

ZONE 7
ALAMEDA COUNTY FLOOD CONTROL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT
BOARD OF DIRECTORS

RESOLUTION NO 15-79

INTRODUCED BY DIRECTOR QUIGLEY
SECONDED BY DIRECTOR GRECI

***Memorandum of Understanding to Delegate Authority
Provided by the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act***

WHEREAS, the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act of 2014 (SGMA) requires the formation of Local Groundwater Sustainability Agencies (GSAs) and the adoption of Groundwater Sustainability Plans for high- and medium-priority basins within five to seven years; and

WHEREAS, portions of the San Joaquin Valley Tracy basin (Tracy Basin) (Groundwater Basin 5-22.15), a medium priority basin, lie within the boundaries of Alameda County, San Joaquin County and Contra Costa County; and

WHEREAS, the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act identified Zone 7 as the exclusive local agency to be the GSA for that portion of Alameda County within its service area which includes the small portion of the Tracy Basin within Alameda County; and

WHEREAS, the San Luis & Delta Mendota Water Authority (SLDMWA) intends to be the GSA for that portion of the Tracy Basin within San Joaquin County which represents the majority area of the Tracy Basin; and

WHEREAS, it is mutually beneficial to create this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to establish the delegation of authority to allow the SLDMWA to be the GSA for the portion of the Tracy Basin within Alameda County to assure sustainable groundwater management without changing any basin boundaries.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Directors of Zone 7 of the Alameda County Flood Control and Water Conservation District directs the General Manager to negotiate and execute the MOU with SLDMWA to Delegate Authority Provided by the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: DIRECTORS FIGURES, GRECI, MCGRAIL, PALMER, QUIGLEY, RAMIREZ HOLMES, STEVENS

NOES: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

ABSTAIN: NONE

I certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of a Resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of Zone 7 of the Alameda County Flood Control and Water Conservation District on August 19, 2015.

By: 
President, Board of Directors