



It is mind boggling to me that after about 40 years of never having built a sizable reservoir and only mentioning desalination in passing that the CA Water Control Board wants to institute the draconian fee measures I am reading in the Sac Bee. Of course the Sac Bee thinks that a \$500.00 fine is justified so it gets our intention. The state population has almost doubled since our last dam was built - wake up.

Why isn't anyone looking at the Water Board and marching to your headquarters with pitchforks and blaming you for your inept water management? I was told by a Local water district employee that residential water use accounts for 4% of the total water use in the state. You can use your bully pulpit to throw the people of CA under the bus in a money grab - shame on you. 4 freakin' %!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Does it make you feel better to fine someone for washing their car than to actually try to solve the water shortage problem? Grab some of the \$\$ the Governor is willing to waste on the Hi-Speed Train to nowhere and build some storage.

Do your job and come clean with the public.

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