

DATE: March 30, 2004

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Steve Burrell

SUBJECT: Letter Regarding Proposition 50 Funding – Water Quality Letter to Governor Schwarzenegger

RECOMMENDATION

That the City Council authorize sending a letter with the Mayor's signature supporting the use of Proposition 50 bond funds for use by investor owned water utilities.

BACKGROUND

I have attached a letter from Terry Tamble, District Manager of the California Water Service Company. Mr. Tamble is requesting that the City Council authorize a letter to the Governor allowing regulated water utilities access to the Proposition 50 funds for improvements in the water system that serves the city.

A copy of the proposed letter to Governor Schwarzenegger is also attached.