

## NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPEAR

The U.S. Department of the Interior plans to participate in the water right hearing regarding  
(name of party or participant)

### CALIFORNIA WATERFIX HEARING

**California Department of Water Resources and U.S. Bureau of Reclamation**

The Public Hearing scheduled to commence on **Thursday, April 7, 2016**

**1) Check all that apply:**

- I/we intend to participate in Part I of the hearing
- I/we intend to participate in Part II of the hearing

**2) Check the applicable boxes below. Be sure to accurately describe your participation in the hearing.** (Please refer to Enclosure D of the October 30, 2015 Notice of Petition, Public Hearing, and Pre-Hearing Conference (Hearing Notice) for descriptions of "parties" and "interested persons"):

- I/we intend to participate in the hearing as an interested person and present a policy statement **only**.  Part I  Part II
- I/we intend to participate in the hearing as a party by cross-examination and/or rebuttal **only** and may present an opening statement.  
 Part I  Part II
- Part I:** I/we plan to participate in Part I as a party and call the following witnesses to testify at the hearing. (Fill in the following table for Part I of the hearing **only**)

NAME	SUBJECT OF PROPOSED TESTIMONY (Please indicate Application Number if Appropriate)	ESTIMATED LENGTH OF DIRECT TESTIMONY	EXPERT WITNESS (YES/NO)
See Attachment A			

(If more space is required, please add additional pages.)

- Part II:** I/we plan to participate in Part II as a party and will call witnesses to testify at the hearing. Please note that you will be required to submit a Supplemental Notice of Intent to Appear at a date to be determined for Part II of the hearing that lists your witnesses, subject of proposed testimony, etc.

**3) Check if applicable:**

- I/we have also protested the Petition in accordance with Water Code section 1703.2.

*Note: If have protested the Petition, you must also fill out sections 1 and 2 of this form above and indicate your intent to appear at the hearing to present evidence in support of your protest. If you do not resolve your protest with the petitioners prior to the hearing, and then do not present a case supporting your protest at the hearing, your protest will be dismissed. It is **not** necessary to file a protest to participate in the hearing.*

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**4) Fill in the following information of the Participant, Party, Attorney, or Other Representative:**

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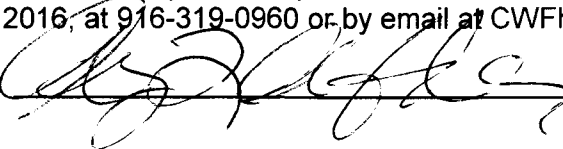
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Optional:

- I/we **decline** electronic service of hearing-related materials. If you are unable to accept electronic service for any reason, please contact the hearing team by Tuesday, January 5, 2016, at 916-319-0960 or by email at CWFhearing@waterboards.ca.gov.

Signature  Date: 1/5/16

U.S. Department of the Interior

NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPEAR – Attachment A

CALIFORNIA WATERFIX HEARING, Part 1

The U.S. Department of the Interior (Interior) intends to participate in Part I of the hearing. It is anticipated that Interior and the California Department of Water Resources (DWR) will be preparing a joint presentation for Part 1. As such, the below witnesses may participate as a panel with DWR witnesses. The “Subject of Proposed Testimony” listed below corresponds with the subjects on DWR’s Part 1 Hearing Witness List.

<b>NAME</b>	<b>SUBJECT OF PROPOSED TESTIMONY</b> (Please indicate Application Number if Appropriate)	<b>ESTIMATED LENGTH OF DIRECT TESTIMONY</b>	<b>EXPERT WITNESS (YES/NO)</b>
Michael Connor, Deputy Secretary, U.S. Department of the Interior	Policy Statement	20 min.	No
David Murillo, Regional Director, Bureau of Reclamation (Reclamation)	Policy Statement	10 min.	No
Jason Phillips, Deputy Regional Director, Reclamation	Policy Statement	10 min.	No
Pablo Arroyave, Deputy Regional Director, Reclamation	Policy Statement	10 min.	No
Michelle Banonis, Reclamation	Overview of Project	Panel	Yes
Josh Israel, Reclamation	Overview of Project	Panel	Yes
Richard Welsh, Reclamation	Project Description of New Facility	Panel	Yes
Ron Milligan, Reclamation	Operations/Water Quality/Delivery Reliability	Panel	Yes
Kristin White, Reclamation	Operations/Water Quality/Delivery Reliability, Project Hydrodynamic Modeling, Water Rights and Climate Change	Panel	Yes
Ray Sahlberg, Reclamation	Water Rights	Panel	Yes
Gwen Bucholz*	Project Hydrodynamic Modeling and Climate	Panel	Yes

	Change		
Chandra Chimakuri*	Project Hydrodynamic Modeling	Panel	Yes
Jennifer Peirre*	Overview of Project	Panel	Yes
David Zippin*	Overview of Project	Panel	Yes

The U.S. Department of the Interior reserves the right to call substitute witnesses for any of the above-named witnesses, or to call additional witnesses, if needed.

\*Interior and DWR Consultants