

Resolution No.

STOCKTON CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION APPROVING AND ADOPTING THE 2015 URBAN WATER MANAGEMENT PLAN

On October 13, 2015, the City of Stockton (City) entered into an agreement for Professional Services with Brown and Caldwell Engineering to prepare the 2015 Urban Water Management Plan (2015 Plan); and

The Urban Water Management Planning Act at Wat. Code, Div. 6, Pt. 2.6, §§ 10610 through 10656 requires urban water suppliers providing over 3,000 acre-feet of water annually or serving 3,000 or more connections to prepare and submit an Urban Water Management Plan to the California Department of Water Resources every five years; and

Urban Water Management Plans are intended to provide a guide to manage urban water demands efficiently and to provide long-term water resource planning to ensure adequate and reliable water supplies over a 20-year planning horizon considering normal, dry, and multiple dry years; and

An Urban Water Management Plan is necessary for water agencies to be eligible for State water management grants and loans; and

As part of the Urban Water Management Plan, the Water Conservation Act of 2009 (Senate Bill X7-7) calls for a statewide per capita water use reduction of 20 percent by 2020 and requires water agencies to determine their baseline water use, an interim water use target, and a compliance water use target using one of four methodologies identified by the California Department of Water Resources; and

Using the methodology provided by the California Department of Water Resources, an 2015 interim water use target of 172 gallons per capita per day and a 2020 compliance water use target of 165 gallons per capita per day must be achieved; and

The City's actual 2015 gallons per capita per day of 130 achieved the 2015 interim target and is also projected to meet the 2020 target; and

The City is committed to implementing and adjusting the Demand Management Measures, water conservation measures, identified in the 2015 Plan to help achieve both the interim and compliance water use targets based on available resources; the financial impact and commitment for which will be evaluated as part of the annual budget process; and

In accordance with the California Water Code and other applicable laws, a 60-day notice was provided to all applicable agencies on April 8, 2016, the 2015 Plan was made available for public inspection prior to consideration for adoption, and notice of the time and place of the public hearing was provided in the Stockton Record on May 23, 2016; and

The Urban Water Management Plan complies with the requirements of the Urban Water Management Planning Act; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STOCKTON, AS FOLLOWS:

1. The City Council approves and adopts the 2015 Urban Water Management Plan in accordance with the California Water Code and authorizes its transmittal to the California Department of Water Resources, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit 1 and incorporated by this reference.

2. As part of the 2015 Plan, the City Council identifies 179 gallons per capita per day (gpcd) as the City's 5-year baseline water use, 178 gpcd as the 10-year baseline water use, and adopts Method 3 methodology, as provided by the California Department of Water Resources for determining both the 2015 interim and 2020 compliance water use targets of 172 and 165 gpcd, respectively as identified in the 2015 Plan.

3. Adoption of the 2015 Plan is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to the California Water Code.

4. The City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to take all necessary actions to carry out the purpose and intent of this resolution and to incorporate any necessary amendments as stipulated by the State Department of Water Resources.

PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED July 12, 2016.

ANTHONY SILVA
Mayor of the City of Stockton

ATTEST:

BONNIE PAIGE
City Clerk of the City of Stockton