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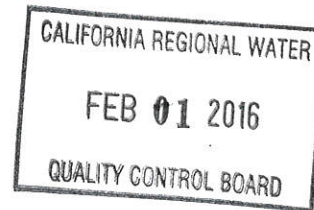
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I especially want to thank you for the support role **Laurent Meillier** plays in the planning, preparation and presentation of the symposium. Laurent provides invaluable organizational skills and helps with the overall planning and production of GeoSym. We sincerely appreciate his continued involvement.



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