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To: Assistant Secretary, Indian Affairs*
Director, Fish and Wildlife Service
Director, National Park Service
Director, Geological Survey
Director, Bureau of Land Management
Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation

From: Team Leader, Natural Resources Management
Office of Environmental Policy and Compliance

Subject: Notice of Intent to Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the Oxnard Plain Groundwater Recharge Project, Santa Clara River, Ventura County, CA
(**ER 04/624**)(Agency due date: **September 15, 2004**)

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has published in the August 11, 2004, Federal Register a notice of intent to prepare an EIS for the subject project. You may view the notice at: http://www.access.gpo.gov/su_docs/fedreg/frcont04.html.

This notice gives you an early opportunity to provide technical assistance and/or to participate from your areas of special expertise or jurisdiction. If significant involvement is indicated, you should also participate in the follow-up scoping activities.

Comments should be made directly to the person/address listed in the notice by **September 15, 2004**.

Please provide a copy of any comments you make to this office.

/s/ 8/18/04
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cc: Assistant Secretaries
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