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Dear Mr. Graff:

I want to personally thank you for the time you have spent participating on the Bay-Delta Advisory Council, since the Council's inception in June 1995. I am concerned that you have not attended the last three BDAC meetings and therefore are not participating in the Council's important discussions and the recommendations it is making to the CALFED agencies on the proposed solution.

I want to encourage you to continue participation in this important process as a BDAC member, especially as we complete Phase II of the CALFED process over the next year. However, if you are unable to continue, I will recommend to the Governor and the Secretary of Interior that they designate another representative.

Feel free to call me with any questions or comments you have about this letter or BDAC in general at (619) 236-7058. Please respond to me or to Steven Ritchie in writing by February 28 with your decision on whether you wish to continue as a member of the Council.

Sincerely,

Mike Madigan, Chair
Bay-Delta Advisory Council

cc: Steven Ritchie

CALFED Agencies

California

The Resources Agency
Department of Fish and Game
Department of Water Resources
California Environmental Protection Agency
State Water Resources Control Board
Department of Food and Agriculture

Federal

Environmental Protection Agency
Department of the Interior
Fish and Wildlife Service
Bureau of Reclamation
U.S. Geological Survey
Bureau of Land Management
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Department of Agriculture
Natural Resources Conservation Service
U.S. Forest Service
Department of Commerce
National Marine Fisheries Service
Western Area Power Administration