

Antioch-100a

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10 BEFORE THE STATE WATER RESOURCES 11 CONTROL BOARD

12 HEARING IN THE MATTER OF
13 CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF WATER
14 RESOURCES AND UNITED STATES
15 BUREAU OF RECLAMATION REQUEST
16 FOR A CHANGE IN POINT OF DIVERSION
17 FOR CALIFORNIA WATER FIX

18 **QUALIFICATIONS OF RON
19 BERNAL IN SUPPORT OF
20 PROTEST OF THE CITY OF
21 ANTIOCH, PHASE 1B.**

22 **(Exhibit: Antioch – 100a)**

23 STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS OF RON BERNAL

24 I am the assistant City Manager/Public Works Director/City Engineer for the City
25 of Antioch.. My duties as Public Works/City Engineer for the City of Antioch include
26 overseeing 14 divisions with over 100 public works maintenance and engineering
27 employees who are responsible for designing, constructing, operating, maintaining and
28 the maintenance all aspects of a full service city. Water treatment, water distribution
and water rights are the three primary divisions related to water. As a result of my
work for the City of Antioch, I am very familiar with the City's water supply and
diversions and the person most knowledgeable on staff regarding the background of the
City's water rights.

I have also been involved with negotiations involving the Department of Water
Resources (DWR) regarding a 1968 Agreement between Antioch and DWR relating to

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1 the adverse impacts of the State Water Project (“SWP”) on Antioch’s water supply and
2 water rights (“1968 Agreement”). The 1968 Agreement purports to mitigate adverse
3 chloride level at Antioch resulting from the SWP. I am the primary Antioch management
4 level employee most familiar with the 1968 Agreement and its requirements, history and
5 implementation.
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7 My educational background is a follows: 1986 graduate of UC Davis with a B.S.
8 in Civil Engineering and Civil Engineer registered in the state of California.
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