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Dear Mr. Snow:

We need water conservation. Continually our culture squanders water, energy and other things. There is no discipline or self control exhibited. We have continually damaged a limited resource — our environment — to satisfy the making of money at the expense of harming our surroundings.

GOOD CAL FED PROPO-SALS →

1: Expand water efficiency in usage. Stretch the existing water supplies and programs about conservation and reclamation.

2: Calfed's proposed restoration goals for Central Valley streams, flood plain management and stream habitat are good. I urge they be sought. The meander of streams, water flow and temperature thoughts are good. We need restoration of all endangered

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and threatened species. Care needs to be taken of sensitive species and natural conditions. Avoid any encroachment of these goals. Restoration is necessary to lessen the damage being caused by present water facilities.

BAD CALFED PROPOSALS

3. I am opposed to ~~the~~ Calfed's proposals as follows: Any activity ~~that~~ (alternatives) that require construction of new or enlarged dams or canals, including the Peripheral Canal and an enlarged Shasta Dam. We have dammed enough. No more dams — start taking them out. No dam on the N Fork of the American — no Auburn Dam.

4. I am opposed to the proposed restoration objectives for upper watershed forest management and delta hydraulics. Increased logging is bad — bad — bad.

In summary wild fire ~~the~~ threat is natural. In any event, logging will not reduce it. More dams and diversions will not resolve the Delta flow problems.

Warmest personal regards.

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