

August 24, 2004

Gary Hunt, Chair
Patrick Wright, Executive Director
California Bay-Delta Authority
650 Capitol Mall, 5th Floor
Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear Messrs. Hunt and Wright:

I write to inform you of my decision to resign from the California Bay Delta Public Advisory Committee. Increasingly, commitments at my “new” job with SEIU have prevented me from attending meetings or doing the preparation that I consider to be necessary for my effective participation. With your approval, I would like to continue my service on the Drinking Water Subcommittee. I would urge you to appoint another member from the NGO community who can give voice to water quality concerns and interests on the BDPAC. Jennifer Clary of Clean Water Fund and Clean Water Action has become quite an active participant on the Drinking Water Subcommittee, is interested in serving on the BDPAC and in my view is quite worthy of your consideration.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve on the BDPAC and for the opportunity to contribute to the dialogue on how to achieve a sustainable water future for California that protects the environment, public health and the legitimate water needs of agricultural and municipal interests.

Sincerely,

Marguerite Young

cc. Erich Pfuehler
Gary Steinberg
David Nesmith