From: zabdulla@comcast.net

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 8, 2021 3:34 PM

To: Board of Directors; Rishi@RishiKumar.com
Subject: Subject: Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately.

I will do my part to conserve. For sure!

#### Here is my ask for your consideration

- Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. We cannot under utilize Anderson reservoir. The retrofitting project has not moved forward as it should have. The Federal Dam regulators eventually asked the dam be drained because it posed a risk during an earthquake. I know you will get the dam earthquake ready and available at full capacity ASAP.
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My thanks to each of you for your leadership and for doing your utmost to represent the people of Santa Clara county well.

Zahir Abdulla 4810 Alex Drive San Jose, CA 95130

From: Jeannette Allen <jeannette\_allen@yahoo.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 3:58 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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Jeannette Allen 15610 Palos Verdes Dr. Monte Sereno

Sent from my iPhone

From: Susan Anawalt <sue@anawalt.com>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 4:36 PM

**To:** Board of Directors **Cc:** us Rishi Kumar us

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

#### Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately. I will do my part to conserve.

I request you consider:

- Measures to expand our reservoirs. We cannot under utilize Anderson reservoir. The retrofitting project has not moved forward as it should have. The Federal Dam regulators eventually asked the dam be drained because it posed a risk during an earthquake. I know you will get the dam earthquake ready and available at full capacity ASAP.
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- Susan Anawalt 17510 Vineland Ave. Monte Sereno, CA 95030

Susan Anawalt sue@anawalt.com

Victor Frankl: "Being human always points, and is directed, to something or someone, other than oneself...the more one forgets oneself—by giving oneself to a cause to serve or another person to love—the more human one is.

From: Keith Andre < kthjand@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 7:32 PM

**To:** Board of Directors

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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Keith Andre Saratoga Resident

From: Tessa arguijo <arguijo@comcast.net>
Sent: Tuesday, June 8, 2021 10:39 AM

**To:** Board of Directors; rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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- My name Address

Sent from my iPhone

From: mandcbass@aol.com

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 8:33 PM

**To:** Board of Directors

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. We cannot under utilize Anderson reservoir. The retrofitting project has not moved forward as it should have. I know you will get the dam earthquake ready and available at full capacity ASAP.

Please do not permit The San Jose Water company to increase their profits via rate increases or with "surcharges". In 2016, their profits went from \$22m (baseline) to \$52m thanks to the surcharges they imposed upon us based on Valley Water's conservation mandate. Because we conserved, San Jose Water claimed they did not hit their revenue threshold and they filed for a rate increase to supplement their already burgeoning profits. Please do not help increase their profits.

The replacement of infrastructure, that probably is fully depreciated, should be financed with corporate paper (i.e. bonds, stock, bank) not by customer rate increases.

Charles Bass, M.D.

Los Gatos

From: Umesh Bhat <umesh.bhat2005@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 3:09 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members, I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately. I will do my part to conserve. For sure! Here is my ask for your consideration Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. We cannot under utilize Anderson reservoir. The retrofitting project has not moved forward as it should have. The Federal Dam regulators eventually asked the dam be drained because it posed a risk during an earthquake. I know you will get the dam earthquake ready and available at full capacity ASAP. The push for high-density housing via bills such as SB-9 and SB-10 in California and Silicon Valley will only expand the population. What are you going to do to ensure we meet the needs of our population and future droughts? We need to find new resources and avenues for water, including the ability to store water. Please plan for the future growth of the valley. Finally, please do not provide any avenue for San Jose Water Company to increase their profits via rate increases or the one word that gets them VERY excited "surcharges". In 2016, their profits went from \$22m (baseline) to \$52m thanks to the surcharges they imposed upon us based on Valley Water's conservation mandate. But there is more; because we conserved, they claimed they did not hit their revenue threshold and they filed for a rate increase to supplement their already burgeoning profits. Bizarre behavior by our water company! Please do not help increase their profits any more!

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Umesh bhat 13841 Malcom avenue Saratoga. Ca 95070

Sent from my iPhone

From: Sujatha Bodapati <suji@assetpulse.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 3:14 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@RishiKumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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- Sujatha Bodapati

19900 Saraglen Ct.

Saratoga, CA 95070

From: Frank Bracken <FLBracken@aol.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 8, 2021 8:26 AM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@RishiKumar.com

**Cc:** earlabeth@aol.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately.

I will do my part to conserve water in my neighborhood.

