

Opposition to Proposed Sites Reservoir

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To: EIR-EIS-Comments <eir-eis-comments@sitesproject.org>;

Dear Bureau of Reclamation and Sites Project Authority:

More than 20,000 acres of federal and state public lands along the river that were acquired to protect and restore the river's riparian and aquatic habitats, could be degraded by the diversions from the proposed Sites Reservoir Project. During drought years Sites could **divert more than half of the river's flow** and severely reduce fresh water inflow into the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta downstream. Please don't allow this environmentally destructive project to be built.

Sincerely,
Steve Menicucci