

**CAMPTONVILLE COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT
P.O. BOX 327
CAMPTONVILLE, CA 95922**



**Re: Response to Pre-Application Document Questionnaire
For YCWA New Bullards Bar Hydropower Relicensing FERC Order # 2246**

Dear Curt Aikens and YCWA Board,

The Camptonville Community Service District (CCSD) is writing in response to the Pre-Application Questionnaire sent by DTA on behalf of YCWA regarding the FERC relicensing.

We respond to the questions in your form in the order that they appear.

1. Information about person completing the PAD Questionnaire

Contact: Richard DicKard, Board Member, CCSD

Organization: Camptonville Community Service District

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2. Existing Information

a. Yes – Resource areas that the information relates to:

Water Quality and Quantity, Recreation and Socio-economic resources

b. The available information consists of:

Yuba County Multi-Jurisdictional, Multi Hazard Mitigation Plan Annex C
Information submitted by The Foothills Water Network; the Sierra Nevada Alliance-
“Troubled Water of the Sierra” By Kerri L. Timmer, Edited by Joan Clayburgh;
CCSD, Camptonville Volunteer Fire Department (CVFD) Budget

c. The information on CCSD, CVFD is available from CCSD

d. Designated Representatives:

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e. Specific issues pertaining to water, recreation and socio-economic resources and CCSD:

- Quality and quantity of available water at Bullards Bar vs. the high demands for that water from CalFed and other entities. The needs are:
 - a. Maintaining and improving water shed for tourism –recreation and the fishery
 - b. Maintaining and improving watershed to improve ground water
- Recreation- the risks vs. benefits of tourists in the Sphere of Influence of CCSD
 - a. Benefit: Tourists recreating at Bullards Bar have a positive economic impact
 - b. Risk: Tourists create increased fire hazards, medical emergencies, hazardous materials incidents, increased traffic and trash,– all of which negatively impact the CCSD, CVFD due to increased responses to Bullards Bar and the need for a high level of preparedness for the CCSD, CVFD to be able to respond to same.
- Socio-Economics -Camptonville is an economically depressed area which could benefit from increased tourism. However, CVFD has a limited budget, volunteers, supplies and limited/outdated equipment. All of these factors put a large strain on the budget, manpower and equipment of CVFD.

f. There is a need to study the socio-economic impacts of water quality/quantity and recreation at Bullards Bar on CCSD in order to improve resources and mitigate the negative impacts.

3. Yes - The Camptonville Community Service District plans to participate in YCWA's Yuba River Development relicensing proceeding.