



**\*\*\*SENATE FLOOR ALERT\*\*\***

**SB 1157 (Hertzberg) – OPPOSE UNLESS AMENDED**

April 19, 2022

SB 1157 would implement the joint recommendations of the Department of Water Resources (DWR) and the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) for indoor residential water use standards as shown below:

Time Frame	Existing Standard	Proposed Standard
Until January 1, 2025	55 GPCD	55 GPCD
January 1, 2025 – January 1, 2030	52.5 GPCD	47 GPCD
After January 1, 2030	50 GPCD	42 GPCD

**THESE JOINT RECOMMENDATIONS DO NOT CONSIDER:**

1. Quantitative impacts to water, wastewater, and recycled water.
2. Significant costs or impacts to affordability.
3. Long-term impacts of Covid-19 and working from home.

**COSTS TO WATER, WASTEWATER, and RECYCLED WATER CUSTOMERS WILL BE SIGNIFICANT.** The California Water Efficiency Partnership completed an economic analysis of the proposed 2030 standard and found that it will **cost water agencies and their customers between \$2.8 and \$4.6 billion** to meet that standard.

**THE LEGISLATURE MUST DELAY THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A 2030 STANDARD, AND REQUEST THAT DWR DO ADDITIONAL ANALYSIS OF A FEASIBLE, COST-EFFECTIVE STANDARD.**

## **We urge the Senate to AMEND SB 1157**

Amador Water Agency  
Association of California Water Agencies  
Big Bear City Community Services District  
California Association of Sanitation Agencies  
California Municipal Utilities Association  
California Special Districts Association  
California Water Association  
Calleguas Municipal Water District  
Camrosa Water District  
Carmichael Water District  
City of Camarillo  
City of Roseville  
City of Santa Rosa  
Coachella Valley Water District  
Coastside County Water District  
Cucamonga Valley Water District  
East Orange County Water District  
East Valley Water District  
Eastern Municipal Water District

El Toro Water District  
Elk Grove Water District  
Elsinore Valley Municipal Water District  
Fresno Metropolitan Flood Control District  
Hidden Valley Lake Community Services District  
Indian Wells Valley Water District  
Inland Empire Utilities Agency  
Irvine Ranch Water District  
Las Virgenes Municipal Water District  
Los Angeles County Sanitation Districts  
Mesa Water District  
Monte Vista Water District  
Monterey One Water  
Municipal Water District of Orange County  
Northern California Water Association  
Olivenhain Municipal Water District  
Orange County Sanitation District  
Orange County Water District  
Otay Water District

Padre Dam Municipal Water District  
Placer County Water Agency  
Rancho California Water District  
Regional Water Authority  
San Juan Water District  
Santa Fe Irrigation District  
Santa Margarita Water District  
Serrano Water District  
South Coast Water District  
Tahoe City Public Utility District  
Tri-County Water Authority

Tuolumne Utilities District  
Upper San Gabriel Valley Municipal Water  
District  
Utica Water and Power Authority  
Valley Center Municipal Water District  
Vista Irrigation District  
Walnut Valley Water District  
WateReuse  
West Kern Water District  
Western Municipal Water District  
Yorba Linda Water District