

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE
EASTERN SAN JOAQUIN GROUNDWATER AUTHORITY**

RESOLUTION R-20-01

**RESOLUTION AGREEING TO SUBMIT A GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY PLAN TO
THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES ON BEHALF OF THE
MEMBER AGENCIES AND TRANSMIT AN ADDENDUM IDENTIFYING CALAVERAS
COUNTY AS A MEMBER OF THE EASTSIDE GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY
AGENCY**

WHEREAS, the Eastern San Joaquin Groundwater Authority ("Authority") is a Joint Powers Authority created pursuant to California statute, and which is a public entity separate and apart from the Members; and

WHEREAS, the Authority was formed to provide coordination among the Members to develop and implement a Groundwater Sustainability Plan ("GSP") for the Eastern San Joaquin Subbasin ("Basin") in accordance with the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act of 2014 ("SGMA"); and

WHEREAS, each of the Authority members is a local agency which elected to establish itself as a Groundwater Sustainability Agency ("GSA") in accordance with SGMA; and

WHEREAS, SGMA requires that one or more GSPs be developed and implemented for each medium- or high-priority basin, and that these GSPs for basins designated as critically overdrafted be submitted to the California Department of Water Resources ("DWR") by January 31, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Authority has coordinated among the Members the development of a GSP covering the entire Basin; and

WHEREAS, each Member GSA has or will have adopted the GSA prior to January 31, 2020 in accordance with SGMA; and

WHEREAS, one member of the Authority, the Eastside GSA, was inadvertently misdescribed in the GSP; and

WHEREAS, the Eastside GSA is composed of Calaveras County Water District, Stanislaus County, Calaveras County, and Rock Creek Water District. Calaveras County was inadvertently excluded from the textual description in the GSP; and

WHEREAS, the incorrect description of the Eastside GSA does not affect, modify or impact the substantive elements of the GSP; and

WHEREAS, Exhibit "A" to this Resolution contains textual revisions to the GSP which correctly identify Calaveras County as a member of the Eastside GSA and provide updated information regarding the Calaveras County general plan; and

WHEREAS, upon adoption of the GSP by all of the Member GSAs, and prior to January 31, 2020, the Authority, on behalf of its Members, will submit the GSP to DWR, and will include Exhibit "A" as an addendum to the GSP.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that in accordance with the provisions of the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act, the Authority, on behalf of its Members, agrees to submit the Eastern San Joaquin Groundwater Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Plan to the California Department of Water Resources on or before January 31, 2020.

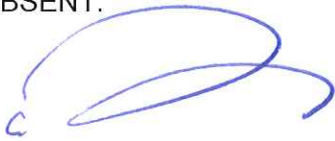
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Authority has determined the revisions contained in the attached Exhibit "A" are clerical in nature, do not substantively modify the Groundwater Sustainability Plan and the sustainable management of groundwater within the Eastern San Joaquin Groundwater Subbasin, and the Authority will submit to the California Department of Water Resources the attached Exhibit "A" as an addendum to the Groundwater Sustainability Plan to correctly describe and identify Calaveras County as a member of the Eastside GSA and provide updated information regarding the Calaveras County general plan.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 8th day of January, 2020, by the following vote of the Board of Directors of the Eastern San Joaquin Groundwater Authority, to wit:

AYES:

NOES: None

ABSENT:



ATTEST: KRIS BALAJI
Secretary of the
Eastern San Joaquin
Groundwater Authority



CHUCK WINN, Chairman
Board of Directors of the
Eastern San Joaquin
Groundwater Authority