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State Water Resources Control Board

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Nancy K. Donovan and Stephen J. Peters  
21451 Highway 128  
Yorkville, CA 95494

Dear Ms. Donovan and Mr. Peters:

**SCHEDULING OF HEARING ON ENFORCEMENT ACTION ENF00099 -  
ADMINISTRATIVE CIVIL LIABILITY COMPLAINT AND DRAFT CEASE AND DESIST  
ORDER REGARDING UNAUTHORIZED DIVERSION OF WATER WITHIN NAVARRO  
RIVER WATERSHED IN MENDOCINO COUNTY**

A hearing on this matter by the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board or Board) has tentatively been scheduled to commence on **July 1, 2015**. If you have a conflict with the above hearing date, please let me know within **ten days** of the receipt of this letter, as the Board must schedule its hearings well in advance. A request for a change should be accompanied by the reason for the conflict. An alternative hearing date will only be provided for the most compelling reasons.

You will receive formal notice of the exact time and place of hearing prior to that date. The notice of public hearing and other documents related to this hearing will be posted at the following project dedicated website:  
[http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water\\_issues/programs/hearings/donovan/index.shtml](http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water_issues/programs/hearings/donovan/index.shtml)

The purpose of the hearing is to receive evidence relevant to determining whether to adopt an order imposing administrative civil liability and, if so, whether in the amount of \$40,000, or some other amount; and whether to adopt, with or without revision, the June 14, 2012 draft Cease and Desist Order against Nancy K. Donovan and Stephen J. Peters.

If you have any non-controversial procedural questions regarding this hearing, please contact me by telephone at (916) 341-5448 or by e-mail at [Michael.Buckman@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:Michael.Buckman@waterboards.ca.gov). Written correspondence should be addressed as follows: State Water Resources Control Board; Division of Water Rights, Attn: Michael Buckman, P.O. Box 2000, Sacramento, CA 95812-2000.

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and Stephen J. Peters

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If you have any legal or technical questions concerning the allegations in the Administrative Civil Liability (ACL) Complaint, or wish to discuss the possibility of settlement of the ACL Complaint prior to hearing, you must contact Prosecution Team members Mr. Andrew Tauriainen, Senior Staff Counsel, Office of Enforcement, by telephone at (916) 341-5445 or by email at [Andrew.Tauriainen@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:Andrew.Tauriainen@waterboards.ca.gov); or Ms. Kathy Mrowka, Manager, Enforcement Section, by telephone at (916) 341-5363 or by email at [Kathy.Mrowka@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:Kathy.Mrowka@waterboards.ca.gov).

Sincerely,



Michael Buckman  
Hearings Unit Supervisor

**ecc: Ms. Kathy Mrowka, Manager**  
**Enforcement Section**  
**Division of Water Rights**  
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