## Please before taking any action that could harm our community, consider the following items:

Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. We cannot underutilize Anderson reservoir. The retrofitting project has not moved forward as it should have. The Federal Dam regulators eventually asked the dam be drained because it posed a risk during an earthquake. I know you will get the dam earthquake ready and available at full capacity ASAP.
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Frank Bracken 19413 Eric Drive Saratoga, CA 95070

From: sandra braia <smbraia@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 9:34 PM

**To:** Board of Directors

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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I will do my part to conserve. For sure!

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- Sandra Braia San Jose 95120

Sent from my iPhone

**From:** Patrick Brockett <br/> brockettpat@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 3:10 PM

**To:** Board of Directors

Cc: Scott Eckerman; ranga@charifamily.com; John Smaha; Abid Hussain; Becky Slama; Ruth Kahl; Floyd

Kvamme; Chris Sporck

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

#### Dear Board members,

As a long time resident I am writing on behalf of my family and neighbors to express our concerns about lack of prudent management of our water resources in the state and county.

We live in a semi arid climate which cycles through drought regularly .Despite this long known fact we have added zero reservoir capacity since 1979 while our population has grown by 15 million!

What is your board doing to push the state to increase our reservoir capacity to keep up with our population growth? It appears your strategy is to ration water during droughts by raising prices. That maybe the only option you have because of state governments reluctance to come up with a rational water plan. Residents of this county will no longer accept San Jose Water Company to use rationing as an excuse to price gouge its customers.

If price rationing is needed the excess profits should not go as windfall bonuses to SJWC executives , they must be directed to badly needed funds to fix our old wasteful delivery system

We look forward to hearing your plans on these important issues .

Respectfully

Patrick J Brockett

Saratoga

From: Marcella Browning <marcellabrowning@sbcglobal.net>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 5:07 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@RishiKumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately.

I have been extremely conservative for many years.

Here is my ask for your consideration

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- We NEED ADDITIONAL SOURCES OF WATER TO PROVIDE FOR THE NEEDS OF OUR CURRENT COMMUNITY, as evidenced by purchasing from outside sources.
- The push for high-density housing via bills such as SB-9 and SB-10 in California and Silicon Valley will only expand the population. What are you going to do to ensure we meet the needs of our CURRENT population plus the growth, and worse during future droughts? We need to find new resources and avenues for water, including the ability to store water. Please plan for the future growth of the valley.
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Marcella Browning 11880 Vallejo Drive Saratoga, CA 95070

From: Amrito Chaube <amritochaube@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 8, 2021 11:05 AM

**To:** Board of Directors; +rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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Kind Regrds Amrito Chaube 15035 Union Ave, San Jose, 95124

From: Wei Chen <wchen@cs.stanford.edu>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 4:50 PM

To: Board of Directors
Cc: rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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- Wei Chen 12197 Candy Lane, Saratoga, CA 95070

From: Rudy Crespo <rudy.crespo@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 4:20 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members,<BR>I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately.<BR>I will do my part to conserve. For sure!<BR>Here is my ask for your consideration<BR>Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs and underground water storage capability. The Anderson reservoir retrofitting project has not moved forward much. We should get it done ASAP. <BR>- The push for high-density housing via bills such as SB-9 and SB-10 in California and Silicon Valley will only expand the population. What are you going to do to ensure we meet the needs of our population and future droughts? We need to find new resources and avenues for water, including the ability to store water. Please plan for the future growth of the valley.<BR>- Finally, please do not provide any avenue for San Jose Water Company to increase their profits via rate increases or the one word that gets them VERY excited "surcharges". In 2016, their profits went from \$22m (baseline) to \$52m thanks to the surcharges they imposed upon us based on Valley Water's conservation mandate. But there is more; because we conserved, they claimed they did not hit their revenue threshold and they filed for a rate increase to supplement their already burgeoning profits. Bizarre behavior by our water company who only cares about profits.

Sincerely Rudy Crespo 3482 Corning Drive San Jose Ca. 95118

From: CRUMPTON FAMILY <crumpton3@verizon.net>

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 8, 2021 10:02 AM

**To:** Board of Directors

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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Respectfully,

**Thomas & Catherine Crumpton** 

Crumpton Family 124 Las Astas Dr. Los Gatos, CA 95032

From: lengelbert <lengelbert@comcast.net>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 5:53 PM

To: Board of Directors
Cc: Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members.

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately.

I conserve water on a regular basis and will continue to do so in the future.

#### Here is my ask for your consideration

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Lynne Engelbert 19327 Northampton Dr. Saratoga, CA 95070

From: Jacqueline A Fahrner < jackiefahrner@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 4:17 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; +rishi@rishikumar.com

Cc: Jfahrner

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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Jackie Fahrner

Whitbourne Drive, San Jose, 95120

From: Joseph Fanali <jfanali@ymail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 3:06 PM

To: Board of Directors
Cc: us Rishi Kumar us

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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Joe and Ruth Fanali 13811 Beaumont Ave Saratoga, CA

**From:** jimgailey@yahoo.com

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 4:20 PM

**To:** Board of Directors

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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Jim Gailey 6577 Fall River Drive San Jose, Ca 95120

From: sima geller <serafimgllr@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 3:43 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@RishiKumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members,

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I will do my part to conserve. For sure!

