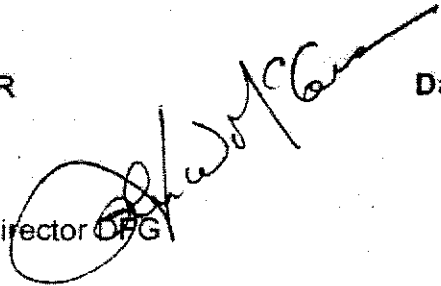


**M e m o r a n d u m**

**To:** Lester Snow, Director DWR **Date:** November 1, 2007

**From:** John McCamman, Acting Director DFG 

**Subject:** **DFG Support of Yuba Accord Water Purchase Agreement**

As you know, DFG supports the Yuba Accord and has been an active participant throughout the process that led to the Lower Yuba River Fisheries Agreement. As signatory to the Fisheries Agreement, we plan to actively participate on the River Management Team established as part of the Agreement.

We support the implementation of the Water Purchase Agreement between YCWA and DWR as the financial element helping to make the Yuba Accord a success. Therefore, just as DFG supported the 2006 and 2007 pilot programs testing the Yuba Accord actions, DFG supports the long-term implementation of the Accord, which includes the Water Purchase Agreement between DWR and YCWA. This will be an element of the Policy Statement we plan to present before the State Water Resources Control Board at their scheduled December 5, 2007 hearing.

If you have any questions, feel free to give me a call at (916) 653-7667.

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