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Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2015 1:38 PM
To: O'Hagan, John@Waterboards
Cc: Mrowka, Kathy@Waterboards
Subject: FW: Lifting of Curtailments
Attachments: image001.png; image002.jpg; American To Sacramento Pre-14 Release Evaluation 2015-09-16.pdf; Feather To Sacramento Pre-14 Release Evaluation 2015-09-16.pdf; Sacramento + Proportional Delta PRE-14 Release Evaluation 2015-09-16.pdf; Yuba To Feather Pre-14 Release Evaluation 2015-09-16.pdf

Here are the graphs Jeff prepared yesterday afternoon. On the Sacramento + proportional Delta graph, ignoring the recent five-day FNF data that is subject to revision, if you project the FNF supply into September, the lifting of all pre-1914s is supported with the reduced total senior demand as provided by the monthly informational order estimates.

While you could use the recent FNF data to justify release without the reduced demands, especially since Bend Bridge and Oroville are not often revised downwards, stating that we are using the monthly informational order demands would be good PR as well.

Brian

From: Trgovcich, Caren@Waterboards
Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2015 1:28 PM
To: Moran, Timothy@Waterboards; O'Hagan, John@Waterboards; Coats, Brian@Waterboards; Mrowka, Kathy@Waterboards; Evoy, Barbara@Waterboards
Cc: Yeazell, Jeffrey@Waterboards; Grober, Les@Waterboards
Subject: RE: Lifting of Curtailments

Tim – check the shorter version of the title that I sent earlier and see if that works for you. In the 3rd paragraph of the release, I suggest deleting the last sentence. While projections were provided in response to the informational order, it is my understanding that the projections are not what is being relied upon for this decision. John will correct me if this is wrong.

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From: Moran, Timothy@Waterboards
Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2015 1:22 PM
To: O'Hagan, John@Waterboards; Coats, Brian@Waterboards; Mrowka, Kathy@Waterboards; Trgovcich, Caren@Waterboards; Evoy, Barbara@Waterboards
Cc: Yeazell, Jeffrey@Waterboards; Grober, Les@Waterboards
Subject: RE: Lifting of Curtailments

Here is the press release with language added in the first few graphs to address Alex's concerns. I kept the "should."

From: O'Hagan, John@Waterboards
Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2015 12:58 PM
To: Coats, Brian@Waterboards; Mrowka, Kathy@Waterboards; Moran, Timothy@Waterboards; Trgovcich,

Caren@Waterboards; Evoy, Barbara@Waterboards
Cc: Yeazell, Jeffrey@Waterboards; Grober, Les@Waterboards
Subject: RE: Lifting of Curtailments

Because of the Notice issue and it not being an order, we should leave "should".

I spoke with Paul F. of Bureau and informed him of the lifting. Trying to connect with DWR.

From: Coats, Brian@Waterboards
Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2015 12:30 PM
To: O'Hagan, John@Waterboards; Mrowka, Kathy@Waterboards; Moran, Timothy@Waterboards; Trgovcich, Caren@Waterboards; Evoy, Barbara@Waterboards
Cc: Yeazell, Jeffrey@Waterboards
Subject: RE: Lifting of Curtailments

Attached is the list. I am having Jeff work on a map of the released area to attach as page 6 as I know people will ask for it due to the Yuba and American River exclusions.

Total number of statements: 238
Total number of unique holders: 88

Suggested edit to the press release to address the use of the word "should"

Background

California water rights law is based on seniority. In dry years, when there isn't enough water in the system to serve all water right holders, those with more junior rights should stop diverting water from rivers and streams so the available water can be used by more senior right holders.

California water rights law is based on seniority. In dry years, when there isn't enough water in the system to serve all water right holders, those with more junior rights may be notified that water is not available at their priority of right due to senior priority water right demand.

Brian

From: O'Hagan, John@Waterboards
Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2015 12:09 PM
To: Mrowka, Kathy@Waterboards; Coats, Brian@Waterboards; Moran, Timothy@Waterboards; Trgovcich, Caren@Waterboards; Evoy, Barbara@Waterboards
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Attached are the lyrics and press release. I edited the lyrics to make it consistent as possible with Caren's last edits to press release. Brian we need the attached list of water rights and owners being lifted.

From: Mrowka, Kathy@Waterboards
Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2015 9:32 AM
To: O'Hagan, John@Waterboards
Subject: Lifting of Curtailments

Caren had provided edited versions of both the press release and the lyrics. See attached.