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Attn: Isela Medina, District Engineer

**Andrew Ball**  
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Dear Ms. Medina:

**Daniel Curtin**  
Member

Thank you for submitting your application for the Tulare Lake Storage and Floodwater Protection Project to the Water Storage Investment Program (WSIP). During our Basic Eligibility and Completeness review, pursuant to California Code of Regulations, title 23, section 6006 (WSIP regulations)<sup>1</sup>, we could not locate or access the items listed below. Please review the list and provide the requested information no later than **5:00 P.M. on September 15, 2017**. Only the information specifically listed below and received by the due date will be added to your current application.

**Maria Herrera**  
Member

**Catherine Keig**  
Member

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Member

Each WSIP applicant was required to submit a complete application by August 14, 2017. Commission staff has reviewed each application for completeness and basic eligibility, per sections 6006(c)(1) and (3). By submitting the information requested in this letter, you will complete your application. Staff will review this additional information pursuant to section 6007. Additional eligibility issues, including the possibility that other items are missing from the application, may arise during the technical review. If the application remains incomplete or does not meet the basic or additional eligibility requirements, the Commission may determine the project to be ineligible for WSIP funding pursuant to section 6006(c).

Please send the requested information via email to the Program Manager, Hoa Ly, [Hoa.Ly@water.ca.gov](mailto:Hoa.Ly@water.ca.gov). If the total file size exceeds 50MB, please contact Ms. Ly prior to the due date to arrange for delivery.

Completeness (per WSIP regulations Section 6006(c)(3)). The list below provides specific items needed for the application to be complete per section 6006(c)(3)(A).

- Please provide the following models and associated input and output data files referenced in your application:
  - Ecological benefits planning model
  - Hydrologic & hydraulic analysis and economic analysis in sufficient detail to verify the claimed flood benefit

<sup>1</sup> Unless otherwise noted, all references are to the California Code of Regulations, title 23, section 6000 *et seq.*

- Please provide analysis of how the emergency response water is accounted for in the operations modeling for other benefits per section 4.11.3.2 of the Technical Reference.
- Please provide the data and analysis used to determine the values for the alternative cost of water for ecosystem (provided as \$750 per AF in 2030 and \$1050 in 2070) per section 5.3 of the Technical Reference.

If you have any questions regarding this request, please contact Hoa Ly at [Hoa.Ly@water.ca.gov](mailto:Hoa.Ly@water.ca.gov) or (916) 651-9282.

Sincerely,



Joe Yun  
Executive Officer  
California Water Commission