

Barnes, Peter@Waterboards

From: Ann Bakey <ann.bakey@sbcglobal.net>
Sent: Monday, March 02, 2015 10:06 AM
To: Barnes, Peter@Waterboards
Subject: NO THERMAL CURTAIN IN LAKE ALMANOR

Dear Mr. Barnes,

I live in Lake Almanor and am the wife of an avid fisherman. We love our home, community and lake. I do not approve using a thermal curtain to cool downstream water in our lake. Please do not ruin a great fishing and recreation area for the sake of government compliance. Increased water temperatures, increased algae, and reduced fisheries will have a devastating negative impact on the local economy, which is dependent upon tourism and already suffering.

When I consider all of the negative impacts this project will have on the local economy and environment, I wonder what the impact will be on my quality of life and property value. If the Thermal Curtain is implemented, I'm sure more local businesses will close, we will lose needed services, such as our hospital, as a result of a worsening local economy, and we will lose the one thing that has brought us all here – the enjoyment of Lake Almanor.

PLEASE, NO THERMAL CURTAIN!

Sincerely,

Ann Bakey