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Mr. Lester Snow
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Dear Mr. Snow:

I am writing to submit a concept for your consideration that was discussed at a recent meeting of CWRA's Board of Directors

Our Board would recommend CALFED consider an isolated Delta Facility plan which would include pumping water easterly from the Sacramento River above Freeport, to a canal located generally at an elevation of 100 feet, extending to a point south of the Delta and perhaps as far south as Friant.

CWRA believes such a facility should be evaluated as part of a package of Delta "fixes", that when completed would alleviate fears from Delta levee failures along with other natural phenomenon (i.e. earthquakes), and could provide quantities of water to the existing east side diverters and allow augmentation of the east side rivers.

Representatives from CWRA would be pleased to present this idea at an up-coming workshop and to BDAC.

Sincerely,

J. James Chatigny

James Chatigny
CWRA President

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