



Board Members,

I urge you not to increase water exports out of the Tuolumne, Stanislaus, and Merced rivers. Your proposed action has the potential to devastate 210,000 acres of farmland in San Joaquin, Stanislaus and Merced counties, while increasing our water and electricity rates. We will certainly lose a larger percentage of the Valley's water for generations to come.

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