



County of Monterey

Item No.

Board Report

Board of Supervisors
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Consider adopting a Resolution approving the amended Conflict of Interest Code of the Monterey County Water Resources Agency.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends that the Board of Supervisors, as the code reviewing body under the Political Reform Act, approve the amended Conflict of Interest Code of the Monterey County Water Resources Agency.

SUMMARY:

Following the biennial review of its Conflict of Interest Code as required by Government Code section 87306.5, the Monterey County Water Resources Agency (MCWRA) has amended its Conflict of Interest (COI) Code, as required by Government Code, section 87306.5, to reflect changes in its designated positions. These include removal of the Water Maintenance Superintendent position and the addition of the Maintenance Manager position.

DISCUSSION:

Amendments to local agency COI Codes are authorized by section 87306 of the Government Code whenever changes are required by changed circumstances, by creation or deletion of designated positions, or by changes in the duty of such positions. The proposed COI Code of the Monterey County Water Resources Agency, as amended, is lawful under the Political Reform Act of 1974.

Pursuant to sections 82011 and 87303 of the Government Code, the Board of Supervisors is the code reviewing body and may (1) approve the COI Code amendment as submitted, (2) revise the proposed COI Code amendment, (3) approve the COI Code amendment as revised, and/or (4) return the proposed COI Code to the agency for revision and resubmission.

For the Board's reference, the draft resolution is attached to this report as Attachment 1, a clean version of the proposed amended COI Code is included as Attachment 2, and a redline copy of the proposed amended COI Code is included as Attachment 3.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

The Office of the County Counsel has reviewed the amended Conflict of Interest Code of the MCWRA as to form.

FINANCING:

The approval of this requested COI Code amendment will have no financial impact on the County.

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Attachments:

1. Resolution
2. Conflict of Interest Code - Clean Version
3. Conflict of Interest Code - Redline Version