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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
FOR ADOPTION OF THE GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY PLAN FOR
THE BEDFORD-COLDWATER GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AUTHORITY
UNDER THE SUSTAINABLE GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT ACT

Pursuant to California Water Code Section 10728.4, the Bedford-Coldwater Groundwater Sustainability Authority (BCGSA) shall hold a public hearing to consider adoption of a Groundwater Sustainability Plan (GSP) for the Bedford-Coldwater Groundwater Subbasin (DWR Bulletin 118 Groundwater Basin: 8-004.02). This GSP was prepared in response to passage of the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act of 2014 and applies to areas within the city limits. The public, agencies and other interested parties are invited to attend the November 18, 2021 public hearing which will be held at 4:00 p.m. and provide written and verbal comments. The meeting will be held virtually, with participation information listed on the meeting agenda, which will be available at <https://www.bedfordcoldwatergsa.com/ou-treach/> at least 72 hours prior to the meeting. Comments received during the public hearing will be considered by the Board of Directors for its determination to adopt the proposed GSP. For additional details and to download a copy of the final Groundwater Sustainability Plan, visit <https://www.bedfordcoldwatergsa.com/documents/>. For more information, contact Victor Harris, by email at victor@hhwaterresources.com, or by phone: (626) 840-3592.
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RESOLUTION NO. 21-02

RESOLUTION OF THE BEDFORD-COLDWATER
GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AUTHORITY
APPROVING THE GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY
PLAN FOR THE BEDFORD COLDWATER SUBBASIN AND
AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING ITS FILING WITH THE
CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

WHEREAS, in the fall of 2014 the California legislature adopted, and the Governor signed into law, three bills (SB 1168, AB 1739, and SB 1319) collectively referred to as the “Sustainable Groundwater Management Act” (“SGMA”), that became effective on January 1, 2015, and that has been amended from time-to-time thereafter; and,

WHEREAS, the stated purpose of SGMA, as set forth in California Water Code section 10720.1, is to provide for the sustainable management of groundwater basins at a local level by providing local groundwater agencies with the authority, and technical and financial assistance necessary, to sustainably manage groundwater; and,

WHEREAS, in March of 2017 the Bedford Coldwater Groundwater Sustainability Authority (“BCGSA”) was formed for the purpose of being a Groundwater Sustainability Authority (GSA) for the Bedford Coldwater Subbasin (“Subbasin”); and

WHEREAS, the BCGSA is a Joint Powers Authority GSA consisting of Elsinore Valley Municipal Water District, Temescal Valley Water District, and City of Corona; and,

WHEREAS, SGMA requires GSAs to adopt a Groundwater Sustainability Plans (GSPs) for each basin/subbasin within the GSA’s jurisdiction; and,

WHEREAS, GSPs for basins designated medium priority in Department of Water Resources (DWR)’s Bulletin 118, are due to be filed with DWR no later than January 31, 2022; and,

WHEREAS, the Subbasin is designated very low-priority; and,

WHEREAS, the BCGSA decided to undertake the process to prepare a GSP for the Subbasin to achieve the sustainability goal as required by SGMA using the schedule of medium priority basins; and,

WHEREAS, the BCGSA has provided the notices required by Water Code section 10727.8, and formed an Advisory Committee consisting of local agencies, and

groundwater users in the basin, which has reviewed and provided input into the GSP for the Subbasin; and,

WHEREAS, the BCGSA Board of Directors held numerous public meetings where elements of the GSP for the Subbasin have been presented and discussed, and where the general public has been provided the opportunity to comment on the GSP; and,

WHEREAS, the BCGSA received written public comments on the various elements of the GSP, which have been reviewed and commented on, where and as appropriate, as part of the GSP; and,

WHEREAS, the BCGSA has noticed a public hearing for November 18, 2021, as required by Water Code section 10728.4 for the purpose of consider adopting a GSP for the Subbasin; and,

WHEREAS, at the public hearing, the Board of Directors considered the GSP for the Subbasin and provided opportunity for comments from the public thereon; and,

WHEREAS, the GSP for the Subbasin contains all the elements required by Water Code sections 10727.2 and 10727.4; and,

WHEREAS, after its filing with DWR, the GSP for the Subbasin will be subject to a further public review period, and will undergo review by DWR for a period not exceeding two years; and,

WHEREAS, the GSP for the Subbasin will be subject to further updating during the DWR review period, and periodically thereafter; and,

WHEREAS, it is now necessary and appropriate for the Board of Directors to consider the approval of the GSP for the balance of the Subbasin, and authorize and direct its filing with DWR no later than the date required by SGMA; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Directors of the Bedford Coldwater Groundwater Sustainability Authority as follows:

1. The above Recitals are true and correct.
2. The GSP for the Bedford Coldwater Subbasin is approved for the entirety of the Subbasin.
3. The Deputy Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to cause the GSP to be filed with the California DWR no later than January 31, 2022, as required by the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act.
4. The Deputy Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to take such other and further actions as may be necessary or appropriate to implement the intent and purposes of this resolution.

APPROVED, ADOPTED AND SIGNED this 18th day of November 2021.



Paul Rodriguez, President of the
Board of Directors of the
Bedford-Coldwater Groundwater
Sustainability Authority

ATTEST:



Phil Williams, Secretary to the
Board of Directors of the
Bedford-Coldwater Groundwater
Sustainability Authority