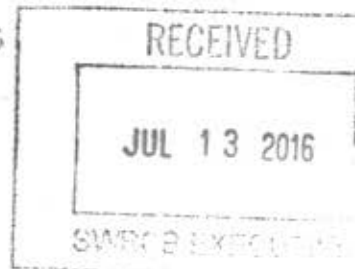


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Dear Chair Felicia Marcus,
I went white water rafting on the American
River yesterday. It was my first time. It
was an amazing experience. My wife and
two sons (11 and 14) also came; my boys were
thrilled and had smites plastered on their
faces all day. I am writing to encourage you
and the Water Board to advocate for increased
unimpaired flow per your 2010 report to meet
the co-equal goals of ecosystem protection and
maintaining a reliable water supply. It is a tough
and thorny issue with a range of stakeholders -
I think everyone wins with increased unimpaired
flow, whether a salmon fisherman, a farmer, or
boys experiencing their first white water rafting
trip on a river! Thank you. - Grainger Marburg