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RE: Notice of the Pleasant Valley Water District's Intent to Serve as Groundwater Sustainability Agency for the Pleasant Valley Subbasin

Dear Mr. Nordberg,

This letter serves as notification to the California Department of Water Resources that the Pleasant Valley Water District (PVWD) has elected to become a Groundwater Sustainability Agency (GSA) pursuant to Water Code Section 10723.8(a) and the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act (SGMA) for the Pleasant Valley Subbasin, as proposed, of the San Joaquin Valley Basin (Basin) located within the boundary identified in **Exhibit A**. At this time, no other entity has elected to become or has provided notice to the California Department of Water Resources (DWR) of their formation of, or intent to form a GSA to manage aforementioned Pleasant Valley Subbasin.

A public hearing was advertised (**Exhibit B**) and then held in the County of the District on January 24th, in which the Pleasant Valley Water District Board of Directors allowed public comment and approved resolution 17-01 electing to serve as a GSA (**Exhibit C**) for the Pleasant Valley Subbasin. No new bylaws, ordinances, or other new authorities were adopted in connection with this resolution to serve as GSA.

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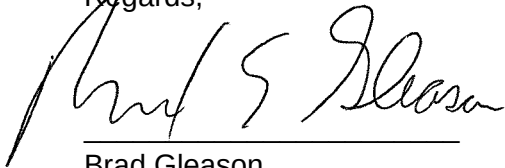
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The Pleasant Valley Water District lies within the Pleasant Valley Subbasin. The easterly boundary of the PVWD abuts the Westside Subbasin westerly boundary and the southerly boundary of the PVWD abuts the Kettleman Plain northerly boundary. PVWD anticipates the need to enter into intra- and inter-basin agreements to ensure that Groundwater Sustainability Plans (GSPs) are coordinated and satisfy applicable regulations developed under SGMA.

For a detailed list of interested parties and stakeholders, and an explanation of how their interests will be considered in the development and operation of the GSA and development and implementation of the GSP, see **Exhibit D** attached hereto.

Should you have any questions or require additional information with regard to this notice, please contact the District's representative, Brad Gleason at (559) 432-2175 x107.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Brad S. Gleason', written over a horizontal line.

Brad Gleason

Pleasant Valley Water District, President

Attachments

- Exhibit A: Map of GSA Boundaries (GIS shape file to follow)
- Exhibit B: Notice of Public Hearing pursuant to Water Code 10723(b)
- Exhibit C: Resolution
- Exhibit D: List of Interested Parties per Water Code 10723.2