# ${\color{blue} COMMITTEE\ ON\ NATURAL\ RESOURCES} \\ {\color{blue} 113^{th}\ Congress\ Disclosure\ Form} \\ As\ required\ by\ and\ provided\ for\ in\ House\ Rule\ XI,\ clause\ 2(g)\ and }$ the Rules of the Committee on Natural Resources

10/29/13 Oversight Hearing on

"A Roadmap for Increasing our Water and Hydropower Supplies: The Need for New and Expanded Multi-Purpose Surface Storage Facilities"

For Individuals:
1. Name: Tom Barcellos
2. Address: [Information redacted for privacy]
3. Email Address: [Information redacted for privacy]
4. Phone Number: [Information redacted for privacy]
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For Witnesses Representing Organizations:
1. Name
2. Name of Organization(s) You are Representing at the Hearing:
3. Business Address:
4. Business Email Address:
5. Business Phone Number:

#### For all Witnesses

Name/Organization\_\_\_\_Tom Barcellos Title/Date of Hearing\_\_\_

- a. Any training or educational certificates, diplomas or degrees or other educational experiences that are relevant to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.
- b. Any professional licenses, certifications, or affiliations held that are relevant to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.
- . I am serving on several boards that are relevant to water including, but not limited to, Lower Tule Irrigation District, Tule River Association, and Friant Water Authority. I have participated in numerous meetings discussing water needs and conservation.
- c. Any employment, occupation, ownership in a firm or business, or work-related experiences that relate to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.

I have owned and operated Barcellos Farms for 38 years utilizing surface water provided by the Lower Tule Irrigation District.

d. Any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) from the <u>Department of the Interior</u> (<u>and /or other agencies invited</u>) that you have received in the current year and previous four years, including the source and the amount of each grant or contract.

### None

e. A list of all lawsuits or petitions filed by you against the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit or petition, the subject matter of the lawsuit or petition, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits or petitions were filed.

#### None

f. A list of all federal lawsuits filed against you by the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit, the subject matter of the lawsuit, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits were filed.

#### None

g. Any other information you wish to convey that might aid the Members of the Committee to better understand the context of your testimony.

I am a Third Generation farmer, and my three daughters have all worked on the farm operating equipment. Two of my Sons in Law work and have a vested interest in the future of the farm. My Grandsons are already planning to take over operations even though they are 9 and under.

## Witnesses Representing Organizations

Name/Organization
Title/Date of Hearing
h. Any offices, elected positions, or representational capacity held in the organization(s) on whose behalf you are testifying.
i. Any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) from the <u>Department of the Interior</u> (and /or other agencies invited) that were received in the current year and previous four years by the organization(s) you represent at this hearing, including the source and amount of each grant or contract for each of the organization(s).
j. A list of all lawsuits or petitions filed by the organization(s) you represent at the hearing against the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit or petition, the subject matter of the lawsuit or petition, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits or petitions were filed for each of the organization(s).
k. A list of all federal lawsuits filed against the organization(s) you represent at the hearing by the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit, the subject matter of the lawsuit, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits were filed.
1. For tax-exempt organizations and non-profit organizations, copies of the three most recent public IRS Form 990s (including Form 990-PF, Form 990-N, and Form 990-EZ) for each of the organization(s) you represent at the hearing (not including any contributor names and addresses or any information withheld from public inspection by the Secretary of the Treasury under 26 U.S.C. 6104)).