



RESOLUTION NO. 2025- 01

**RESOLUTION ADOPTING AMENDED GRONDWATER SUSTAINABILTIY PLAN FOR THE
CHOWCHILLA SUBBASIN**

WHEREAS, the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act of 2014, Water Code sections 10720-10737.8 ("SGMA") was signed into law on September 16, 2014; and

WHEREAS, SGMA requires that each California Groundwater subbasin be managed by a Groundwater Sustainability Agency ("GSA"), or multiple GSAs, and that such management be implemented pursuant to an approved Groundwater Sustainability Plan ("GSP"), or multiple GSPs; and

WHEREAS, the Triangle T Water District GSA is a GSA under SGMA for areas within Chowchilla Subbasin; and

WHEREAS, the Triangle T Water District GSA, the Chowchilla Water District GSA, the Madera County GSA, and the Merced County Chowchilla GSA collaboratively prepared a single GSP for the Chowchilla Subbasin in accordance with Water Code section 10727.2 to include all the components required by SGMA; and

WHEREAS, on December 17, 2019, the Triangle T Water District GSA, the County GSA, the Chowchilla Water District GSA, and Merced County GSA for the Chowchilla Subbasin, adopted a GSP for the Chowchilla Subbasin; and

WHEREAS, on or about January 29, 2020, the GSP for the Chowchilla Subbasin was submitted to the Department of Water Resources ("DWR") for review, public comment, and approval; and

WHEREAS, on January 28, 2022, DWR sent a letter to the Chowchilla Subbasin GSP Plan Manager stating that the GSP was determined to be incomplete because the GSP has not defined sustainable management criteria in the manner required by SGMA and the GSP regulations related to subsidence, and the Chowchilla Subbasin GSAs did not sufficiently demonstrate that interconnected surface water or undesirable results related to depletions of interconnected surface water are not present and are not likely to occur in the Chowchilla Subbasin; and



WHEREAS, the Chowchilla Subbasin GSP was amended to address the deficiencies outline in the January 28, 2022, letter form DWR on July 14, 2022, and

WHEREAS, The Chowchilla Subbasin GSP has been amended to address additional deficiencies outlined by State Water Resource Control Board and

WHEREAS, the Chowchilla Water District GSA, on behalf of all the GSAs in the Chowchilla Subbasin, gave notice on August 30, 2024 pursuant to Water Code section 10728.4 to affected cities and counties regarding the intent of the GSAs to each adopt the revised GSP, and,

WHEREAS, Triangle T Water District GSA will hold a public hearing on September 12, 2025 at 2:00 PM and remain open until March 13, 2025 for the purpose of considering adoption of the amended GSP for it portion of the Chowchilla Groundwater Subbasin, and

WHEREAS, upon adoption of a GSP, Water Code section 10733.4 requires that the GSP be submitted to State Water Resource Control Board for review.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Directors for the Triangle T Water District GSA, as follows:

- 1) The foregoing is true and correct.
- 2) The GSP in the form presented at the Hearing is hereby approved and adopted.
- 3) The District Secretary is authorized and directed to timely provide notification of this approval and adoption to State Water Resource Control Board including a copy of this Resolution, the approved GSP, and any additional information required by law.

Passed and adopted at a meeting of the Triangle T Water District GSA on March 13, 2025, by the following vote:

AYES: 5

NAYS: 0

ABSTAIN: 0

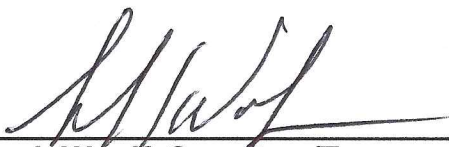
ABSENT: 0



Lucas Avila, President

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Sarah Woolf, Secretary/Treasurer