

September 10, 2010  
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Dear Gaylon,

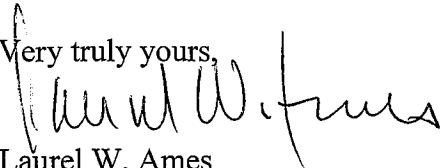
As a member of the Stakeholder group reviewing and commenting on the SWRCB/USFS process regarding the Water Quality Management Plan of the USFS in relation to the SWRCB's Non-Point Source Policy and in compliance with the Clean Water Act provisions that guide and direct the MAA between the SWRCB and the USFS, I am submitting a series of documents that address the history of water quality compliance issues regarding USFS management of its lands a uses from the perspective of the east side of the Sierra.

I have been collecting these documents for some time, and determined that the stakeholder process provides the opportunity to present them for the record. They constitute a significant description of work over the years to attain better management by the USFS in terms of water quality protection on the public lands. As this is the focus of the stakeholder process, it is appropriate that these documents be made a part of the record.

I request that the documents, the list of the documents and this letter be included in the record of the stakeholder process and be available to the public on request.

Thank you for your attention to this timely request.

I look forward to the next meeting of the stakeholders on September 22 at your offices.

Very truly yours,  
  
Laurel W. Ames

CC: Karen Schambach, Michael Graf, John Buckley

Attachments: List of Documents, September 10, 2010

**LIST OF SEVENTEEN (17) DOCUMENTS ATTACHED TO Laurel Ames  
LETTER OF SEPTEMBER 10, 2010 RE WATER QUALITY ON PUBLIC LANDS**

SWRCB MAA with the USFS: BMP Evaluation Program 9-17-96. 3pg

LRWQCB to USFS: Comments on EA for Cottonwood and Tres Plumas Grazing Allotments, Mono County 12-2-99. 4pg

TRPA to USFS: Comments RE Draft BMP WQMP 10-1-97. 1 pg

Lake Tahoe Research Group to USFS-LTBMU re Adopting Traditional WQ Monitoring to determine BMP Effectiveness 9-23-97. 2pg

LRWQCB to USFS-LTBMU: BMP for NonPoint Source Control 4-15-97. 6pg

LRWQCB to Regional Forester, USFS: Appeal of FEIS and ROD for Liberty Forest Health Improvement Project 5-1-98. 11pg

LRWQCB to Regional Forester, USFS: Appeal of Decision Notice and FONSI for the Stampede EA 10-5-98. 9pg

LRWQCB to USFS-LTBMU: BMPs – Results of RWQCB Monitoring 1-11-96 3pg

LRWQC to USFS-Carson Ranger District, Toiyabe NF: Woodfords Timber Sale, Alpine County, West Fork Carson River Hydrologic Unit 3-6-97. 4pg

LRWQCB to LTBMU-USFS: Notice of Violation –Discharges of Wastes in Excess of Lahontan Basin Plan WQ Objectives for Fecal Coliform on USFS/LTBMU Grazing Allotments 8-25-99. 77pg

LRWQCB to LTBMU-USFS: Response to Your Letter of December 8, 1995 1-26-96.2pg

Minutes: Meiss Meadow Grazing Allotment meeting of 9-18-95. 2pg

Minutes: Meiss Meadow Grazing Allotment Field Meeting of 11-9-95. 3pg

LRWQCB to Regional Forester, USFS: Appeal of Decision Notice and FONSI for the Noxious Weed Control Program for the Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest, Bridgeport and Carson Ranger Districts – Alpine, Lassen, Mono, Nevada, Plumas and Sierra Counties 6-18-2001. 13 pg.

MEMO: Walt Pettit, ED, SWRCB to Harold Singer, EO, LRWQCB: Interpretation of SWRCB MAA with the USFS 1-23-95. 5pg

MEMO: Harold Singer, EO, LRWQCB to Gaylon Lee, Forest Activities Program Manager, SWRCB: MAA with USFS, Issues for Annual Meeting to be Held 4-30-96, 4-10-96. 2pg

MEMO: Harold Singer, EO, LRWQCB to Walt Pettit, ED, SWRCB: MAA with the USFS MAA with the USFS, 4-29-94: 3pg