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Ms. Barbara Bamberger
CA Air Resources Board
Office of Climate Change
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Dear Ms. Bamberger,

I am Nancy McCleary and I am speaking for the League of Women Voters of San Diego County.

We are following the footprints that AB 32 has made in addressing the challenges of CA climate change. We are pleased that energy efficiency has been placed as the top priority in the draft of the ARB Scoping Plan. League would support requiring an energy audit when older residential and commercial properties are sold.

California greenhouse gas production from human activities continue to grow as a result of growth of population. League is concerned that the draft has not included recommendations that would sufficiently cover the broad range of issues associated with waste production and treatment. Waste reduction, recycling, resource management and compost would provide significant emissions reduction. League believes a statewide commission to address consumption and disposal of waste would be beneficial.

The draft does not contain any water sector measures. We recommend that ARB includes recycling, gray water utilization, residential cisterns or similar conservation measures. The Plan could extend the water sector to incorporate noteworthy recommendations.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Nancy McCleary".

Nancy McCleary
Co-President
League of Women Voters of San Diego County

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