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Lester Snow, Executive Director  
CALFED Bay-Delta Program  
1416 Ninth Street, Suite 1155  
Sacramento, CA 95814

RE: San Joaquin River Parkway Land Acquisition Program

Dear Mr. Snow:

I am writing in support of the San Joaquin River Parkway Land Acquisition Program request for funding from Category III of the CALFED Bay-Delta Program. If approved, these funds would help acquire and restore San Joaquin River floodplain and riparian habitat lands located in the Nineteenth Congressional District.

This program is a multi-agency effort of the Wildlife Conservation Board, the California Department of Fish and Game, the San Joaquin River Conservancy, the San Joaquin River Parkway and Conservation Trust, and the Trust for Public Land. Along with protecting habitat, the acquisition portion of this request will reconnect the floodplain to the river channel, thus providing flood management benefits within the San Joaquin River Parkway.

Thank you for giving this request careful consideration. If you have any questions or need further information, please contact Marianne Morton, Staff Assistant, at my Fresno District Office at (209) 248-0800.

Sincerely,

George Radanovich  
Member of Congress

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cc: San Joaquin River Parkway and Conservation Trust