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Sima Geller

Address: 115 Calle Marguerita, Los Gatos, CA 95032

From: Gerald Giles <gbgiles46@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 7:09 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; +Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

#### Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately. I will do my part to conserve. I promise!

Here is my request for your consideration:

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Gerald & Susan Giles 3372 Madonna Drive San Jose, CA 95117

From: Susan Gordon <4susangordon@comcast.net>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 4:28 PM

**To:** Board of Directors

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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Anthony & Susan Gordon 145 Johnson Ave. Los Gatos, CA 95030 4susangordon@comcast.net

Sent from my iPhone

From: Anthony Gioeli <agioeli@hotmail.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 5:00 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; rishi@Rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately.

I will do my part to conserve (just pulled out all my grass for rocks and woodchips!).

#### Here is my ask for your consideration

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Best regards, Anthony Gioeli 183 La Montagne Ct. Los Gatos, CA 95032

From: L G < Imcrane@hotmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 8, 2021 10:47 AM

**To:** Board of Directors

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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Lisa Grunwald 473 Budd Ave. Campbell, CA 95008

From: Deepak Gupta <deepaksgupta@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 3:14 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; +Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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Deepak Gupta 19849 Kane Court Saratoga, CA 95070



From: Rhye <auryaun@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 7:01 PM

To: Board of Directors
Cc: Rishi@RishiKumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately.

I will do my part to conserve.

#### Here is my request for your consideration

- Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. We cannot under utilize Anderson reservoir.
- Get the dam earthquake ready and available at full capacity ASAP.
- The push for high-density housing via bills such as SB-9 and SB-10 in California and Silicon Valley will only expand the population. We require new sourcing an storage solutions. Please plan for the future growth of the valley.
- Finally, **San Jose Water Company** is requesting a rate increase. Not only should this be denied, but they should be questioned for their justification of any "surcharges" when in 2016 they posted record profits.

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Noelle Hughes 248 Greendale Way Apt 1 95129

much love,
~auryaun~
[ be the light in the darkness ]

(Sent from my iPhone)

From: Chandru Idnani <idnanichandru@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 8, 2021 7:26 AM

**To:** Board of Directors; +rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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Chandru & Helen Idnani

Address: 18810 Bellgrove Circle,

Saratoga, CA95070

From: Steven James <stevenvjames@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 8, 2021 5:55 AM

**To:** Board of Directors; +Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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- My name Address

From: Glo J <gloria.janac@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 3:24 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; +Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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Gloria Janac12832 Star Ridge CourtSaratoga, CA 95070

From: Alan Ji <alangji@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 6:36 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; +Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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Alan Ji 19517 Via Real Dr, Saratoga, CA 95070

From: Srida Joisa <srida.joisa@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 7:52 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; +rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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Srida Joisa 12675 Arroyo De Arguello Saratoga, CA 95070

From: Ing Marie Jonsson <ingmarie@ansima.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 2:56 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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Ing-Marie Jonsson 14450 Leland circle Saratoga

From: Jean-Claude Junqua <junquajc@yahoo.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 9:53 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@RishiKumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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Jean-Claude Junqua 12866 Glen Brae Dr. Saratoga CA 95070

From: Pavitra Kamath <pavikamath@yahoo.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 6:05 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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- Pavitra Kamath 20361 Kilbride Ct Saratoga, CA 95070

Sent from my iPhone

From: NARESH KAPOOR <naresh\_kapoor@yahoo.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 5:10 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@RishiKumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

#### Dear Board members,

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Naresh Kapoor 19647 Somerville Drive Saratoga, CA 95070

From: Megan Kehriotis <mkehriotis@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 3:46 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; +rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately. I will certainly do my part to conserve.

I please ask for your consideration of the following

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Megan Kehriotis 190 Bersano Lane, Los Gatos, CA 95051

From: Kejun Xu <hi.kejun@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 8, 2021 8:06 AM

**To:** +rishi@rishikumar.com; Board of Directors

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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- Kejun 4854 Blue Ridge Dr, San Jose, CA 95129

From: Gail Kepler <keplerg@pacbell.net>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 5:53 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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Gail Kepler
 20745 Granada Ct
 Saratoga, CA 95070

From: Pranav Kotamraju <sargam9@yahoo.com>

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 8, 2021 9:04 AM

**To:** Board of Directors; rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately. I will do my part to conserve. For sure! Here is my ask for your consideration:

- Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. The Anderson reservoir retrofitting project has not moved forward much. We should get it done ASAP. During the last drought, the water level was down to 10%, and the timing would have been perfect. Please treat this project with urgency!
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Pranav Kotamraju & Deepika Ummethala 20580 Ashley Way Saratoga, CA 95070

From: Kathy Kroesche <kathy.kroesche111@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 8, 2021 2:41 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

#### Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately.

