

WYANDOTTE CREEK SUBBASIN GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-03

CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION TO ESTABLISH AND COLLECT A FEE FOR THE WYANDOTTE CREEK GSA OPERATIONS

WHEREAS the WYANDOTTE CREEK Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Agency (WCGSA) is authorized to establish an operations fee by Water Code Section 10730; and

WHEREAS Article XIID Section 6, the State of California's Constitution (Proposition 218) requires that public agencies place establishment of certain fees before voters in what is defined as a "majority protest" election and hearing; and,

WHEREAS on July 27, 2023, the WCGSA, in accordance with the provisions of Proposition 218 and Authority Resolution No. 2023-01, held a properly noticed "Majority Protest" hearing regarding the Authority's proposed "Operations Fee"; and,

WHEREAS in accordance with the provisions of Proposition 218, the WCGSA solicited landowner comment on the proposed Operations Fee; and,

WHEREAS in accordance with the provisions of Proposition 218, the Authority accepted written protests regarding the proposed Operations Fee until the conclusion of the public hearing.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE WYANDOTTE CREEK SUBBASIN GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY does hereby resolve, declare and order as follows:

- 1) The WCGSA Board has certified the results of the Proposition 218 Majority Protest process in accordance with approval of WCGSA Resolution No. 23-01.
- 2) The WCGSA Board has approved the FY23-24 Annual Operations Budget in accordance with approval of WCGSA Resolution No. 23-02.
- 3) The Board hereby sets the WCGSA FY23-24 Operations Fees as follows: \$1.16 per acre per year for Non-Irrigated classified parcels, \$7.39 per acre per year for Irrigated-Surface Water classified parcels, and \$11.40 per acre per year for Irrigated-Groundwater classified parcels.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Directors of the WYANDOTTE CREEK SUBBASIN GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY this 27th day of July 2023.

WCGSA Board of Directors Meeting Date: July 27, 2023, Meeting Packet.

AYES: Directors Wristen, Bynum, Daley, Goodson, and Chair Connelly.

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None

CERTIFICATE OF RESOLUTION

We, the undersigned, hereby certify as follows:

1. That we are the Chair and Secretary of the WYANDOTTE CREEK SUBBASIN GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY;
and
2. That the foregoing resolution, consisting of 2 pages, including this page, is a true and correct copy of a resolution of the Board of Directors of the WYANDOTTE CREEK SUBBASIN Groundwater Sustainability Agency, passed at the meeting of the Board of Directors held on July 27, 2023, at the Oroville City Council Chambers, 1735 Montgomery Street, Oroville, CA 95965.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have signed this certificate this 27th day of July 2023, at Oroville, California.

Bill Connelly Bill Connelly, Chair of the Board of Directors

Kamela Loeser Kamela Loeser, Secretary