

Jeanine Townsend - Fwd: comment letter: Cal Am CDO Hearing Workshop

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In case you did not receive

>>> "Jo Lomanto" <jolomanto@sbcglobal.net> 8/21/2009 3:47 PM >>>
I AM A LIFELONG RESIDENT OF THE MONTEREY PENINSULA. WE HAVE, AS A WATER DISTRICT, KEPT OUR WATER USAGE DOWN TO 70 GALLONS PER PERSON. THROUGH TREMENDOUS HARDSHIPS AND SACRIFICE WE HAVE DONE THE JOB. I FEEL THAT THE STATES MANDATE TO LOWER OUR USAGE PER PERSON IS UNFAIR, HEARTLESS, AND SHORTSIGHTED. OUR ECONOMY IS IN BAD SHAPE. PEOPLE ARE LOSING THEIR HOMES AND BUSINESSES. IF WE ARE FORCED TO LOWER OUR USAGE, THE DEVASTATION TO THE BUSINESSES, JOBS, AND THE PUBLIC WILL BE UNINMAGINABLE.. THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA HAS DONE VERY LITTLE TO HELP THE DIFFERENT SECTIONS OF THE STATE TO GET NEW WATER SOURCES. WE ARE WORKING ON A NEW SOURCE, A DESALINIZATION PLANT. I URGE AND BEG THE STATE TO HOLD OFF ON ENFORCING LOWER USAGE TOTALS FOR OUR CITIZENS. MANY PEOPLE WILL LOSE BUSINESSES, JOBS, HOMES, AND OUTDOOR YARDS IF YOU ENFORCE THE UNFAIR AND DEVASTATINGLY LOW MANDATES. WE ARE DOING A GOOD JOB, WE SHOULD BE REWARDED WITH YOUR PATIENCE UNTIL WE GET THE NEW WATER SOURCE, WHICH I BELIEVE, WILL BE SOON. THANK YOU RONALD LOMANTO

