

October 26, 2012

To: <u>WesternPalms@aol.com</u> (via Email Only) Emerson Drake

Re: California Public Records Act Request

Dear Mr. Drake:

On October 16, 2012, Modesto Irrigation District received your Public Records Act Request which was made verbally during the Board meeting, requesting the following information:

"With regard to the falling water charge that's on the bill, I would like to request information regarding the amounts that we've been charged for the last 10 or 15 years and the legality of it."

In accordance with Government Code section 6253, MID will comply with your request to the extent that the writings you have requested are not privileged or otherwise exempt from production under the California Public Records Act, or other applicable law.

Response: Below are the falling water charges for the last five years:

	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Falling Water					
Charge	\$5,681,470	\$7,063,695	\$8,165,250	\$10,158,720	\$7,587,965

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact this office at (209) 526-7388.

Sincerely,

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Tim O'Laughlin Interim General Counsel

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