

Letts Valley
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STATE OF CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME
INTRAOFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

DATE: April 14, 1960

TO: George H. Warner, Fisheries Management Supervisor

FROM: D. W. Kelley, Fisheries Biologist III

SUBJECT: Letts Valley Reservoir

I suggest that a few catchable trout be planted in Letts Valley Reservoir this spring so that we will have a reasonably accurate way of determining if and when the dissolved oxygen is used up by the decaying plants in the bottom. I could make numerous trips to this pond without ever catching it on the verge of a summer kill, but the presence of dead or dying fish will be reported to us by fishermen and others, and we can pinpoint the date of kill with reasonable accuracy.

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cc: Roy Erwin
DWK:mv

4/15/60
Arrangements made w/ Ranch to
Plant 5,000 R.T.C. approx
1/2 ft opening and 1/2 later. This
does not appear on allotment.
Will be absorbed from Stony Creek
drainage which is already at
low flow.
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