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1800	1	Build more Dams there hasn't been a dam built in Northern Ca in almost 40years. Warm Springs dam lake Sonoma was the last one built I know because I worked on that job.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1801	1	Increase water storage with new dams and higher dams where possible.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1802	1	Do not send our water south. We use it to grow vegetables for the country. They use it to make greedy developers rich.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1803	1	Please stop the regulatory drought. Spend time and money preparing for water shortage for the next cycle of dry years.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1804	1	Please stop sending our water to mega orchards, etc. The delta needs to be the first user of the water, then individuals and animals, orchards last.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1805	1	The governor and the state government are not meeting their fiduciary duty. The priorities are completely out of alignment.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1806	1	I really am concerned about the lack of care for the valley farmers and homeowners that wish to keep their landscape going especially after an abundant snow pack.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1806	2	Spend your time and dollars on more dams and drop the High Speed Rail fiasco.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1807	1	Dams and water storage, not a train.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1808	1	Build them!!!! [Dams]	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1809	1	We need more water storage, build more dams and keep the ones we have safe.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1810	1	Stop our state water board from diverting the Central Valleys water from our rivers. We need more dams for future water storage and clean energy.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1810	2	Some of the best soil on earth is here and the water is necessary to produce the food we eat and keep our economy moving.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1811	1	Make the SWRCB accountable, and leave adequate and ample water supplies available to those who feed the world. California Farmers and Ranchers know what they are doing, they just need the tools and resources i.e. water!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1812	1	The need for more water storage is necessary for our future to provide food and fiber along with clean drinking water!!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1813	1	We need our water for agriculture.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1814	1	This has got to stop! Gov. Brown and his cronies have lost all since and do not care about CA. The world depends on CA agriculture, so does CA. So much water this year that just	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.

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1814	2	More dams and reservoirs, no tunnels or high speed train.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1815	1	California's drought is man made and our water supply had been mismanaged for decades. There are options with better balance available that still protect the environment yet improve water storage and availability for human use. Seek those other options. Recently someone commented to me that "over-regulated California is owned by environmental groups". Please recall that people also share this environment and your decisions also impact those people. Justify your decisions to include not just impact on the environment, but also impact on residents and the regional economy. Find a better balance.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1816	1	Leave the water where it belongs!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1817	1	I oppose the state water boards taking 40% of our water	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1817	2	We need to build more water storages and repair our dams. So we don't face another drought like we have experience over the last few years.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1818	1	I've seen some very poor water planning in the state of California. Why do I feel there's something crooked going on? I see people being put after smelts, owls, and shrimp. Do the appointees have a clue what it's like to do without because someone without a clue is in a position of authority? Mr. Gray, why do we have a "general fund" when people treat it as a small change fund at a business. I can tell you I will never vote for any appropriation as long as a "general fund" exists. When asked for a proposition to do something, I want that money to go to the specific project it was raised for and any money remaining returned to the taxpayers. The governor now wants to raise gas tax to repair roads but there is no guarantee that the roads will be fixed because it goes to the grab-bag general fund. If the water board really had Californians in mind, they would be looking at Friant Dam, McClure Dam, and many other small dams. Many dams were constructed when the population of California was one-half what it is today. If the water board would get it's head out of its ass it would concentrate on much, much more storage of water to prevent the flooding that occurs and a continued source of river flow to keep the sea water from intruding on the delta. I'm sorry, that might take some common sense!!! What am I thinking??	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1819	1	Population growth directly reflects water use increases and our storage capacity should reflect our water needs. Its pretty simple actually. Please use common sense.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1820	1	I support wise water use, please listen to the people of the central valley	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1821	1	Our rainfall and snow has been above normal in the past few months yet you crooks are releasing water! Now on Here you are going to continue water regulation after releasing all this water?!!! I don't buy your "fish" story either! I'm personally writing President Trump to push the opening of an investigation into fraud that the state has most likely committed.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1822	1	Current policies are creating manmade droughts and are senseless! More storage and retention of what we have to be used for people, crops and lastly need to listen to opposing	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general

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1823	1	Build more water storage. Also stop creating the drought by release the water	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1824	1	Stop taking water from Central California and STOP letting millions of gallons of water flow into the Los Angeles, Pacific Ocean! Require Los Angeles County to hold water from polluting the Pacific and reuse it for LA.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1825	1	Keep the water for our agriculture.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1826	1	Save our ag land.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1827	1	More people = more water. Build more reservoirs and or raise the current dams. Every time there is a drought our situation gets worse.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1828	1	Protect our water.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1829	1	Really tired of the water board using our water for stupid things like saving the delta smelt when our farmers need it. They just enjoy creating a drought on purpose when we have enough water to go around, they just like to control people by saying we don't & then dumping our water into the ocean. Sick of it!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1830	1	Don't flush water down river. Keep reservoirs full!!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1831	1	We need our water for farms	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1832	1	Get your head out of your butt, use the water for farms and food not a fish no one can save except God not some polition [sic].	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1833	1	Build more reservoirs!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1834	1	This is ridiculous, we need the water for us the people, not for no dang fish.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1835	1	Stop selling our water!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1836	1	Save more water for when we need it! Repair and maintain our dams and build new water storage!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1837	1	Stop the regulatory drought and start implementing more solutions to our storage shortage. Instead of charging us high meter charges and threatening us with fines for using our water,	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general

