

RESOLUTION 17-08

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF RECLAMATION DISTRICT NO. 150 TO ELECT TO EXPLORE A BASIN BOUNDARY MODIFICATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE YOLO SUBBASIN GROUNDWATER AGENCY TO SUBMIT AN INITIAL NOTIFICATION AND FORMAL BASIN BOUNDARY MODIFICATION REQUEST

WHEREAS, current groundwater management in Yolo County includes all or part of two basins identified in the California Department of Water Resources (DWR) Bulletin No. 118 (2016 edits) subbasins: Solano (5-21.66) and Yolo (5-21.67) Subbasins; and

WHEREAS, the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act of 2014 (“SGMA”) defines a basin’s boundaries as identified in DWR’s Bulletin No. 118; and

WHEREAS, the Reclamation District No. 150 (“District”) is a local agency as defined by the SGMA, duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California; and

WHEREAS, on April 10, 2017, the District held a public hearing and elected to become the Groundwater Sustainability Agency (“GSA”) for the area underlying its boundaries within the Solano Subbasin; and

WHEREAS, the SGMA establishes a process for local agencies to request that DWR revise the boundaries of existing groundwater basins and subbasins, including establishment of new subbasins; and

WHEREAS, the District continues to be actively involved with the Yolo Subbasin Groundwater Agency’s implementation of the SGMA and believes that integration and collaboration with the Yolo Subbasin Groundwater Agency and Yolo County agencies and stakeholders is in the best interest of the District and groundwater sustainability within the District; and

WHEREAS, the Yolo Subbasin Groundwater Agency is looking forward to the collaboration with the District in sustainably and efficiently managing Yolo County’s groundwater and developing and implementing the Yolo Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Plan (“GSP”);

WHEREAS, the District plans to submit an initial notification for a Basin Boundary Modification (“BBM”) to include the entire District in the Yolo Subbasin and has informed the Solano Subbasin Groundwater Sustainability Agency of the District’s intent; and

WHEREAS, the District consents to the Yolo Subbasin Groundwater Agency’s submission of the official BBM request to DWR after January 1, 2018 to include the District in the Yolo Subbasin.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Reclamation District No. 150 that the District hereby elects to explore a BBM, initiates the request process, and authorizes the Yolo Subbasin Groundwater Agency's Executive Officer, or his designee, to submit an initial notification to DWR. The District also authorizes the Yolo Subbasin Groundwater Agency to submit the formal BBM request to modify the Bulletin No. 118 boundaries as allowed by Title 23 of the California Code of Regulations to create an expanded Yolo Subbasin in Yolo County.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Trustees of the Reclamation District No. 150 on October 9, 2017.



Warren Bogle, President

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of Resolution No. 17-08 adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Reclamation District No. 150 at its meeting held October 9, 2017.



Sherri Ruggiero, Recording Secretary