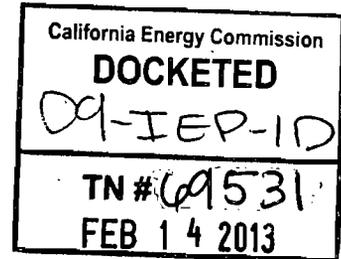


**Bear Valley**  
**Electric Service**  
A Division of Golden State Water Company



February 11, 2013

California Energy Commission  
Docket Office  
Attn: Docket 09-IEP-1D  
1516 Ninth Street, MS-4  
Sacramento, CA 95814-5512

**RE: TRANSMISSION PLANNING- BEAR VALLEY ELECTRIC SERVICE**

Dear California Energy Commission:

Bear Valley Electric Service ("BVES"), a division of Golden State Water Company ("GSWC"), serving the electric needs of approximately 23,000 residents and businesses in the Big Bear Lake area of Southern California, hereby responds to the California Energy Commission's (CEC) 2012 integrated Energy Policy Report ("IEPR") requirement regarding the filing of transmission-related information by March 15, 2013.

Let it be known, that BVES/GSWC neither owns nor operates any transmission facilities; therefore, BVES has no transmission-related information (plans or projects) to file with the CEC. Specifically, the energy that BVES supplies to its customers is transported to its service territory by Southern California Edison Company ("Edison") via three (3) separate 33kV transmission lines owned and operated by Edison.

BVES and GSWS recognize the importance of the IEPR in planning for California's energy future and will provide any information, upon request, that the CEC requires to complete the 2012 IEPR.

Please contact me at (909) 866-1666, with any questions or if you require any additional information. A written response via email or US mail recognizing that BVES/GSWC has no transmission-related information to file with the CEC would be sincerely appreciated.

Respectfully,

Tracey Drabant  
Energy Resource Manager