

commentletters - Water in the KERN RIVER, Bakersfield, California. COMMENT LETTER-2-16-10 BOARD MEETING: ORDER KERN RIVER (mandatory w letter)

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Dear Ms. Townsend and Directors:

The reason for this correspondence is we as citizens of Bakersfield have a right to our river and want it back. This is not a frivolous request; The city of Bakersfield has applied to the state and found that the water is available and it is not a waste to recharge our underground aquifer that has served cities and farms in this area for generations. The public trust doctrine gives us the right to request our water be diverted or given back so the public, the farmers, and so many can enjoy the recreational and recharge benefits from this project. Money and effort has been ongoing for 10 to 12 years to let the river flow and give back Bakersfield its' river and water; your vote for the citizens of Bakersfield would be greatly appreciated.

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