

To Steve Ritchie
Acting Executive Director
Cal-Fed Bay-Delta Program

Dear Mr. Ritchie,

I am a small farmer in the lower Sacramento Valley. This farm being on the Sacramento River is dependant on it for irrigation water. I am very concerned about the apparent lack of concern for addressing the need for added water storage. The existance of water storage is the reason for the growth in California to this point. The present supply is being streched to it's limit and without additional water supply California will cease to grow.

This means people, industry, farmers and infrastructure. Already city subdivisions if short of water are not allowed to be built. There are many sites for water storage available to be developed. I hope this will be taken in consideration.

Sincerely,

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