

Before the Board of Directors of the Monterey County Water Resources Agency County of Monterey, State of California

BOARD ORDER No. 25-27

RECOMMEND THE MONTEREY COUNTY WATER RESOURCES AGENCY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS TO:

A. APPROVE AND ADOPT THE FISCAL YEAR 2025-26 ZONE 2B WATER DELIVERY CHARGE OF \$85.24 PER ACRE-FOOT OF WATER DELIVERED FOR ZONE 2B FOR THE CASTROVILLE SEAWATER INTRUSION PROJECT AND THE SALINAS VALLEY RECLAMATION PROJECT; AND

B. NOTICE AND HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON MAY 28, 2025, AT 9:00 A.M. TO CONSIDER APPROVING AND ADOPTING THE RATE CHANGE; AND

C. DIRECT THE CLERK OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS TO PUBLISH A HEARING NOTICE ONCE A WEEK FOR TWO CONSECUTIVE WEEKS PRIOR TO THE DATE SET FOR THE PUBLIC HEARING BY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Upon motion of Director Deidre Sullivan, seconded by Director Mark Gonzalez, and carried by those members present, the Board of Directors hereby:

Recommended the Monterey County Water Resources Agency Board of Supervisors to:

- a. Approve and adopt the Fiscal Year 2025-26 Zone 2B Water Delivery charge of \$85.24 per acre-foot of water delivered for Zone 2B for the Castroville Seawater Intrusion Project and the Salinas Valley Reclamation Project; and
- b. Notice and hold a public hearing on May 28, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. to consider approving and adopting the rate change; and
- c. Direct the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to publish a hearing notice once a week for two consecutive weeks prior to the date set for the public hearing by Board of Supervisors.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this 21st day of April 2025, by the following vote, to-wit:

AYES: Mike LeBarre, Matt Simis, Mark Gonzalez, Deidre Sullivan, Ken Ekelund, Jason Smith, Jon Conatser

NOES: Mike Scattini, John Baillie

ABSENT: None

ABSTAINED: None

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Mike LeBarre, Chair BY: **Board of Directors**

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