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As a resident in the Los Osos Prohibition Zone, I wish to respond regarding the CDO'S served to my neighbors. I am an INTERESTED PARTY, resident since 1993.

Mr. Briggs, my response is W H Y ?????? W

Water the elixir of life is prized by all of the Los Osos residents. What programs have you instituted to conserve the priceless resource we have here in Los Osos with our magnificent pure water aquifers . You have put a building moratorium on the Prohibition Zone since 1988, yet permitted with no comment, countless lavish exec type homes in Cabrillo Estates –owners of which are taking water from our aquifers, and thus causing salt water intrusion. WHY DID YOU FAIL TO ADDRESS THIS ISSUE ?WE ARE ONE OF THE FEW COMMUNITIES WITH ITS OWN NATURAL WATER SUPPLY., proudly promoted in the 1920"s by pioneer Richard Otto. You zero in on one small segment of the community and allow others to run rampant on use of our water resources.
Why do you punish the homeowners with these haphazard, non-scientific CDO,s You attack people who want clean water, and a waste water treatment plant that is affordable.
We ousted the prior members of our CSD because there was never an Affordability Study on the much promoted " most expensive sewer per Capita in the entire USA" I believe affordability is something Water Boards are to consider—again, if all the other property owners in Los Osos Baywood { some 10,000+}shared in the cost—then that could result in affordability

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HOMEOWNERS are innocent victims of your wrath—How do you justify Punitive damages to people whose septic tanks your department has never tested??
HOW were you enticed to release over 6 million dollars for start up of a faulty overpriced project?? A project located where citizens would have been proud to have a pond system and park , similar to the one in Humboldt County, a marsh and wildlife sanctuary—not a location for an overpriced, ugly sludge producing factory.
Homeowners here in Los Osos deserve your respect , not your wrath.

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YOU, I believe, only fine citizens, in lieu of working with them to solve problematic issues. Maybe you should resign, and the Water Board find a compassionate and cooperative CEO to replace you. Someone who uses scientific studies and sensible methods to solve problems—not a CEO whose method is irresponsible fear mongering and a septic pumping program that will ruin our septic tanks while a viable program is being designed.-- one acceptable and affordable.

As a REALTOR since 1968, I know that the major investment people often have is in their home. YOUR CDO's put those investments in serious, very serious jeopardy. How does this solve the real issue, or is it a way to play ball with the vultures waiting to pounce on terrified homeowners, who are unable to meet the unreasonable expenses that you will place on them-- needless costs unless you can absolutely prove their particular septic is polluting.,

YOUR/ PRESEMT ACTIONS DO NOTHING TO BUILD THE WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY SO BADLY NEEDED !!WHY NOT WORK WITH THE DULY ELECTED CSD AS IT SETS FORTH VIABLE PROJECTS.

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