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Dear Mr. Barnes,

I would like to express my concerns re: the thermal curtain proposal for Lake Almansor. I live in Prattville on the west shore - adjacent to Wilson's fish camp. In past years, during extremely hot summers, I have witnessed development of algae - especially to the north of us in the shallows. It eventually moves south and blooms along the west shore. Water currents developed by the Butte Lake intake help create the movement of the algae.

Your proposal to re-move the cold water from our lake to reduce the Feather River temperatures downstream

in order to benefit a few  
will be detrimental to  
our lake and destroy our  
already struggling  
communities. It will  
also have a disastrous  
economic impact on our  
way of life. It will ruin  
the tourism and rec-  
reational assets people  
enjoy - not to mention  
the financial losses  
to the communities  
near and around our  
lake.

Sincerely,  
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Art Blankenship

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