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Subject:

The Martinez Environmental Group fully agrees with the Sierra Club's position on the importance of saving native California Delta fish populations as follows:

1. Reverse their decision to suspend the D-1641 March requirements for inflows to San Francisco Bay and ensure that these flows critical to the continued existence of Delta smelt, winter-run Chinook salmon, and other species are actually provided for through the ecologically important spring period.
2. Reverse their decision to partly suspend the D-1641 limits on export pumping, in order to prevent devastating impacts on the last remaining Delta smelt and winter-run salmon.
3. Reject any new petitions to suspend the flow requirements and export limits for April and May 2015, and give the endangered species of the Bay-Delta estuary their last, best chance for survival.

It is no time to be short-sighted about preserving local ecosystems in the Delta! It is exactly the time for us to act to protect them!

Please let us know if we can assist in *any* way.

Respectfully,

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