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RE: B131 - Yuba Tools Grant Proposal

Dear Ms. Halverson Martin

This letter is to protest this or ANY FUTURE GRANT being funded to the South Yuba River Citizens League (SYRCL). SYRCL's non-profit status is currently under investigation by the IRS. SYRCL is definitely a political activist group involving themselves in politics, which is inappropriate for a non profit organization. I resent even consideration of my tax dollars being given this this entity for any reason.

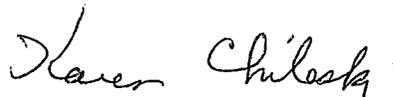
Restoration of the Yuba Basin must have fair and unbiased local process to address the many issues associated with watershed restoration.

By past record SYRCL has shown that it is unable to work in a collaborative manner. I request that you decline to fund this or any future request by SYRCL. Keep tax dollars for fair and unbiased business.

Very truly yours,



George Chileski



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