

October 31, 2014

NOTICE OF TEMPORARY OPPORTUNITY TO DIVERT WATER UNDER PREVIOUSLY CURTAILED WATER RIGHTS FOR SACRAMENTO AND SAN JOAQUIN RIVER WATERSHEDS

The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) has temporarily lifted the water rights curtailment for post-1914 water rights in the Sacramento and San Joaquin River watersheds for Friday October 31st and continuing to **7 AM on Monday, November 3rd**. The temporary lifting of curtailments is based on a predicted rain event. Unless otherwise directed in a future lyris notification, all curtailed water rights in the Sacramento and San Joaquin watersheds must cease diversions at **7 AM on Monday November 3rd**. All diversions during this time period must be in accordance with the State Water Board's October 3, 2014 letter and lyris notification.

During this diversion opportunity, you must comply with all terms and conditions of your water right, especially the season of diversion and bypass conditions. This notice also does not relieve your responsibility to comply with other curtailments, like Term 91 Curtailment and Curtailment Orders for Deer Creek. You should keep a record of your diversions since such diversions are still subject to prior rights. Any diversion in violation of terms and conditions or of these notices is subject to enforcement.

The State Water Board will be monitoring weather forecasts and stream gages to determine if the temporary diversion opportunity should continue. Please monitor your email and our website for further updates on when diversions are authorized, and when curtailments are in place. If a lyris notice is issued on the weekend, the website will not be updated until the following Monday due to service limitations. Although curtailments may be lifted on a seasonal basis once weather events allow such action, the current authorization to divert is based on limited duration storm events in the identified watersheds.