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Dear Waterfix hearing:

I am opposed to the tunnels, as a northern California resident who has recreated in the Delta for over 50 years. In addition to the likely hood that salt intrusion will destroy the existing plants, fish, and animals, including endangered species such as otters, it will certainly cause many unintended consequences.

**What about spending the 17 Billion on more water storage**, so we can make it through the periodic droughts....or is it more important to enrich the water companies?

The Kern County Water Agency and the Westlands Water District, despite already receiving the majority of the water exported from the Bay Delta sell taxpayer-subsidized water, originally intended for farming, for private profit.

**Nothing good can come from this water grab. Please leave our beautiful Delta alone, let my grandchildren enjoy it as much as I have.**

Sincerely,

Thomas J. Dias