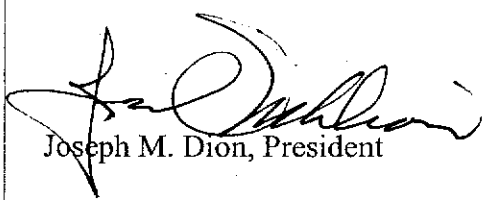
Citrus Heights Water District, serving a population of 66,000 in portions of five communities in northeast Sacramento and south Placer Counties, is a subcontractor via the San Juan Water District for Federal water through the United States Bureau of Reclamation. The District is in support of the authorized Auburn Dam Project and we respectfully encourage you to not revoke water rights permits 16209, 16210, 16211 and 16212 associated with the Project.

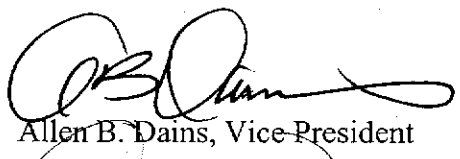
Furthermore, this District is in support of the Policy Statement of San Juan Water District sent to you on June 30, 2008. We trust that you will carefully consider this Policy Statement in your deliberations.

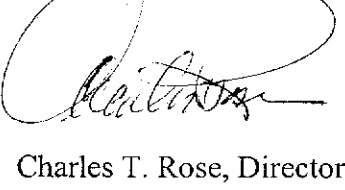
Water rights permits such as those associated with this authorized project are similar in scope as important components of this region's and state's water supply along with improved water use efficiency and the utilization of alternative groundwater and reclaimed water supplies.

Now is not the time to forego this opportunity for the future.

Sincerely,


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