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Alan,

It just came to my attention that Mike Britton, manager of the North Unit Irrigation District, has applied to serve on the Fish Screening Task Force. I want lend my support for Mike to be appointed to the Task Force. I have worked with Mike in different capacities through his district's membership in OWRC and he has developed a reputation as a thoughtful person that takes time to understand the issues and then works to find solid solutions that reflect both his role as an irrigation district manager in Oregon and his California experiences with a full recognition that Oregon has different issues and different approaches to fish protection that California does. That is reflected in his election to the OWRC Board of Directors to represent the districts from central Oregon and in his appointment to the Board's Executive Committee.

Irrigation districts and irrigators would be well represented by Mike's appointment to the Fish Screen Task Force. I enthusiastically support his appointment to the Task Force.

Please feel free to contact me if you have questions or need additional information.

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