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**Subject:** CA resident urging Board to restore freshwater flow requirements

I live in California, am a voter and taxpayer, and I care about the fish and wildlife of the San Francisco Estuary. I understand that the State Water Board has eliminated important freshwater flow protections for these species. As you know, we're now facing likely extinction of at least six species.

I urge the Board to:

1. Restore the freshwater flow requirements (in Board order D-1641) for March and ensure that these flows, which are critical to the continued existence of several fish species and the general health of our San Francisco Bay Estuary, are actually provided.
2. Reject new petitions seeking suspension of environmental protections for freshwater flows in March and April.

I will be following this with interest. Thank you for your consideration and for your important service.

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