

RESOLUTION NO. 17-18-04

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF
STOCKTON EAST WATER DISTRICT
APPROVING THE REVISED GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY BOUNDARY MAP
FOR THE EASTERN SAN JOAQUIN SUBBASIN AND SUBMITTAL OF THE MAP TO THE
CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

WHEREAS, the California Legislature and Governor Jerry Brown signed into law Senate Bills 1168 and 1319 and Assembly Bill 1739, known collectively as the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act (SGMA); and

WHEREAS, SGMA went into effect on January 1, 2015; and

WHEREAS, SGMA requires all high and medium priority groundwater basins, as designated by the California Department of Water Resources (DWR) Bulletin 118, to be managed by a Groundwater Sustainability Agency (GSA) or multiple GSAs by June 30, 2017; and

WHEREAS, the Eastern San Joaquin Subbasin (Subbasin) has been designated by DWR as a high-priority basin and in critical overdraft; and

WHEREAS, SGMA authorizes a local public agency overlying a groundwater Subbasin to elect to become a GSA; and

WHEREAS, on September 29, 2015 the Stockton East Water District Board of Directors elected to become a GSA for the portions of San Joaquin County (County) within the Subbasin; and

WHEREAS, the Stockton East Water District submitted notification to DWR on October 8, 2015 of its decision to become a GSA; and

WHEREAS, the decision to become a GSA will take effect if no other local agency has filed a GSA formation notice for all or a portion of the same area of a basin within 90-days of the initial posted notice, or if any GSA overlap has been resolved and all applicable Water Code requirements have been met; and

WHEREAS, as reflected in Water Code §10723.8(c), where there is overlap in areas proposed to be managed by local agencies, the local agencies shall seek to reach agreement to resolve the overlap to allow prompt designation of a GSA. Water Code Reference §10723 *et seq.*; and

WHEREAS, GSA overlap can be resolved by withdrawal or modification of a posted GSA formation notice(s) to eliminate any overlap in the area(s) proposed to be managed; and

WHEREAS, the County and other public agencies who can file to become a GSA within the Subbasin, have successfully resolved GSA overlaps; and

WHEREAS, a parcel-level boundary map has been developed by the County for the entire Subbasin, which defines the boundaries of each GSA without GSA overlap within the Subbasin; and

WHEREAS, the Stockton East Water District is in agreement with the GSA boundaries depicted on this map for the Subbasin;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Directors of the Stockton East Water District hereby accepts the Subbasin GSA Map depicting all GSAs within the Subbasin.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Directors of the Stockton East Water District directs staff to submit the Subbasin GSA Map to DWR designating Stockton East Water District as the exclusive GSA as depicted on the Map.

PASSED AND ADOPTED at a regular meeting by the Board of Directors of the Stockton East Water District on the 13th day of June 2017 by the following vote of the members thereof:

Ayes: Atkins, Cortopassi, McGaughey, McGurk, Panizza, Sanguinetti, Watkins

Noes: None

Absent: None

Abstain: None

Thomas McGurk

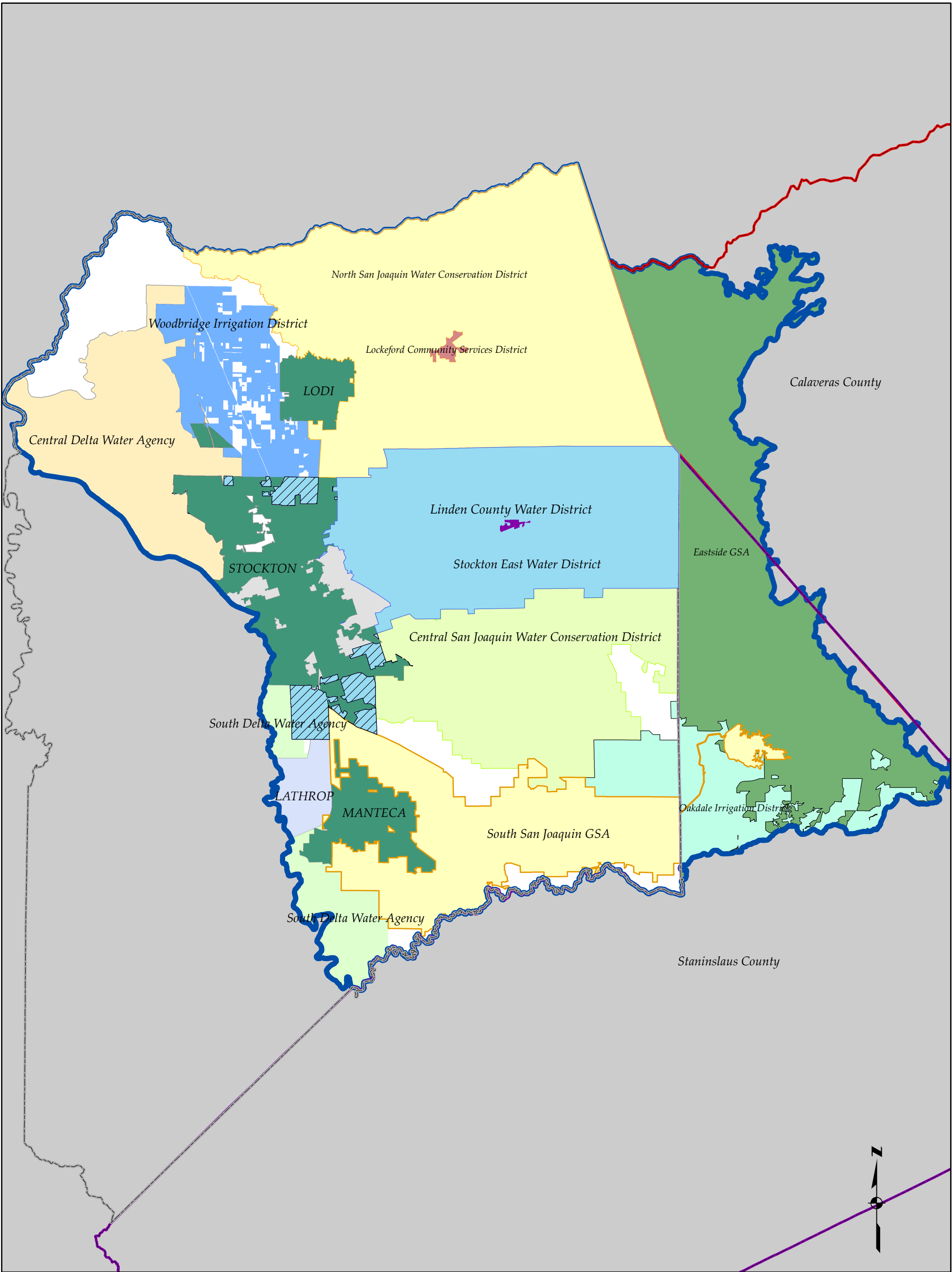
Thomas McGurk, President

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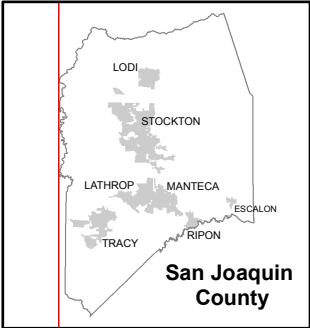
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Secretary of the Board





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(Groundwater Sustainability Agencies)

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