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To Whom It May Concern,

We have 150 acres of farm land south of Manteca that gets its water from the Stanislaus river. This land is in a small irrigation district and there has been dry years in the past when we've had to ration our water. My concern is that if 35 percent of the water is released in the spring for the Salmon there will be years we will run out of water.

I've read in the Modesto Bee that it hasn't been established that more water will solve the Salmons problem. It has been established that the Stripped Bass eat the young Salmon. It seems prudent to me that allowing the fishermen to catch more Stripped Bass would ease the Salmons problem.

Respectfully yours,

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