

Why bother to save water?

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The concept of sacrificing long showers, green lawns, clean cars, etc., is a noble effort, but when our rivers are allowed to flow into the sea unfettered to allow salmon to spawn while our reservoirs dry up is ludicrous, and a slap in the face of humanity.

Farmland on the west side is the most fertile in the world, yet it lays fallow, and thousands of human beings are out of work, because of fish? The pumps in the delta that provide water to the San Luis Reservoir, which is now a mud puddle of biblical proportions, are stilled because of — you guessed it — fish.

What has our society become when fish take precedence over the welfare of human beings? I don't mind conserving water, yet when this idiotic waste of our natural resources is allowed to continue, why should I bother?

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