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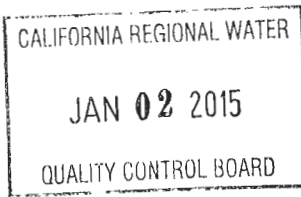


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### ***Letter of Appreciation***

Laurent,

Once Again, I want to thank you for your continued support of the statewide interagency geology symposiums (GeoSym). It is a pleasure working with you in the planning and execution of GeoSym webinars. Your contributions as a planner, coordinator and host are invaluable. With your help, we've brought geologists from many parts of State service together for training common to all of us.

This year's spring and fall geology symposiums focused on;

- *The National Geologic Map Database,*
- *LiDar Data to Determine Levee Contours and Levee Toes,*
- *DWR California Statewide Groundwater Elevation Monitoring (CASGEM),*
- *Atmospheric Rivers (Rivers in the Sky),*
- *Unexpected Geological Issues During Construction, Calaveras Dam Project, and*
- *An Integrated Approach to Groundwater Restoration in the Los Angeles Basin.*

On behalf of the Planning Committee [Jason Preece (DWR), Laurent Meillier and Daniel Cohen (Region 2 Water Board), Kim Christmann (Caltrans), John Naginis and John Karachewski (DTSC) and the geologists in State service that benefitted from your efforts, I'd like to thank you for your contribution.

Sincerely,

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