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I am writing to voice my opinions and frustration with the way in which we, the rate paying public and rate payers, have been, and continue to be, treated over the water situation in San Diego.

At this point in San Diego we have 50 percent more water than we are allowed to use, without El Niño. Water boards have planned and taken steps, in San Diego, to secure a water supply and expand water storage.

We now have NO water water emergency in San Diego yet restrictions, dictates, fines and additional costs are being imposed on the homeowners. Who is benefiting here?

It seems to me that whoever that is, we the homeowners and rate payers are not to know, when State Water Chairman Felicia Marcus, intends closed door meetings, for water professionals only.

This entire saga reeks, at best, of ill informed bureaucrats and, at worst, back room politics.

The policies in effect have accomplished pitting communities against communities, neighbors reporting on the water use times of neighbors, dead and dying vegetation, water boards entering private property, fines and higher water rates for the water we have but cannot use.

Tell me something except stop using water, take a shower every other day, and all sorts of water saving ideas that if we all performed them would not alleviate the lack of water issues. What sort of nonsense is this?

California can have all the water it needs. We have science and technology to solve these issues. Where has the State Water Board, Metropolitan Water Board and all the other water professionals that we, the tax paying public have on the payroll, been these last decades? Cold they be asleep at the wheel, have special interests in mind, or simply incompetent? Where has the planning and foresight that is expected in the managing of water supply been?

San Diego has planned and is being punished by Sacramento bureaucrats. San Diego must stand up allow San Diegans to use the water we have.
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