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**From:** mweo-bounces@water.ca.gov on behalf of jbrgray@verizon.net  
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**To:** mweo@water.ca.gov  
**Subject:** [MWE0] Model Water Efficient Landscape Ordinance Comments on FinalDraft

Dear Ms. Colvin

I am writing to express my support of the Department of Water Resources (DWR) plan to amend the Model Water Efficient Landscape Ordinance (MO).

Californias limited water supply is threatened by increasing demand, climate change and natural disasters. It is imperative that the State act now to reduce water consumption. Governor Schwarzenegger has recently called for a 20 percent reduction in per capita water use statewide by 2020. I believe that this updated MO, if adopted and implemented, will be an important component in order to achieve the Governors goal.

Urban landscapes are vital to the quality of life in California communities. Landscape irrigation is the single largest use of water in urban areas, and water is resource this state cannot afford to waste. I thank DWR for amending the MO to reflect the best available science and research in order to conserve water.

Sincerely,

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