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**From:** Patricia Cahoon <patricia.cahoon@yahoo.com>  
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**Subject:** Save Lake Almanor and Butt Reservoir

Being a resident of Chester, CA, I am strongly opposed to the Water Board staff recommendation in the Draft EIR. In removing the cold water from Lake Almanor and Butt Reservoir to try to improve the cold water temperature in the Feather River downstream, why would we risk damaging two lakes that are known for some of the best Northern California trout fishing and small mouth bass fishing. It makes more sense to build a cold water tower downstream to cool the water, than it does to spend millions of dollars to put in thermal curtains and destroy the habitat in the lakes. PG&E can supply the electricity to the cold water plant from all the power stations on the Feather River. Please do not go forward with the recommendation. Thank you.

David Cahoon