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ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL  
RESOURCES COMMITTEE

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RE: SUBMISSIONS - WATER COLLECTION

I think water must be collected, by some Moat-like construction at base of Snow-covered Mountain/s, or only  $\frac{1}{4}$  or  $\frac{1}{3}$ , at base ready for melting. Then piped to dams.

So much of this snow/ice run-off is wasted, out to sea. Surely some Engineers could find something feasible. ~~Then~~ Even an annual contribution of 5%, could be 30%?, 7%, 10% would be a worthwhile undertaking - \$.

Fence-off to Public.

No stealing others' water, therefore I don't find merit in d-dal when we have water in form of Many Mtn. Peaks.

Yours faithfully,

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P.S. I think our present Dams, were not planned to collect from streams (ice-melt), largely, intentionally. But Now-a-Days, we need every bit of Rainfall is scarce.