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Sent: Friday, October 31, 2014 8:50 AM
To: Mrowka, Kathy@Waterboards
Cc: Grober, Les@Waterboards; Evoy, Barbara@Waterboards; Trgovcich, Caren@Waterboards; Howard, Tom
Subject: FW: Sacramento- San Joaquin River Curtailment Lifting
Attachments: image001.png; image002.jpg

Kathy,

Tom has given ok for sending this notice. Use the notice below since Caren made minor edits and post it.

From: Trgovcich, Caren@Waterboards
Sent: Friday, October 31, 2014 7:52 AM
To: O'Hagan, John@Waterboards
Subject: RE: Sacramento- San Joaquin River Curtailment Lifting

John – if the notice has not gone, I fixed a couple of typos.

SUBJECT: NOTICE OF TEMPORARY OPPORTUNITY TO DIVERT WATER UNDER PREVIOUSLY CURTAILED WATER RIGHTS FOR SACRAMENTO AND SAN JOAQUIN WATERSHEDS

The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) has temporarily lifted the water rights curtailment for post-1914 water rights in the Sacramento and San Joaquin River watersheds for Friday October 31st and continuing to **7 AM on Monday, November 3rd**. The temporary lifting of curtailments is based on a predicted rain event. Unless otherwise directed in a future lyris notification, all curtailed water rights in the Sacramento and San Joaquin watersheds must cease diversions at **7 AM on Monday November 3rd**. All diversions during this time period must be in accordance with the State Water Board's October 3, 2014 letter and lyris notification.

During this diversion opportunity, you must comply with all terms and conditions of your water right, especially the season of diversion and bypass conditions. This notice also does not relieve you of yourr responsibility to comply with other curtailments, like Term 91 Curtailment and Curtailment Orders for Deer Creek. You should keep a record of your diversions since such diversions are still subject to prior rights. Any diversion in violation of the terms and conditions or of these notices is subject to enforcement.

The State Water Board will be monitoring weather forecasts and stream gages to determine if the temporary diversion opportunity should continue. Please monitor your email and our website for further updates on when diversions are authorized, and when curtailments are in place. If a lyris notice is issued on the weekend, the website will not be updated until the following Monday due to service limitations. Although curtailments may be lifted on a seasonal basis once weather events allow such action, the current authorization to divert is based on limited duration storm events in the identified watersheds.

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Tom,

Based on DWR/NOAA Guidance Plots, I recommend sending the Sacramento-San Joaquin Notice now and letting it last through Monday at 7 am. Here is what we are seeing although these were from yesterday (Green is forecast and guidance is pink (more uncertainty)):

Sacramento

The flows in the Sacramento at Bend Bridge shows increases from today through Monday, the 3rd at 7:00 AM (http://cdec.water.ca.gov/guidance_plots/BND_gp.html.)

The flow at Verona, show up a day later. (http://cdec.water.ca.gov/guidance_plots/VON_gp.html.)

Middle Fork Feather, shows a smaller response ending on the 3rd. http://cdec.water.ca.gov/guidance_plots/MFP_gp.html.

Bear River were elevated from last storm but will increase with this storm. http://cdec.water.ca.gov/guidance_plots/BRW_gp.html.

San Joaquin:

Cosumnes flows increasing today through Monday. http://cdec.water.ca.gov/guidance_plots/MHB_gp.html.

San Joaquin at Vernalis shows a slight delayed increase flow responses but through the 3rd. http://cdec.water.ca.gov/guidance_plots/VNS_gp.html.

Tuolumne River at Modesto shows small increase ending the 3rd. http://cdec.water.ca.gov/guidance_plots/MOD_gp.html.

Merced River at Yosemite shows large increase today and beyond Nov 4th. http://cdec.water.ca.gov/guidance_plots/POH_gp.html.

San Joaquin at Mossdale Bridge shows minor increase on Nov. 2nd. http://cdec.water.ca.gov/guidance_plots/MSD_gp.html.

Here is the proposed notice:

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