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March 26, 2008

Attention: Judy Colvin
Department of Water Resources
Office of Water Use Efficiency
and Transfers
P. O. Box 942836
Sacramento, CA 94236-0001

RE: CONSENSUS COMMENTS FROM SAN DIEGO REGION'S
CONSERVATION ACTION COMMITTEE ON THE DRAFT LANDSCAPE
MODEL ORDINANCE UPDATE

Dear Ms. Colvin:

The Valley Center Municipal Water District would like to be on the record as supporting comments submitted by the Conservation Action Committee (CAC) on the draft State Model Landscape Ordinance submitted to the Department of Water Resources on March 26, 2008, with its attached table of detailed comments.

We support the efforts of the CAC Ordinance Working Group and the San Diego County Water Authority to develop a regional model landscape ordinance that increases water use efficiency in landscape irrigation in San Diego County, that is supported by local jurisdictions and the landscape industry, and that can be effectively implemented by local jurisdictions. Having a State Model Landscape Ordinance that can be implemented in a reasonable manner will increase the active involvement and enforcement by local jurisdictions in the landscape requirements. Therefore, we encourage you to consider the comments provided by the Conservation Action Committee.

Sincerely,

VALLEY CENTER MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT

Gary Arant
General Manager