

RESOLUTION NO. R- 252833

R. 81-650

RESOLUTION BY THE SAN DIEGO CITY COUNCIL
URGING VOTER SUPPORT OF STATE BALLOT
PROPOSITION 8

OCT 7 1980

WHEREAS, Southern California and San Diego rely heavily upon the State Water Project for its daily water needs; and

WHEREAS, without added transport facilities for the State Water Project it is highly probable that within 10 years water supplies to Southern California will become significantly less reliable; and

WHEREAS, such water supplies are essential to successfully implementing the conservation, wildlife preservation, reclamation, and groundwater management efforts required under the recently passed Senate Bill 200; and

WHEREAS, the Metropolitan Water District will lose over 660,000 acre feet of water after 1985 due to legal entitlement demands when the Central Arizona Project becomes operational; and

WHEREAS, the Peripheral Canal is a critical element of the State Water Project which will transport much needed water to Southern California instead of into the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta; and

WHEREAS, the Legislature by more than a two-thirds' vote passed ACA 90 which was designated Proposition 8 on the November, 1980 ballot to resolve Delta protection concerns; and

WHEREAS, Proposition 8 will prevent water exportation from any components of the California Wild and Scenic Rivers system

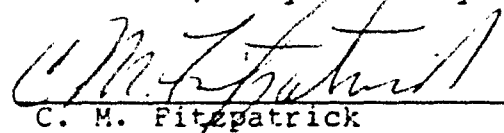
(portions of Klamath, Trinity, Smith, Eel and American Rivers) until approved by an initiative statute requiring a majority of the voters of the state or by statute of the Legislature approved by two-thirds of the members; and

WHEREAS, Proposition 8 will establish streamlined procedures for litigation in state courts brought to question the provisions of Senate Bill 200 thereby preventing unwarranted delays which could precipitate water shortages in Southern California; and

WHEREAS, the passage of Proposition 8 ensures benefits to all areas of the state by providing reasonable environmental safeguards for northern California water resources and reasonable water export access to the cities in Southern California; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the San Diego City Council hereby urges all voters in the city to cast a yes vote for Proposition 8 at the November 4, 1980 election.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

By 
C. M. Fitzpatrick
Senior Chief Deputy

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Or. Dept.: Deputy Mayor Bill Lowery

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Passed and adopted by the Council of The City of San Diego on _____
by the following vote:

Councilmen	Yeas	Nays	Not Present	Ineligible
Bill Mitchell	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bill Cleator	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bill Lowery	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Leon L. Williams	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fred Schnaubelt	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mike Gotch	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Larry Stirling	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lucy Killea	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mayor Pete Wilson	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

AUTHENTICATED BY:

PETE WILSON

Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.

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CHARLES G. ABDELNOUR

City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

By Raymond L. Portecow, Deputy.

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