I will continue to do my part to conserve!

#### Here is my ask for your consideration

- Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. The Anderson reservoir retrofitting project has not moved forward much. We should get it done ASAP. During the last drought, the water level was down to 10%, and the timing would have been perfect. Please treat this project with urgency!
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Kathy Kroesche 111 Atwood Court, Los Gatos, CA 95032

From: v d <noslack02@yahoo.com>
Sent: Nonday, June 7, 2021 5:35 PM

**To:** Board of Directors

**Subject:** Regarding Item 2.1 - Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately.

I will certainly do my part to conserve.

Here is my ask for your consideration:

- Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. We cannot under utilize Anderson reservoir. The retrofitting project has not moved forward as it should have. The Federal Dam regulators eventually asked the dam be drained because it posed a risk during an earthquake. I know you will get the dam earthquake ready and available at full capacity ASAP.
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Best, Laks Saratoga

From: Tom Lawrence <tblavence@mac.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 3:35 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Board meeting June 9th . Item 2.1

Dear Valley Water Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage, and I will continue to do my part to conserve our water usage.

I ask that you please consider the following at your meeting:

- Consider measures to expand our reservoirs. The Anderson Reservoir retrofitting project has not moved forward as it should have. The Federal Dam regulators eventually asked the dam be drained because it posed a risk during an earthquake. Please expedite getting the dam earthquake ready and available at full capacity ASAP.
- The push for high-density housing via bills such as SB-9 and SB-10 in California and Silicon Valley will only expand the population. What are you going to do to ensure we meet the needs of our population and future droughts? We need to find new resources and avenues for water, including the ability to store water. Please plan for the future growth of the valley.
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Thomas Lawrence 21823 Via Regina Saratoga, CA. 95070

**From:** Mike Lee <mike\_s\_lee@outlook.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 4:23 PM

**To:** Board of Directors

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board Members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately. I will do my part to conserve. For sure!

Here is my ask for your consideration

- Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. The Anderson reservoir retrofitting project has not moved forward much. We should get it done ASAP. During the last drought, the water level was down to 10%, and the timing would have been perfect. Please treat this project with urgency!
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Regards,

"Mike" Siu Lun Lee 6400 Camden Ave, San Jose CA 95120

From: John Lindsay <jlindsay\_us@yahoo.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 6:44 PM

**To:** Board of Directors

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members, I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately. I will do my part to conserve. For sure! Here is my ask for your consideration - Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. The Anderson reservoir retrofitting project has not moved forward much. We should get it done ASAP. During the last drought, the water level was down to 10%, and the timing would have been perfect. Please treat this project with urgency! - The push for high-density housing via bills such as SB-9 and SB-10 in California and Silicon Valley will only expand the population. What are you going to do to ensure we meet the needs of our population and future droughts? We need to find new resources and avenues for water, including the ability to store water. Please plan for the future growth of the valley. - Finally, please do not provide any avenue for San Jose Water Company to increase their profits via rate increases or the one word that gets them VERY excited "surcharges". In 2016, their profits went from \$22m (baseline) to \$52m thanks to the surcharges they imposed upon us based on Valley Water's conservation mandate. But there is more; because we conserved, they claimed they did not hit their revenue threshold and they filed for a rate increase to supplement their already burgeoning profits. Bizarre behavior by our water company! Please do not help increase their profits any more! My thanks to each of you for your leadership and for doing your utmost to represent the people of Santa Clara county well. - My name Address

Patricia Lindsay 3554 Bournemouth Ct San Jose, CA 95136

From: Liza Lee lizatlee@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 8:33 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately.

I will and have been doing my part to conserve for years!

#### Here is my ask for your consideration

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Liza Lee

106 Cherrystone Ct., Los Gatos, CA 95032

From: louisa lee <louisamlee@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 4:28 PM

To: Board of Directors
Cc: Rishi@RishiKumar.com
Subject: Item 2.1 Board meeting 9th

Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately.

I will do my part to conserve. For sure!

