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Subject: Denial of recent request for additional WATER

Rich,

I am writing in regard to the State Water Resources Control Board denial of increased water to the Central Valley. As you know we are entering our fourth year of an economically crippling drought. Not only does this limited supply harm the Farmer who provides our food and fiber, it is hampering economic growth for all our communities. People are hurting, towns are running out of water, and in fact some are having to truck in drinking water.

As a member of the Agriculture Community in the Southern Central Valley I request a reversal of the recent denial of the request for additional water to our Valley. In reading about the State Water Board Controller Felicia Marcus, she describes herself as, "known for her work in bringing unlikely allies together for environmental progress and for making the agency more responsive to the communities it serves, particularly Indian Tribes, communities of color, local government, and agricultural and business interests."

I request she and your Board live up to this description and turn on the pumps and send some of the water south to our valley communities.

Thank you,

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