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1838	1	Stop the water shortage! Give us back our water!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1839	1	Stop the madness. Water storage for our future!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1840	1	Build more dams, maintain the ones we have. Let's store more water.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1841	1	Save the water and save our farmers.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1842	1	Allocation of resources needs to be a fair system! The state should be investing in current infrastructure, not building twin tunnels and a bullet train.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1843	1	We need the water for our farmlands and animals. Please respect our community and farmers.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1844	1	We Californians have had enough water wastage to save the non-indigenous delta smelt. Clean the Bay Area waterways without wasting water to save 1,200 salmon. Build water storage.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1844	2	I've been a registered voter for 38 years. I will continue to oppose liberal views. California futures depend on water. We need the storage.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1845	1	We need to build more dams and build our current dams higher. We need to save more rain water and quit letting all of our water storage go out to sea. It's destroying the Central Valley!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1846	1	I want to see dams.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1847	1	Against the water diversion to save a few fish over the citizens of California!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1848	1	Do not increase water diversion. Residents of Modesto need the water.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1849	1	If you force the release of water from the dams, we will not have the water needed for growing food or even drinking water. If you continue on this crazy direction, you will have a hungry and dry state without the means to provide for our families or the means to fill our bellies, or anyone else's! California grows food, without water, we cannot grow food! Food exporting will be gone for the state, food processing will be gone, food growing will be gone and all the millions of jobs associated with each phase of the process. Releasing water from dams, and not to crops or for drinking is not a reasonable option. We have already had years of drought where wells went dry. Now you would be literally making the drought worse being self-inflicted. We have gone from being able to water our yards from every day to one day a week only for certain hours. Irrigation has gone from irrigating crops every ten days unlimited to every twenty days with only receiving about 36 inches max of water. That	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.

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		was possible only through an irrigation district that has been around for over 100 years. Listen to the various irrigation districts. They have the experience that YOU NEED! They have the history of managing water that you seem to know nothing about to keep this state functioning. Please do not push forward this foolhardy water policy that will leave our state dry!	
1850	1	This is nothing more than political failure disguised as a problem of population growth and farming. Stop blaming the average citizen for watering their lawn or washing their car while millions of gallons are flushed out to sea. Water, including groundwater, is a renewable resource if surface water is available to replenish aquifers. Build more storage under and above ground!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1851	1	This is not about saving fish, but destroying farming and our community. Farms are important to our lives, it's the food we eat! Our community has done their part to cut back. We need to be smart and not let this water go. There has to be other ways to help the fish (if this really is the reason?) and not destroy our farms and communities. It needs to stop!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1852	1	As population increases, so does the need for resources. Water storage and proper management is essential to food production. The fish will survive.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1853	1	Instead, build more dams!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1854	1	California's population has sky-rocketed, yet California has done nothing to improve the state's water supply storage. California's foolish politicians are too busy worrying about a train. Nobody will use that. Improve its infrastructure.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1855	1	Let's tax the crap out of people to conserve, then not have enough storage to keep water for dry years. Let's ship water further away from ag that is necessary for survival, to areas that house and provide for those who evade and do not pay taxes. Seriously, end the water grab.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1856	1	Stop taking water from humans to save fish. Stop the water grab!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1857	1	Water storage and infrastructure need to be our priorities!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1858	1	We need to build more dams in the state of California.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1859	1	This is crazy! How can we let unelected officials placed by a crooked administration that is set on stealing our water set these rules without the backing of scientific evidence. It is ruining our Central Valley agriculture and the lives of many. This is not about fish. This is about power. It needs to be stopped.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1860	1	Save our rights to our water! Build more dams!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1861	1	We need to manage the water we have and not lose any to prevent another drought.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.

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1862	1	Stop taking our water! Farmers in the valley depend on that water for growing food for our country!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1863	1	I oppose the Water Board's plan! Stop spending money on crap and fix the dams too!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1864	1	Please build more storage and do not build a bullet train. The train is a very wasteful mode of transportation. Fix the roads we have.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1865	1	Stop lying to us about the drought. I also think climate change is [expletive]. Stop chem trails, I've seen the truth about those. Deport illegals. Stop making your own laws and follow our Constitution. You have gone to a whole new level of treachery.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1866	1	We need to use water storage for what it is built for.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1867	1	We need to take back our water and do what needs to be done to protect northern and central California for years to come!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1868	1	We are not in a drought situation---build more dams.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1869	1	Don't want the water, our water, to go down south. We need it for our farms.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1870	1	Our water is our water!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1871	1	Striped Bass are the problem.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1872	1	I need my water to eat fresh fruit and vegetables. I need my green grass back.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1873	1	This is not about fish, this is about a power grab by the state to satisfy Southern California at our expense.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1874	1	We need our water. SoCal can build desalination.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1875	1	We will all continue to need the food produced by this Valley. Do not send that water South!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1876	1	Please let us keep our water to grow food.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1877	1	We need more dams.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.