#### Here is my ask for your consideration

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Louisa Lee 20988 Comer Dr Saratoga Ca

From: frank lung <f\_lung@comcast.net>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 4:18 PM

To: Board of Directors
Cc: f\_lung@comcast.net

**Subject:** Subject: Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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frank lung from 95124

**From:** NC <nhc\_1998@yahoo.com> **Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 11:04 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

#### Dear Board members,

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- My name Address

Maddie H Sent from my iPad

From: Heidi Magner <heidi@themagners.net>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 3:26 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

#### Dear Board members,

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Heidi Magner 13575 Deer Trail Court Saratoga, CA 95070

From: Mnsudhakar <mnsudhakar@yahoo.com>

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 8, 2021 6:20 AM

**To:** Board of Directors; rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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I will do my part to conserve. For sure!

Here is my ask for your consideration:

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Regards, Sudhakar Mambakkam 12088 Covina Ct Saratoga CA 95070

**From:** Cindy McCarthy <cindymccarthylgs@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 10:12 PM

To: Board of Directors
Cc: rishi@rishikumar.com
Subject: Water/Drought

Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately.

I will do my part to conserve. For sure!

#### Here is my ask for your consideration

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Don and Cindy McCarthy 1149 Prentiss Drive San Jose, CA 95120

From: Shamik <shamikm@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 4:38 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

#### Dear Board members,

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I will do my part to conserve. For sure!

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Shamik Mehta 20040 Spaich Ct., Saratoga, CA 95070 shamikm@gmail.com

From: Cathleen Mette <cathym1987@sbcglobal.net>

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 8, 2021 9:18 AM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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Cathleen Mette 13057 Brandywine Dr. Saratoga, CA 95070

Sent from my iPhone

**From:** jmurashige@att.net

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 8, 2021 10:29 AM

**To:** Board of Directors

**Subject:** Subject: Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

#### Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately. I will do my part to conserve. For sure!

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James Murashige 10157 Lockwood Dr Cupertino, CA 95014



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From: BRAD MURRAY <themurrays@comcast.net>

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 8, 2021 1:30 PM

**To:** Board of Directors

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

#### Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately. I will do my part to conserve. For sure! Here is my ask for your consideration - Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. We cannot under utilize Anderson reservoir. The retrofitting project has not moved forward as it should have. The Federal Dam regulators eventually asked the dam be drained because it posed a risk during an earthquake. I know you will get the dam earthquake ready and available at full capacity ASAP. - The push for high-density housing via bills such as SB-9 and SB-10 in California and Silicon Valley will only expand the population. What are you going to do to ensure we meet the needs of our population and future droughts? We need to find new resources and avenues for water, including the ability to store water. Please plan for the future growth of the valley.

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Brad & Ginny Murray 19460 Roble Ct. Saratoga

From: Shivaram Mysore <shivaram.mysore@gmail.com>

Sent: Tuesday, June 8, 2021 6:13 AM
To: Board of Directors; Rishi Kumar
Subject: Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members.

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately. I will do my part to conserve. For sure!

#### Here is my ask for your consideration

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Shivaram Mysore 18270 Baylor Ave., Saratoga, CA 95070

From: Ramin Naimi <ramin@ramin.net>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 3:42 PM

**To:** Board of Directors

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

#### Dear Board members,

Thank you for your support and leadership to ensure we can deal with the drought and water shortage. I would like to take this opportunity to ask for your help in avoiding San Jose Water company to increase their rates and profits via surcharges. In 2016, their profits went from \$22m (baseline) to \$52m thanks to these surcharges they imposed upon us based on Valley Water's conservation mandate. Our efforts to conserve water were successful, but San Jose Water Company claimed that they did not hit their revenue threshold and they filed for a rate increase to supplement their profits. Very strange and counterintuitive to have done this. Please do not help increase their profits any more!

Thank you for your leadership and representation of the people of Santa Clara county.

Ramin Naimi 20696 Wardell Rd, Saratoga, CA 95070

From: Vish Nayak <vnayak\_us@yahoo.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 2:34 PM

**To:** Board of Directors

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members.

We appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately for all Santa Clara Valley water consumers.

We, as SJWC water supplied consumers, will do our part to conserve. For sure!

Here is my ask for your consideration:

- Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. The Anderson reservoir retrofitting project has not moved forward much. We should get it done ASAP. During the last drought, the water level was down to 10%, and the timing would have been perfect. Please treat this project with urgency!
- The push for high-density housing via bills such as SB-9 and SB-10 in California and Silicon Valley will only expand the population. What are you going to do to ensure we meet the needs of our population and future droughts? We need to find new resources and avenues for water, including the ability to store water. Please plan for the future growth of the valley.
- Finally, please do not provide any avenue or reason for San Jose Water Company to increase their profits via rate increases or the one word that gets them VERY excited %2�� surcharges%2��.

