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To: Lester A. Snow, Regional Director  
U.S. Bureau of Reclamation

From: Steven R. Ritchie   
Executive Director

Subject: CALFED Ecosystem Restoration FY 2000 Proposals Recommended for Funding, Level II Amendments, and CALFED Bay-Delta Program Ecosystem Restoration FY 2000 Budget Expenditures

On November 17, 1999, the CALFED Policy Group recommended funding 23 projects for a total of \$14,855,959, out of the \$30 million dollars that was appropriated to the CALFED Bay-Delta Ecosystem Restoration Program for FY 2000. The CALFED FY 2000 Budget Expenditure Priorities for a total of \$7.7 million were also recommended for funding and a listing of those priority amounts and above projects are on attached Table A. Listed on attached Table B, are five FY 1999 Level II Amendments for \$573,100, that were also recommended for approval by the Policy Group. There were eight projects in the Watershed category recommended for funding from State of California Prop 204.

Based on the decision made by the CALFED Policy Group on November 17, 1999, CALFED requests the authority to expend funds from the FY 2000 Federal Bay-Delta Account appropriations for the above listed projects, budget priorities, and amendments, and ask that you request permission from the Secretary of the Interior for these expenditures at your earliest convenience.

Attachments

**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