Dear Ms. Townsend,

Californians have always prided themselves on the state's natural resources. Yet, when it comes to restoring our rivers and the fish in the rivers, the State's leadership fails to do its job. Specifically, the San Joaquin River needs 60 percent of the springtime flow to bring back the valuable salmon resource enjoyed in the past. This 60 percent figure is not an arbitrary figure but was developed by knowledgeable fish biologists.

Bringing back the salmon has a high financial payoff. Let's do the right thing for the fish and the California economy,

Sincerely, Harry F. Bolfing