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1878	1	After observing how devastating the drought was my area, I was dumbfounded to learn that the water was being diverted from our bodies of water to other areas. Are the powers that be not aware of how important agriculture is to the Central Valley?	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1879	1	Keep the water for food for people.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1880	1	How can anybody think that two 40-foot-diameter tunnels 100-feet-deep across the Delta, capturing all the water from the Sacramento River and putting it in the aqueduct headed south leaving the California delta a brackish dead marsh could be a good idea? What a disgrace to the Mighty Sacramento River and the California Delta for what? Almonds and pomegranates?	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1880	2	This plan does not make more water or store more water, it just takes all the fresh water. Why don't they take their billions of dollars, go south down the valley, and dig a real big hole. Cover it with the biggest solar farm in the world. When it rains real hard, fill it with water from the aqueduct and put it back in the aqueduct in the summer.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1880	3	Southern CA needs more desalination, storage, and conservation. Do something we can be proud of for long term. When there's a drought humans, rivers, and freshwater deltas come first not almonds are pomegranates.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1881	1	This letter is in support of your board's recent proposal to increase river flows in three tributary rivers of the San Joaquin River- the Tuolumne River, the Merced River, and the Stanislaus River during February to June, a time period critical for survival of salmon and steelhead.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1881	2	<p>For decades, agriculture, other industries, and water interests have diverted the majority of San Joaquin River water out of these rivers. Studies by State agencies have shown that the current water demands on the three rivers have left salmon, steelhead, and other species with too little/too warm of water for these threatened fish to sustain populations over the long term. Water quality is also diminished.</p> <p>Historically, tens of thousands of salmon migrated up the Tuolumne River to spawn. Last year only a few hundred salmon managed to return from the ocean. Steelhead are even more at risk, with very few surviving in local rivers. Contaminated water, warm water temperatures, inadequate flows, introduced non-native predatory bass, and dams/diversions are all contributors to reasons why the salmon and steelhead runs have collapsed so severely.</p> <p>It is imperative that water flows be increased! Flows of 40% at the least in unimpaired, natural water flow level must be allowed/protected for the five months of February, March, April, May, and June. This plan still leaves up to 60% of these river's water for agriculture, industry and other uses. With this proposed plan, no one comes away as a winner or loser as the water is divided for essential purposes to benefit both humans and fish.</p>	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1882	1	Use fish farms.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1882	2	Produce much more important than a few salmon, which aren't really native to our rivers.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general

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1884	1	We need our water, so you can have food.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1885	1	This water grab boondoggle would be catastrophic to not only farmers, but our community and future generations. Jerry Brown can seek his legacy somewhere else!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1886	1	Save the famer.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1887	1	We need food not only fish. Save our water.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1888	1	Keep our water from the valley watersheds of Stanislaus, Tuolumne, and Merced Rivers for use in the San Joaquin Valley. None to Southern California.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1889	1	We have a right to be counted and have an opportunity to make a living where my family has lived for many generations. I am Native American from the Washoe Tribe and I believe that we can find a balance for humans and nature!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1890	1	Stop sending water to Southern California. Build them desalination plants! If they don't want new power plants to run them, then figure out another way like solar.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1891	1	I oppose the State Water Board from taking water from local rivers without consulting stakeholders.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1892	1	Don't send our water elsewhere. The Central Valley is vital to the world, in regards to produce being grown here and shipped all over the world, as well as the economy and job markets within Central and Northern California. We need water storage here. This year there was more rain, but nothing done to save water, which really hurt the continued drought situation.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1893	1	My city is basically an extensive orchard, almonds mostly. Water is vital to our very existence. Last year there were some in this area who had their wells go dry. How can we depend on the groundwater for the crops that feed this nation if we don't even have enough water to support the homes in the area?	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1893	2	Our water needs to stay with us. Let others find other solutions, like desalination, instead of the easy out for them and simply stealing our water!	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1894	1	If the coastal areas of San Francisco and Los Angeles want a long term solution to their water problem, then they need to build a desalination plant for their areas. Yes, it would raise their rates a bit, but it would supply an unlimited amount of water without hurting the valley and the farmers who supply much of the food. It would be wise for them to take a look at what Israel did during their drought. Unfortunately, the powers that be in this side of the world do not use wisdom, only greed and indifference to those that do not fit into their	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.

Table 4-1. Responses to Comments

Ltr#	Cmt#	Comment	Response
		schemes.	
1895	1	Let's get back to good common sense, at some time the human species will be endangered, due to continued environmental regulatory oversight. When are we going to stop the craziness and have some good environmental balance?	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1896	1	Build more water storage. Scrap High Speed Rail.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1897	1	There has got to be the ability to give and take. Mandates are wrong! Water has to go to people and agriculture first in this state.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1897	2	Taking water will only lead to more problems on a large scale. Irrigation water recharges aquifers. No water, no recharge.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1898	1	Stop trying to continue the regulatory drought. Build more dams.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.
1899	1	Build more reservoirs.	Please see Master Response 1.1, General Comments for responses to comments that either make a general comment on the plan amendments or do not raise significant environmental issues.