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July 24, 2018

Felicia Marcus, Chair  
State Water Resources Control Board  
1001 I Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814**Re: Proposed Final Amendments to the Bay-Delta Plan Environmental Document**

Dear Ms. Marcus,

Since these proposed final amendments fail to address our previously stated concerns, we oppose them and the plan in its entirety.

As set forth in our previous Resolution, you fail to address the fact that the Central Valley has been one of the areas hardest hit by the recent drought. You also fail to take into account the effect this plan in its latest form will have on our large agriculture program in general, and the Irrigation Technician Training (ITT) program in particular since the amount of water being supplied to agricultural uses will be so drastically reduced.

In other words, our nationally acclaimed agricultural program, and our ITT program (which was recently funded by the state in order to further water conservation) will be rendered virtually useless. For these reasons among many others, on behalf of the entire board, we oppose these final amendments since they completely ignore our prior concerns.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tom Hallinan', is written over the printed name.

Tom Hallinan  
Yosemite Community College  
District Board of Trustees, Area 7

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**From:** Tom Hallinan <tompathallinan@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 24, 2018 4:36 PM  
**To:** LSJR-SD-Comments@waterboards.ca.gov; WQCP1Comments  
**Subject:** State Water Resources Board Proposed Final Amendments to the Bay-Delta Plan Environmental Documents  
**Attachments:** Ltr. to SWQCB Re Final Amendments to Enviro. Doc. Bay-Delta.pdf

Attached please find our comments to the above.

Thank you, Tom Hallinan