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March 22, 2012

Mr. Randy Curtis  
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Dear Mr. Curtis:

The Department of Water Resources (DWR) has reviewed the South Tahoe Public Utilities District's (STPUD) 2010 Urban Water Management Plan (UWMP) received on July 13, 2011. The California Water Code (CWC) directs DWR to report to the legislature once every five years on the status of submitted plans. In meeting this legislative reporting requirement, DWR reviews all submitted plans.

DWR's review of plan has found that the plan has generally addressed the overall requirements of the CWC. DWR did observe that the values in the Daily Gross Water Use column in Tables 3.2 and 3.3 on pages 3.2 and 3.3 were not accurate and probably represent a typographical error as the baseline water use calculations appear to be accurately calculated and reported. DWR recommends that STPUD, in revising its UWMP in 2015, correct the values in these two columns.

DWR's review of plans is limited to assessing whether suppliers have addressed the required legislative elements. In its review, DWR does not evaluate or analyze the supplier's UWMP data, projections or water management strategies. This letter is simply meant to acknowledge that STPUD's 2010 UWMP has addressed these requirements. The results of the review will also be provided to DWR's Financial Assistance Branch.

If you have any questions regarding the review of the plan or urban water management planning, please don't hesitate to email or call.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Peter Brostrom".

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