Members of the Water Board:

I am writing to express my advocacy of re-evaluation of the water supply conditions in April, as opposed to blindly enforcing continuance of a 33% reduction over the 2013 water usage in the San Juan Water District.

Not only was the initial 36% reduction mandate unfair, in light of the climate in our area, but an enforced continuance of such a reduction, without regard for current water supplies, screams of bureaucratic bullying by members of the board who happen to live in areas other than the California Inland Valley.

We agree with the knowledgeable members of the San Juan Water District, who are opposed to having the 33 percent conservation requirement considered in early February. We agree with SJWD that percentage is far too high considering the winter storms we have already experienced, the snowpack currently in the Sierras, and the recurrent rain we've received. We agree with SJWD that conservation requirements should be reevaluated in April, (NOT in FEBRUARY), when the water supply conditions are better known.

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