

Aug. 22, 2023

Hello Mr. Wallin,

Thank you for the hand out you presented during the last PFW meeting on July 25, 2023 titled "Fire History as it informs Water Planning". In reviewing your questions, comments and statements throughout the document, it appears you are conflating a number of past Board and public discussions with future-looking PFW considerations. As stated previously we do not feel it is the best use of time to address comments on the previous Urban and Ag Water Management Plans.

Additionally, it appears that many of your comments are rhetorical in nature and that some comments seem to misinterpret the purpose of the District's PFW process, financial capacities and operational limitations. As we have spoken about with you during our one-on-one meeting earlier this year, as well as attempted to make clear throughout numerous PFW public meetings, NID's PFW process is about transparently creating realistic short, mid and long-term water supply vs. demand projections; not about challenging the course of cultural paradigms.

Due to the wide-ranging scope and scale of your questions, comments and statements, NID staff simply does not have the capacity, time or funds to thoroughly investigate the questions and comments you have made. Your document, however, will be uploaded to the PFW comment section on the website for all interested parties to view.

With Regards,



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