In 2016, their profits went from \$22m (baseline) to \$52m thanks to the surcharges they imposed upon us based on Valley Water's conservation mandate.

But there is more; because we conserved, they claimed they did not hit their revenue threshold and they filed for a insane rate increase to supplement their already burgeoning profits. Bizarre behavior by our water company! Please do not help increase their profits any more! We already have the most expensive water rates in the nation. And we are not in the middle of a desert like Las Vegas, which had cheaper rates! HELP!!

My thanks to each of you for your leadership and for doing your utmost to represent the people of Santa Clara county well.

Sincerely,

-Vishwanath and Vaishali Nayak 19287 Bountiful Acres, Saratoga, CA 95070.

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

From: Santosh Rao <santo\_a\_rao@yahoo.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 3:50 PM

**To:** Board of Directors

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members,

I thank you for your leadership to ensure we deal with this drought season and water shortage.

Here is my request for your kind consideration -

Please prioritize measures to expand our water reservoirs. We cannot under utilize Anderson reservoir. The retrofitting project has not moved forward as it should have. The Federal Dam regulators eventually asked the dam be drained because it posed a risk during an earthquake. I know you will get the dam earthquake ready and available at full capacity ASAP.

The push for high-density housing via bills such as SB-9 and SB-10 in California and Silicon Valley will only expand the population. What are you going to do to ensure we meet the needs of our population and future droughts? We need to find new resources and avenues for water, including the ability to store water. Please plan for the future growth of the valley.

Finally, last but not least, <u>please do not provide any support for San Jose Water Company to increase their profits via price hikes or rate increases or any kind of "surcharges".</u>

In 2016, their profits went from \$22m (baseline) to \$52m thanks to the surcharges they imposed upon us based on Valley Water's conservation mandate. But there is more; because we conserved, they claimed they did not hit their revenue threshold and they filed for a rate increase to supplement their already burgeoning profits. Bizarre behavior by our very greedy for profit water company.

Please do not help increase their profits any more.

My thanks to each of you for your leadership and for doing your utmost to represent the people of Santa Clara county well.

Thanks, Santosh Rao 10511 San Felipe Rd Cupertino CA-95014

From: Reshma Ananthakrishnan <reshmaak@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 4:33 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately. I will do my part to conserve. For sure!

#### Here is my ask for your consideration

- Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. We cannot under utilize Anderson reservoir. The retrofitting project has not moved forward as it should have. The Federal Dam regulators eventually asked the dam be drained because it posed a risk during an earthquake. I know you will get the dam earthquake ready and available at full capacity ASAP.
- The push for high-density housing via bills such as SB-9 and SB-10 in California and Silicon Valley will only expand the population. What are you going to do to ensure we meet the needs of our population and future droughts? We need to find new resources and avenues for water, including the ability to store water. Please plan for the future growth of the valley.
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My thanks to each of you for your leadership and for doing your utmost to represent the people of Santa Clara county well.

- Reshma

1227 Fairview Ave San Jose CA 95125

From: Tanya Roosta <tanya.roosta@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 8, 2021 10:54 AM

**To:** Board of Directors; +Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

#### Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately. I will do my part to conserve. For sure!

Here is my ask for your consideration

- Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. We cannot under utilize Anderson reservoir. The retrofitting project has not moved forward as it should have. The Federal Dam regulators eventually asked the dam be drained because it posed a risk during an earthquake. I know you will get the dam earthquake ready and available at full capacity ASAP.
- The push for high-density housing via bills such as SB-9 and SB-10 in California and Silicon Valley will only expand the population. What are you going to do to ensure we meet the needs of our population and future droughts? We need to find new resources and avenues for water, including the ability to store water. Please plan for the future growth of the valley.
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My thanks to each of you for your leadership and for doing your utmost to represent the people of Santa Clara county well.

- Tanya Roosta 19235 Harleigh Dr., Saratoga, 95070

From: William Sanborn <chase-ws@pacbell.net>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 2:33 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@RishiKumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

#### Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately. I will do my part to conserve. For sure! Here is my ask for your consideration - Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs.

The Anderson reservoir retrofitting project has not moved forward much. We should get it done ASAP. During the last drought, the water level was down to 10%, and the timing would have been perfect. Please treat this project with urgency! - The push for high-density housing via bills such as SB-9 and SB-10 in California and Silicon Valley will only expand the population.

What are you going to do to ensure we meet the needs of our population and future droughts? We need to find new resources and avenues for water, including the ability to store water. Please plan for the future growth of the valley.

