

October 10, 2017

Director Michael Hogan  
507 Barbara Avenue  
Solana Beach 92075

Re: Your letter dated October 4, 2017

Dear Michael:

I received your letter dated October 4, 2017. In that letter you have expressed concerns about not seeing all the draft agreements that would eventually be entered into should the California WaterFix project move forward.

Like you, I am an elected official, and I represent the residents of the Eastern Municipal Water District in Riverside County. I have enough information based on our long and exhaustive process to make a decision with the materials that have been provided. The motion that is before the Board is whether or not to participate in California WaterFix at a financing level of Metropolitan's share of 25.9% of water received from the project. Changes in Metropolitan's participation and financial exposure at a different level would be subject to subsequent votes of our Board. While this is an important and historic vote, it is a simple question at the end of the day. Other agencies around the state are taking action and voting based on the information at hand. I am prepared on behalf of Eastern MWD to take action based on the information at hand. I urge you to do the same for your constituents.

Sincerely,

Randy A. Record  
Chairman of the Board

cc: Jeff Kightlinger, General Manager  
SDCWA Board of Directors  
Metropolitan Board of Directors