



COACHELLA VALLEY WATER DISTRICT

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December 27, 2013

Trevor Joseph
Section Chief
Sustainable Groundwater Management
Department of Water Resources
901 P Street, Room 213
Sacramento, CA 94236

Dear Mr. Joseph:

Subject: Indio Subbasin Alternative Groundwater Sustainability Plan

The Coachella Valley Water District (CVWD) is pleased to submit an Alternative Groundwater Sustainability Plan (GSP) for the Indio Subbasin, on behalf of CVWD, Coachella Water Authority, Desert Water Agency, and Indio Water Authority (referred to collectively as Indio Subbasin Partners).

The Indio Subbasin Partners have each filed Notices of Election with the Department of Water Resources (DWR) to become Groundwater Sustainability Agencies (GSAs). The Indio Subbasin Partners have also entered a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for partnering on preparation of the Bridge Document and submittal of the Alternative GSP.

Thank you for the guidance DWR has provided during the preparation of the Alternative GSP document. If you have questions or need additional information please contact Patti Reyes, Planning and Special Programs Manager, CVWD, at 760-398-2661 extension 2270, or at preyes@cvwd.org.

Sincerely,

Patti Reyes,
Planning and Special Programs Manager