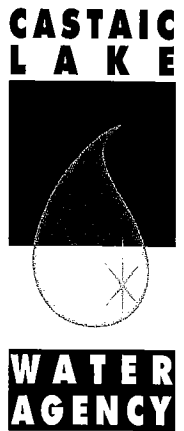


April 28, 2011

Citizens Redistricting Commission
1130 K Street, Suite 101
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Dear Commissioners:

Castaic Lake Water Agency (CLWA) provides water to the Santa Clarita Valley in the northwest portion of Los Angeles County. We currently supply over 270,000 residents and agricultural entities within our service area.

As a registered professional engineer, I frequently campaign to "remove the politics from our water." I applaud your efforts to do the same with our legislative boundaries.

From a water resource engineering perspective, legislative boundaries aligned with watershed areas would be ideal. The numerous entities within each watershed would benefit greatly by working together more cooperatively for the benefit of our most precious natural resource. Certainly, keeping the CLWA service area in a single Assembly District would enhance CLWA's ability to resolve several regional water supply and quality issues.

In the past, the Agency has had success in uniting our interests with those of downstream users in Ventura County on a regional Groundwater Management Plan and an Integrated Water Resources Management Plan (IRWMP). Continuing efforts are now required to resolve a Santa Clara River chloride TMDL (total maximum daily load) issue with the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board. Dividing CLWA's service area into more than one Assembly District needlessly complicates these regionally cooperative and beneficial efforts.

Therefore, I respectfully request you consider maintaining CLWA's service area within a single Assembly District that would include the Santa Clarita Valley and northeastern Ventura County.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Thomas P. Campbell".

Thomas P. Campbell, P.E.
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Dear Commissioners:

I serve as Vice President of the Castaic Lake Water Agency (CLWA) Board of Directors and am a water professional who worked for the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California for forty years. CLWA is a public water wholesaler serving a population of about 270,000 in the Santa Clarita Valley (SCV) of northwest Los Angeles County; our service area also extends into northeast Ventura County.

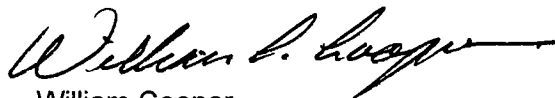
I have long appreciated and understood the need to closely coordinate water supply and land use planning to ensure the needs of those that are here today and those that will come tomorrow are met in the fairest and most equitable manner possible. Accordingly I am writing to request your consideration of including the CLWA service area in a single Assembly District.

Placing the CLWA service area (and the SCV) into one Assembly District would facilitate (1) the resolution of regional (i.e., Santa Clara River watershed basin) water issues, (2) IRWMP (Integrated Water Resources Management Planning) for the Upper Santa Clara River watershed and UWMP (Urban Water Management Plan Act) compliance for the SCV, (3) SCV water supply planning and management coordination with local (i.e., City of Santa Clarita and Los Angeles County) land use planning agencies (e.g., the SCV "One Valley One Vision" general plan amendment processes for both the City and County would be conducted within a single Assembly District) and (4) Clean Water Act compliance consistent with Basin Plan requirements.

Furthermore, the 21,000-home Newhall Ranch project, which will be developed in the western portion of the Valley (and which extends to the Los Angeles/Ventura County line), has been entitled for land use. The water and environmental impacts of this new community, which is fully contained in the CLWA service area, will need to be managed on a regional basis. Placing the CLWA service area in a single Assembly District would help ensure the project is developed in a manner that most enhances the SCV's quality of life and protects its environmental resources.

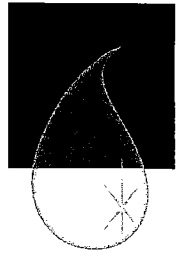
Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,



William Cooper
Vice President

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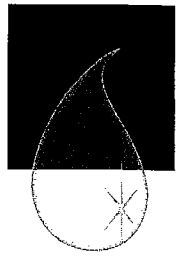
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Dear Commissioners:

I am the General Manager of the Castaic Lake Water Agency (CLWA), a public water wholesaler serving northwest Los Angeles County and northeast Ventura County. The Agency serves almost 270,000 residents in our service area in the Santa Clarita Valley (SCV).

Until recent years the SCV has historically been a high growth area and, as the national and state economy recovers, SCV real estate development is expected to return to pre-recession levels. In fact, the draft 2010 Urban Water Management Plan that the Agency, in collaboration with the four local water retailers we serve, projects the population of the SCV will essentially double over the next forty years.

In addition, the SCV and other communities in Ventura County along the Santa Clara River share the same watershed. Over the years the Santa Clara River upstream (i.e., SCV) and downstream (i.e., Ventura County) interests have collaboratively addressed a number of water supply and quality issues of mutual concern.

Inclusion of the CLWA service area in a single Assembly District would provide the following significant benefits to residents and stakeholders in both the SCV and Ventura County along the Santa Clara River:

- It would ensure optimum coordination of local land use planning (i.e., by the City of Santa Clarita and County of Los Angeles) with water supply management (by the Agency and the local water retailers) to ensure that water supplies continue to meet increasing SCV demands.
- It would enhance collaboration between upstream and downstream stakeholders to address current and future water supply and quality issues in a win-win manner that is truly in the best interest of all who live in the watershed as well as the natural environment of the watershed.

For these compelling reasons, please give strong consideration to including the Castaic Lake Water Agency service area in a single Assembly District.

Sincerely,

Dan Masnada, P.E.
General Manager

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25 April 2011

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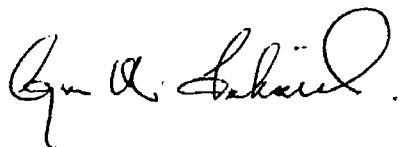
Kennedy/Jenks Consultants is a California-based consulting engineering company with over 500 employees. We have had the opportunity to serve the Castaic Lake Water Agency (CLWA) since 1984. About 270,000 Santa Clarita Valley residents and Ventura County agricultural interests are served by CLWA, a public water wholesaler. During this time, we have witnessed the development and growth of the Santa Clarita Valley from a collection of politically isolated communities to a unified political entity.

CLWA is engaged in several important regional planning issues that will significantly affect the Santa Clarita Valley. These issues include regional planning for the Upper Santa Clara River Watershed, water conservation and water supply reliability, coordination of land use planning and water supply planning, and Clean Water Act compliance consistent with the Basin Plan requirements for the Santa Clara River Watershed. I am concerned that without focused representation or legislative issues, the Santa Clarita Valley will be adversely affected. Single Assembly representation for the CLWA service area would assure that this would not occur.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

KENNEDY/JENKS CONSULTANTS



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