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Dear Doctor Terry:

The Imperial Irrigation District (IID) is pleased to provide this letter in support of the University of California at Berkeley's proposed constructed wetland treatment system for the Salton Sea.

The continuation of this promising technology to treat agricultural return flow water is a very important step in the development of the habitat based components of the Salton Sea restoration. Development of a field test pilot program, located at the Salton Sea is the next step in the long range development of this technology for removal of selenium by volatilization.

IID will continue to provide logistic, final design, and construction support for the constructed wetland treatment system. IID believes that the continuation of this project will help address the need for the development of a more sustainable water source for habitat creation and Salton Sea restoration.

Sincerely;

Bruce Wilcox
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