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Dear Jeanine Townsend,

My name is Greer Hoyem and I am a junior at Menlo-Atherton High School. I live in Menlo Park, CA and enjoy the outdoors and all of its beauty. My family and I love going outside and exploring nature and after taking the AP Environmental Class at my school, I am beginning to see the environment issues that are going on close to home as well as on a global scale, and that we can help solve some of the issues.

Because of this, I am urging you to increase water flow to 50% in the deltas. This would really benefit the local ecosystems as well as contribute to bettering the environment as a whole. It is important that we do what we can and have control over to help with these kinds of situations. With the decrease in flow from these deltas to the bay, there has been increased the salinity as well as other negative impacts affecting marine life. And who doesn't love marine life?

I hope that we can start making the right efforts and steps forward to help the environment, and to do so I say we start at the local level and what we actually can control.

Thanks!

Greer Hoyem