

September 28, 2006

Mr. Sid Wilson
General Manager
Central Arizona Water Conservation District
23636 North 7th Street
Phoenix, AZ 85024

Dear Mr. Wilson:

Recovery of Interstate Underground Storage Credits in 2007

On October 15, 1992, Metropolitan entered into an agreement with the Central Arizona Water Conservation District to store Colorado River water in central Arizona. Metropolitan stored 89,000 acre-feet under the agreement. The mechanism for recovery is addressed in Article 8 of the agreement, specifying that on or before October 1 of any year, Metropolitan must submit in writing a demand schedule indicating the amounts of Interstate Underground Storage Credits desired by Metropolitan during each month of the following year.

Metropolitan herein requests the recovery of 15,000 acre-feet in 2007. As it is likely considerable capacity will be available in our Colorado River Aqueduct in 2007, there is flexibility on the actual volume that can be recovered and diverted by Metropolitan. In addition, Metropolitan is flexible on the monthly schedule in order to best-fit CAWCD's operational requirements.

Thank you for your agency's cooperation. Please contact me at (213) 217-5786 to discuss this request further.

Very truly yours,



Roger K. Patterson
Assistant General Manager

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