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Dear Executive Director Snow:

I urge you to ensure that CalFed puts forth and selects a new "Smart Alternative" based on conservation and restoration to provide reliable, high-quality water for California's people and wildlife. The "Smart Alternative" would ensure strong conservation programs and economic incentives to use our water more efficiently. It would also maximize water efficiency before even considering costly new dams and reservoirs or a Peripheral Canal and it would restore and protect our watersheds and groundwater basins. Finally, it would restore California's fish, birds, wetlands, rivers, delta and bays.

Please enter these comments into the formal record for your Draft Programmatic Environmental Impact Report and Statement.

As long as I can remember, there have been these "water wars" in California. Please, let's just do it right this time, once and for all.

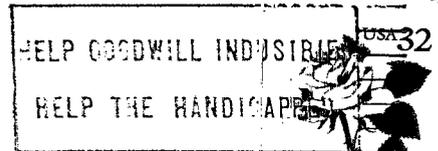
Sincerely,



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