Finally, please do not provide any avenue for San Jose Water Company to increase their profits via rate increases or the one word that gets them VERY excited "surcharges". In 2016, their profits went from \$22m (baseline) to \$52m thanks to the surcharges they imposed upon us based on Valley Water's conservation mandate. But there is more; because we conserved, they claimed they did not hit their revenue threshold and they filed for a rate increase to supplement their already burgeoning profits.

Bizarre behavior by our water company! Please do not help increase their profits any more despite their heartfelt pleas in the Mercury News and on other media! They are growing quite rich at our expense despite our responses to the present hardship of both the Pandemic and now the continuing drought. We should not have to pay more for using less.

My thanks to each of you for your leadership and for doing your utmost to represent the people of Santa Clara county well.

Respectfully submitted,

William L. Sanborn 18644 Cox Avenue Saratoga, CA 95070

<chase-ws@pacbell.net>

From: Laura Saso < lauraventura 66@yahoo.com>

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 8, 2021 7:20 AM

**To:** Board of Directors; rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

#### Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately. I will do my part to conserve. For sure!

Here is my ask for your consideration

- Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. The Anderson reservoir retrofitting project has not moved forward much. We should get it done ASAP. During the last drought, the water level was down to 10%, and the timing would have been perfect. Please treat this project with urgency!
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My thanks to each of you for your leadership and for doing your utmost to represent the people of Santa Clara county well.

Laura Saso

Bird Ave San Jose ca

From: David Scott <normmargie@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 8, 2021 12:18 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; +Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board Members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately. I have already and will continue to do my part to conserve. Since the last drought, I have installed drought tolerant landscaping where three lawns once were. I have cut water usage by 40%.

Here is my ask for your consideration

- Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. We cannot underutilize Anderson reservoir. The retrofitting project has not moved forward as it should have. The Federal Dam regulators eventually asked the dam be drained because it posed a risk during an earthquake. I know you will get the dam earthquake ready and available at full capacity ASAP.
- The push for high-density housing via bills such as SB-9 and SB-10 in California and Silicon Valley will only expand the population. What are you going to do to ensure we meet the needs of our population and future droughts? We need to find new resources and avenues for water, including the ability to store water. Please plan for the future growth of the valley.
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If there are surcharges, I ask that they be passed through SJW and go towards some public benefit, like paying for the Anderson Dam repair.

My thanks to each of you for your leadership and for doing your utmost to represent the people of Santa Clara County well.

Sincerely, Dave Scott 14269 Quito Road Saratoga, CA

From: Warren Shimada <wshimada1@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 10:37 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; +Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately. I will do my part to conserve. For sure!

Here is what I would like you to consider:

- Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. We cannot under utilize Anderson reservoir. The retrofitting project has not moved forward as it should have. The Federal Dam regulators eventually asked the dam be drained because it posed a risk during an earthquake. I know you will get the dam earthquake ready and available at full capacity ASAP.
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My thanks to each of you for your leadership and for doing your utmost to represent the people of Santa Clara county well.

Warren Shimada 19942 Via Escuela Drive Saratoga, CA 95070

From: Kiran Singh <ksingh1234@yahoo.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 4:01 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@RishiKumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

#### Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately. I will do my part to conserve. For sure!

#### Here is my ask for your consideration

- Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. We cannot under utilize Anderson reservoir. The retrofitting project has not moved forward as it should have. The Federal Dam regulators eventually asked the dam be drained because it posed a risk during an earthquake. I know you will get the dam earthquake ready and available at full capacity ASAP.
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My thanks to each of you for your leadership and for doing your utmost to represent the people of Santa Clara county well. Kiran Singh Saratoga

From: VIVEK SANGHI <vsanghi@yahoo.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 4:58 PM

To: Board of Directors
Cc: Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Re: Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

#### Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately.

I will do my part to conserve. For sure!

#### Here is my ask for your consideration

- Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. We cannot under utilize Anderson reservoir. The retrofitting project has not moved forward as it should have. The Federal Dam regulators eventually asked the dam be drained because it posed a risk during an earthquake. I know you will get the dam earthquake ready and available at full capacity ASAP.
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Vivek Sanghi 20398 Kilbride Court, Saratoga, CA 95070

From: Charlie GMAIL <charles.snyder4@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 2:23 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

#### Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately. I will do my part to conserve. For sure!

Here is my ask for your consideration

- Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. The Anderson reservoir retrofitting project has not moved forward much. We should get it done ASAP. During the last drought, the water level was down to 10%, and the timing would have been perfect. Please treat this project with urgency!
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My thanks to each of you for your leadership and for doing your utmost to represent the people of Santa Clara county well.

Regards, Charles Snyder 21150 Rakstad Rd., San Jose, CA. 95120

From: Partha Srinivasan <partha@srinivasans.us>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 4:35 PM

To: Board of Directors
Cc: Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately.

