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From: Dennis Cron
Sent: Wed 4/1/2015 1:36:56 PM
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Subject: RE: REPORTER INQUIRY: FW: Gov. Brown's water reduction mandate
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Me too

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE Smartphone

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From: Frank Robinson
Date: 04/01/2015 2:36 PM (GMT-08:00)
To: Kathie Martin, Dennis Cron
Cc: Charlene Engeron
Subject: RE: REPORTER INQUIRY: FW: Gov. Brown's water reduction mandate

I like that.

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From: Kathie Martin
Sent: Wednesday, April 01, 2015 2:24 PM
To: Dennis Cron; Frank Robinson
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Frank, Dennis - I haven't had a chance to read the announcement, but here are my thoughts for a statement. Any thoughts?

"We live in a desert. We don't have ornamental grass in medians, and our citizens have embraced the Cash for Grass program administered by the Mojave Water Agency and local water providers. I don't see the mandatory restrictions having a big impact as we already know and practice water conservation."

-----Original Message-----

From: Johnson, Shea [<mailto:sjohnson@vvdailynews.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, April 1, 2015 2:09 PM
To: Shea Johnson
Subject: Gov. Brown's water reduction mandate

Hi All,

I'm working on localizing Gov. Jerry Brown's announcement today of the first-ever mandatory water restrictions in state history.

Specifically, I'm interested in these two parts:

- Replace 50 million square feet of lawn statewide with drought-tolerant landscaping as part of a partnership with local governments
- Ban the watering of ornamental grass on public street medians

Obviously, this is brand new, but I would be very appreciative for any initial responses you can offer (or track down) regarding the restrictions in terms of how they might possibly affect our local municipalities, or at least whether the restrictions are already being discussed among local leaders.

I'm on a tight 4 p.m. deadline, so please let me know if you can oblige.

Thanks, and best regards,

Shea

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