



September 12, 2022

The Honorable Julia Brownley, Member
United States House of Representatives
2262 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

Re: Thank You for Support of Las Virgenes-Triunfo JPA's Title XVI-WIIN Application

Dear Congresswoman Brownley:

On behalf of the Las Virgenes-Triunfo Joint Powers Authority (JPA), I write to sincerely thank you for your support of the JPA's successful application to the Bureau of Reclamation for its Title XVI-WIIN Program. I am pleased to share that the JPA was awarded \$10,199,637 in funding for the Pure Water Project Las Virgenes-Triunfo (Pure Water Project), which will help to mitigate drought conditions, provide a local source of drinking water for the region and eliminate wastewater discharges to Malibu Creek that are currently released to the Pacific Ocean.

Construction of the Pure Water Project will include a new Advanced Water Purification Facility (AWPF) to take surplus recycled water from the Tapia Water Reclamation Facility (TWRF) and purify it to drinking water standards. The purification system will include advanced technologies such as membrane filtration, reverse osmosis and ultraviolet light disinfection. The Pure Water Demonstration Facility has served to test the treatment process, train operators and support broad customer support, paving the way for a seamless transition once the full-scale facility is built.

The Pure Water Project will be a major step forward to achieve the goals of the Las Virgenes Municipal Water District and Triunfo Water and Sanitation District. It will mitigate severe drought conditions, provide reliable drinking water to countless individuals and families and eliminate wastewater discharges to Malibu Creek. The AWPF will put water to use that was previously discharged to the ocean, providing highly-purified potable water for households across the region. The JPA's members currently rely solely on imported supplies for drinking water, which means that they are severely impacted by drought and subject to drastic water use restrictions. This year, both JPA member agencies have restricted outdoor water usage to one-day-per-week and are faced with a potential complete ban on outdoor watering that could be effective on December 1, 2022. With construction of the Pure Water Project, the JPA can significantly enhance the reliability of potable water supply for individuals and businesses in the region.

Your support and the recently awarded funding have been instrumental for the JPA to advance the Pure Water Project. We are so grateful for your support in securing the financial resources to enhance our water supply reliability and combat the impacts of drought on our region. Thank you!

Sincerely,

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David W. Pedersen, P.E.
Administering Agent/General Manager



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The Honorable Ted Lieu, Member
United States House of Representatives
403 Cannon House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

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United States House of Representatives
2181 Rayburn House Office Building
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