

## **Barnes, Peter@Waterboards**

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**From:** Lisa Williams <lisa@doradoinn.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, March 20, 2015 11:08 AM  
**To:** Barnes, Peter@Waterboards  
**Subject:** Save Lake Almanor

Dear Peter,

As a resort owner on Lake Almanor, I have been, and continue to be deeply concerned about the proposed Thermal Curtain.

Since 90% of our guests fish, raising the temperature would greatly impact our lake, reducing fishing, which in turn will reduce most of my business as well as many others.

Our local towns are dying and it's challenging to get people up here anyways, but if approved and the fishing decreases, we will loose substantial income and potentially risk closing our business.

Look at Clear Lake and the mess they are in. I'd hate to see an increase in algae blooms. A reduction in cold water fish will have a great impact on all of us, ecology wise, not just for the fish but, other animals that feed on them besides humans. and yes, financially.

So to say there is "no significant impact" is in my mind, crazy.

What part of this plan protects those of us that are at a greater loss of losing our income if this passes?

Has any one prepared cost analysis to show the over all impact of what's being proposed? What is the most current data, Eco science, and analysis being used?

Lake Almanor has a small percentage of cold water already, please don't take any of it away.

Based on information I've learned over the years I strongly oppose any Thermal Curtain consideration or the water board's staff recommendations in the draft EIR.

This will damage Lake Almanor, having a greater negative impact on businesses, communities, and Eco systems.

Please fight to stop this. Please hear our voices.

Thank you for reading my concerns. If I've been misinformed all these years, then I'd appreciate a response. Other wise please stop the Thermal curtain from being built and taking our cold water away.

Thank you,  
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