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My name is Martha Guzman, I 'm with the United Farm Workers of America, AFL-CIO.

Farm workers have a long-term interest in securing clean and safe drinking water, both on the job and in their residences. Sustaining an adequate supply of clean drinking water in the communities where farm workers live and work is paramount to the health and safety of farm workers and their families.

Farm workers have a long-term interest is sustaining the viability of the agricultural industry. Preserving an adequate supply of agricultural water is necessary to maintaining a healthy agricultural industry and to protecting farm workers' jobs. To the extent that a diminishing viable water supply affects agriculture, it will also affect the demand for farm labor.

This is why we support sustainable water use, including efforts to stabilize the use and supply of water to ensure future availability for residential and agricultural use.

Our first concern with the "preferred alternative" is that it does not specify the amount or location of the agricultural land that will be converted to ecological use. Representatives of farm labor and rural communities should (must) have an active role in the selection of these lands.

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