Jane Farwell - Cachuma Revised EIR Comments

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Subject: Cachuma Revised EIR Comments

Ms. Jane Farwell,

RE: Second Revised Draft EIR in Connection with Bureau of Reclamation Permits 11331 and 11332

Comments:

- 1. The amount of time allowed for review and submittal of comments on this EIR was inadequate.
- 2. A large portion of the plan is based upon the premise that there is an endangered steelhead species in our local watershed. This premise has not been properly documented (in fact there is evidence to the contrary) but the bureaucracies who want to spend millions of dollars on bridges et al to allow nonexistent fish to swim unimpeded continue to propagate this myth.
- 3. I do not believe that the inherent rights of property owners in our area are considered in proper proportion to the rights of these nonexistent fish.

In Summary: The entire plan should be scrapped and some realistic plans generated that put people first!

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