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**Subject:** Sites reservoir

I started farming in Willows in the spring of 1978. In the first weeks of my work, our ranch foreman took me to a small valley west of Maxwell. There on the side of the road was a large wooden sign declaring "Future Home of Sites Reservoir". That was 43 years ago.

Since then the project has been studied to death by DWR, the BOR, and many environmental groups. It has served as a full employment act for rafts of biologists, engineers, and environmental consultants.

In spite of the fact that the large majority of the water it would impound would be used to benefit fish habitat, it is still languishing in Congress. In spite of the increasing frequency of drought conditions in California and approval for the project voted on by the citizens in Prop 1, it's construction start is still uncertain.

Please explain in public, for all to see, what the definitive prospects are, if any, for the completion of this project.

Thank you,

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