I will do my part to conserve. For sure!

## Here is my request for your consideration

- Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. We cannot under utilize Anderson reservoir. The retrofitting project has not moved forward as it should have. The Federal Dam regulators eventually asked the dam be drained because it posed a risk during an earthquake. I know you will get the dam earthquake ready and available at full capacity ASAP.
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PLEASE LOOK AT THEIR EGREGIOUS SERVICE CHARGES. Compare them to other water providers - see if their rates make any sense at all. This is classic monopolistic behaviour that we are completely helpless against. Please do something to relieve the price oppression that is ongoing.

My thanks to each of you for your leadership and for doing your utmost to represent the people of Santa Clara county well.

Regards, Partha Srinivasan 18768 Martha Ave, Saratoga, CA

From: Steele, Bill < Bill.Steele@nmrk.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 8, 2021 7:46 AM

**To:** Board of Directors; rishi@Rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately. I will do my part to conserve.

Here is my ask for your consideration

- Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. The Anderson reservoir retrofitting project has not moved forward much. We should get it done ASAP. During the last drought, the water level was down to 10%, and the timing would have been perfect. Please treat this project with urgency!
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Please do not help increase their profits even more!

My thanks to each of you for your leadership and for doing your utmost to represent the people of Santa Clara county well.

Regards,

William Steele

6722 Lookout Bend

San Jose, CA 95120

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From: Vasu Subbiah <vasu\_subbiah@yahoo.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 3:59 PM

**To:** Board of Directors

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately. I will do my part to conserve. For sure!

Here is my ask for your consideration- Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. We cannot under utilize Anderson reservoir. The retrofitting project has not moved forward as it should have. The Federal Dam regulators eventually asked the dam be drained because it posed a risk during an earthquake. I know you will get the dam earthquake ready and available at full capacity ASAP.

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SV Harleigh Drive Saratoga

From: Jagane Sundar <jagane@sundar.org>
Sent: Tuesday, June 8, 2021 1:12 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members,

I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately.

I will do my part to conserve. For sure!

#### Here is my ask for your consideration

- Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. We cannot under utilize Anderson reservoir. The retrofitting project has not moved forward as it should have. The Federal Dam regulators eventually asked the dam be drained because it posed a risk during an earthquake. I know you will get the dam earthquake ready and available at full capacity ASAP.
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Jagane Sundar 15070 Sperry Ln Saratoga, CA 95070

From: Susan Swensson <swenssonsusan@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 7, 2021 3:21 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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Susan Swensson 19796 Oakhaven Dr, Saratoga, CA 95070

Sent from my iPhone

From: Fred Tatar < frtatar@pacbell.net>
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 7:38 PM

**To:** Board of Directors; Rishi@rishikumar.com

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

Dear Board members,<BR>I appreciate your leadership and engagement to ensure we will deal with this drought and water shortage adequately.<BR>I will do my part to conserve. For sure!<BR>Here is my ask for your consideration<BR>Please consider measures to expand our reservoirs. We cannot under utilize Anderson reservoir. The retrofitting project has not moved forward as it should have. The Federal Dam regulators eventually asked the dam be drained because it posed a risk during an earthquake. I know you will get the dam earthquake ready and available at full capacity ASAP.<BR>- The push for high-density housing via bills such as SB-9 and SB-10 in California and Silicon Valley will only expand the population. What are you going to do to ensure we meet the needs of our population and future droughts? We need to find new resources and avenues for water, including the ability to store water. Please plan for the future growth of the valley.<BR>- Finally, please do not provide any avenue for San Jose Water Company to increase their profits via rate increases or the one word that gets them VERY excited "surcharges". In 2016, their profits went from \$22m (baseline) to \$52m thanks to the surcharges they imposed upon us based on Valley Water's conservation mandate. But there is more; because we conserved, they claimed they did not hit their revenue threshold and they filed for a rate increase to supplement their already burgeoning profits. Bizarre behavior by our water company! Please do not help increase their profits any more!<BR><BR><My thanks to each of you for your leadership and for doing your utmost to represent the people of Santa Clara county well.

Frederick Tatar 20577 Manor Drive Saratoga, Ca 95070

Sent from my iPhone

From: 3ÂÏþÇí Tina Chen <txqchen@yahoo.com>

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 8, 2021 10:19 AM

**To:** Board of Directors

**Subject:** Item 2.1 Board meeting June 9th

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From: Chandrashekhar Vishwakarma <cvishwa@yahoo.com>

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From: Naomi Wong <naelw@aol.com>
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From: eileen zanardi <eileenzanardi@yahoo.com>

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