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THREE VALLEYS MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT COMMENDS GOVERNOR NEWSOM'S TRAILER BILL TO ADVANCE DELTA CONVEYANCE

Claremont, California – The Three Valleys Municipal Water District (TVMWD) commends California Governor Gavin Newsom for his bold initiative in introducing a budget trailer bill aimed at streamlining the Delta Conveyance Project (DCP). This significant step forward is crucial for enhancing water resiliency and reliability for Southern California.

TVMWD General Manager applauds the Governor's commitment to furthering this essential water project. "This announcement marks a significant moment in California's water management history," Litchfield stated. "The legislation is intended to modernize the State Water Project and provide a clear path for decision-making regarding the Delta Conveyance Project.

For several decades now, discussions surrounding water infrastructure have fallen short of viable results. "The next two to three years will be some of the most important to make this project come to life," Litchfield iterated. "Portions of Three Valley's service area can only receive imported water from the State Water Project, which magnifies the urgency of the DCP.

TVMWD will be working with its retail member agencies and state legislators to support this initiative. "Now is the time for all stakeholders to come together and advocate for the Delta Conveyance Project," Litchfield added. "We need to ensure that nothing will delay our ability as an industry to move forward in one accord to make that happen."

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Three Valleys Municipal Water District was formed in 1950 under State law for the purpose of annexing to the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California (MWD), thereby entitling the area to receive water imported to the region. Three Valleys is governed by an elected Board of seven officials and covers approximately 133 square miles, serving a population of 515,000. Since its formation, the Three Valleys Municipal Water District has installed 37,000 feet of pipeline and delivered more than 150 billion gallons of water.