

March 4, 2025

Honorable Monique Limon, Chair
Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee
1021 O Street Room 3220
Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear Senator Monique Limon:

I write to support Senate Bill 463 by Senator Alvarado-Gil that will exempt water districts with fewer than 500 connections from the provisions of SB 522 (2021) requiring water meters at each connection.

- Small rural counties can't not afford the financial costs of installing water meter without state funding.
- Many of those who live in rural areas are seniors and low income.

Thank you for your support of SB 463 which is important to our rural water districts.

Sincerely,