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A JOINT MEMORIAL

REQUESTING THE APPROPRIATE LEGISLATIVE INTERIM COMMITTEE TO  
INCLUDE WATER CONSERVATION IN ITS WORK PLAN.

WHEREAS, many aquifers, most notably in the Albuquerque valley, are being depleted at a faster rate than they can be replenished; and

WHEREAS, most of the available water in New Mexico's river basins are already committed to present uses; and

WHEREAS, the amount and timing of water released in our streams is sometimes inadequate to sustain healthy ecosystems; and

WHEREAS, the office of the state engineer has been understaffed and underfunded in recent years; and

WHEREAS, conservation of water, watershed management and other methods should be used to achieve increased water yields;



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Mr. Speaker:

Your AGRICULTURE AND WATER RESOURCES COMMITTEE,  
to whom has been referred

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has had it under consideration and reports same with  
recommendation that it DO PASS.

Respectfully submitted,

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G. X. McSherry, Chairman

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Absent: None

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Your CONSERVATION COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred

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Michael S. Sanchez, Chairman

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