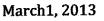
Public Hearing (3/20/13) Bay-Delta Plan SED Deadline: 3/29/13 by 12 noon





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Re: Comment Letter - Bay Delta Plan SED

Dear Clerk of the Board and Honorable Board Members,

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this important issue.

Please establish the unimpaired San Joaquin River inflow at 60%, the percent required to adequately support native fish species and their habitats.

I submit that this inflow rate is achievable and will not harm our vital agricultural industry if two measures are promptly taken:

First, the establishment of a state loan program with a low interest rate, perhaps 1%, to encourage farmers to procure the most advanced, least wasteful irrigation systems available;

Second, encourage agriculture to switch to less water-intensive crops.

Sincerely,

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