

This letter is to state my opposition to the KBRA and its proposed destruction of 4 functional dams producing both clean hydroelectricity and controlled releases of river water for downstream contractors.

As you are aware the potential problems with dams are not from just being there, the problems are created by zealot driven legislation that forces reallocation of water releases and mismanagement of fish water flows.

One thing destroying the dams will effectively do is eliminate the poor choices of the past water releases as there will be no stored water to supplement low flow periods in late summer and fall annually.

My last point is politicians and bureaucrats should NOT be able to change longstanding contracts and property rights by ignoring the State and Federal Constitutions.

Sincerely,

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