San Bernardino Valley Municipal Water District Consent Letter to LAFCO 3141

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Ms. Kathleen Rollings-McDonald
Local Agency Formation Commission
215 North D Street, Suite 204
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Subject: LAFCO 3141 – Sphere of influence reduction for San Bernardino Valley Municipal Water District

Dear Ms. Rollings-McDonald:

The Board of Directors of the San Bernardino Valley Municipal Water District (Valley District) has considered the sphere changes in the eastern Yucaipa/Oak Glen area (reduction by approximately 2,164 acres from Valley District and a expansion of the same area to the San Gorgonio Pass Water Agency (Pass Water Agency) anticipated by LAFCO 3141.

The Board agrees that ultimately water service in the area should be provided by Beaumont Cherry Valley Water District (BCVWD) (LAFCO 3097/3098) and that administratively it makes sense to provide for all of BCVWD to be within one State Water Project provider of supplemental water. Since the vast majority of BCVWD's service area and sphere of influence is within the Pass Water Agency in Riverside County the District concurs with LAFCO 3141.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, or need additional information, please contact me at 909-387-9218.

Very truly yours,

Randy Van Gelder

General Manger

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