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February 2, 2010

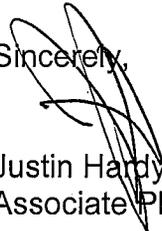
Mr. Simon Eching
California Department of Water Resources
Water Use and Efficiency Branch
P.O. Box 942836
Sacramento, CA 94236-0001

Dear Mrs. Eching:

Staff amended the States Water Efficient Landscape Ordinance to fit more precisely with the Dixon community. The amended ordinance was presented to the Planning Commission in December, 2009. The Planning Commission had several reservations and concerns about adopting such an aggressive ordinance and therefore recommended that it not be adopted. Since then Staff has pursued addressing each of the concerns and plan on bringing a revised ordinance back before the Planning Commission in March for further discussion.

If there are any questions regarding signage please feel free to contact me at (707) 678-7000.

Sincerely,


Justin Hardy
Associate Planner

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Mr. Eching,

The City of Dixon received a reminder letter of requirements to adopt the updated Model Water Efficient Landscape Ordinance by January 31, 2010.

We submitted the Model Ordinance to our Planning Commission in December 2009 however they requested modifications to a few sections. City staff is revising the Ordinance and will be re-submitting it to the Commission in March.

We understand that by statute the model ordinance is in effect until such time as we adopt our ordinance which must be as effective.

If you need any additional documentation, please let me know.

Janet Koster
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