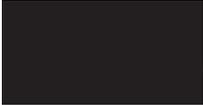


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May 14, 2018

Mr. John Hamon, Chairperson, Paso Basin Cooperative Committee

Mr. Derek Williams, President, Hydro Metrics

Gentlemen:

I have found the last few meetings of the Paso Basin Cooperative Committee interesting and informative. Likewise the two public workshops have been informative. However, a common occurrence at all meetings has been that very few of the important questions or issues brought forward during public comment are answered or actually addressed by staff or consultants. I believe the lack of thoughtful responses undermines the trustworthiness of the process.

I am also of the opinion that the credibility of the GSP development process would be strengthened if Hydro Metrics staff would quickly endeavor to obtain copies of all of the studies and reports relating to the Paso Robles Groundwater basin completed or sanctioned by the County of San Luis Obispo or the City of Paso Robles since January 2000. Part of this document accumulation should include the Paso Robles Groundwater Basin Agreement of November 8, 2005, commonly known as the PRIOR Agreement.

Since 2013 I have been a member of the Paso Basin Committee and more recently of the Water Resources Advisory Committee (WRAC) representing rural residents. I have also attended many meetings or programs sponsored by the DWR. Accordingly, I am familiar with most of the documents I am encouraging you to compile. A review of these documents will shine light on the history of Paso Basin inter-agency water politics, which produced both successes and failures over the last many years.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Gregory T. Grewal". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name being the most prominent.