



DIABLO
WATER
DISTRICT

2107 Main St.
P.O. Box 127
Oakley, CA 94561-0127
925 • 625 • 3798
Fax 925 • 625 • 0814

Directors:

John H. deFremery
President
Howard Hobbs
Vice President
Kenneth L. Crockett
Edward Garcia
Richard Head

*General Manager
& Secretary:*

Mike Yeraka

General Counsel

Jeffrey D. Polisner

Ms. Debbie Irvin, Clerk to the Board
State Water Resources Control Board
P.O. Box 100
Sacramento, CA 95812

Subject: Periodic Review of 1995 Water Quality Control Plan

Dear Ms. Irvin:

Diablo Water District provides treated water service within the areas of Oakley and Bethel Island, which are within the statutory Delta. We receive our raw water from the Contra Costa Water District. We understand that the State Water Resources Control Board is considering modifying the 150 mg/L and 250 mg/L chloride objectives as part of the Periodic Review. Diablo Water District strongly opposes any proposal that would degrade the quality of water available to us from the Delta. We rely on high quality water from the Delta to be able to meet existing and future drinking water regulations. Any further degradation in water quality beyond that which we have already experienced historically will directly affect our operations, requiring modification in our operations and equipment, with associated capital costs, and increased annual operation and maintenance costs.

We would appreciate your serious consideration of our beneficial use of Delta water during the upcoming Periodic Review process. If you have any questions, please contact me at (925) 625-6159

Sincerely,

Mike Yeraka, PE
General Manager

cc: Richard A. Denton (CCWD)
1331 Concord Avenue
Concord, CA 94524-2099

copy to:
Bd. Member
Debbie Irvin
orig to: WRS
December 2, 2004

