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Steven Moore, Vice Chair
State Water Resources Control Board
1001 I Street, 2nd Floor
Sacramento, California 95814
Via E-mail: wrhearing@waterboards.ca.gov

Re: Scheduling of hearing and submissions for SWRCB hearing about Marble Mountain Ranch diversion from Stanshaw Creek.

Dear Mr. Moore:

As a landowner, water right holder, and resident on Stanshaw Creek, I would like to support Marble Mountain Ranch's request to postpone SWRCB's hearing currently scheduled for August 22, 2017. More importantly, I respectfully request that the deadline for evidentiary submissions be extended from July 26, 2017 to September 1, 2017.

Marble Mountain Ranch's dispute with fisheries advocates, other neighbors, my family and me has lasted nearly two decades. While we are grateful that SWRCB will hold a hearing to help resolve this matter, it would be a personal and financial burden for me to properly select and compile nearly two decades of evidence and witnesses in the amount of time provided. I do not have the resources to hire an attorney or expert witnesses to defend my water rights against Marble Mountain Ranch's diversion.

I believe that by granting this extension of time, our evidentiary submission and hearing testimony will be more helpful to SWRCB. Moreover, I would like time to attempt, one last time, to compel Marble Mountain Ranch enter a settlement discussion with me about our respective water rights, diversion methods, and impacts on fisheries and public trust resources.

Thank you for considering our request. Feel free to contact me any time if you have questions.

Sincerely,



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