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Re: California WaterFix Project – Support

Dear Mr. Record and Mr. Kightlinger:

On behalf of [insert organization], I am writing to express strong support for the California WaterFix project, and encourage MWD of Southern California to do the same in order to move the project forward swiftly.

Water is essential to our physical health and well-being. It's our lifeblood and a fundamental need. While Southern Californians have the right to expect a clean and reliable water supply, the delivery system moving water to our region is old, vulnerable and in desperate need of improvement. Today more than 60 percent of California's water supply comes from the Sierra Nevada mountains. Melted snow from these mountains provides the backbone supply – along with good jobs and quality of life – for Southern Californians. With this supply at risk, we need the reliability that California WaterFix will provide. A modernized delivery system will ensure that high-quality water from the Sierra Nevada mountains will continue to be delivered to Southern California for generations to come.

We're not alone in our support. There is strong backing for California WaterFix in the region. Nearly two-thirds (64 percent) of Southern California voters support the project, according to results released from a recent [public opinion survey](#) commissioned by SCWC. It is now time for our decision-makers and stakeholders to listen to their constituents, pick up the torch and take the necessary steps to help advance construction of this vital project.

We appreciate your consideration and leadership on this critical project.

Sincerely,

[Insert Signer's Full Name]
[Insert Title]
[Insert Organization Name]

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