



**CALFED
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Mr. David Spath, Chief
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Dear Dave:

This is to confirm your appointment as Chair of the CALFED Delta Drinking Water Council (DDWC), a Bay Delta Advisory Council (FACA) subcommittee. The DDWC serves an important role to the CALFED proceedings by helping to focus attention on drinking water and by helping to meet the CALFED drinking water quality objective to continuously improve source water quality. The DDWC's mission is to advise the CALFED Program and the CALFED Policy Group through BDAC on necessary adaptations to the CALFED Drinking Water Improvement Strategy to achieve CALFED's drinking water objectives.

All DDWC meetings will be public meetings with prior notice of the date, time, location and items to be discussed. A majority of the membership of the DDWC will constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. The Chair shall seek consensus of the DDWC members for its advice and recommendations. If consensus cannot be reached, the Council can issue a majority report. One or more minority reports can be issued if the minority so desires. For a more complete description of these roles, refer to the Delta Drinking Water Council Description (enclosed).

The Bay Delta Advisory Council is most interested in supporting the DDWC and looks forward to hearing from its members. If I can be of assistance to you, please do not hesitate to ask. I can be reached at the California Water Commission at (619) 236-7058.

Sincerely,

Mike Madigan, Chair
CALFED Bay-Delta Advisory Council

Enclosure

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