

Memorandum

Date : November 15, 1995

To : Bill Bennett

From : Steve Yaeger, Program Deputy Director
CALFED Bay-Delta Program



Subject: Update for The Reclamation Board

I have attached a copy of some recent program status materials for your use in preparing an update report on the CALFED Bay-Delta Program for the Reclamation Board. This material may also be of some use in preparing any similar updates necessary for the Water Commission.

I apologize for our inability to summarize this material for you, however, I'm sure that you can appreciate our dilemma. Due to the breakneck schedule which has been set for completion of our Phase I report we are constantly in a crisis management situation and are unable to respond to rapid turnaround requests. Additionally, since our program involves five federal and five state agencies, preparing custom status reports to respond to the requests that we get from all of the agencies would severely hamper the progress of the program. We are able, however, to provide the monthly program update materials which we prepare periodically for the CALFED Policy Group and for BDAC which, we hope, can be incorporated in whole or summarized as you see fit.

It would help us respond better to your needs if you could provide us a schedule of the dates on which you will need us to provide these materials for The Reclamation Board and for the Commission. With such a schedule on our calendar we can arrange for the monthly program status materials that we prepare for CALFED and BDAC to be forwarded to you in a way that will provide the most up to date information on the program.

Thanks for your understanding and cooperation.

cc: Lester Snow
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