

RESOLUTION NO. 2014-08

A RESOLUTION OF THE HEBER PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT TO ESTABLISH WATER CONSERVATION MEASURES ACCORDING TO STATE WATER BOARD MANDATES

WHEREAS, on January 17, 2014, the Governor issued a proclamation of a state of emergency under the California Emergency Services Act based on drought conditions; and

WHEREAS, on April 25, 2014, the Governor issued a proclamation of a continued state of emergency under the California Emergency Services Act based on continued drought conditions; and

WHEREAS, on July 15, 2014 the State Water Board adopted an Emergency Regulation for Statewide Urban Water Conservation; and

WHEREAS, this urgent Legislation has been enacted to ensure water providers implement water conservation practices for both Urban Water Providers who provide water to 3,000 connections or more, and smaller water providers that serve less than 3,000 connections; and

WHEREAS, the Heber Public Utility District serves less than 3,000 connections and is not required to adopt and implement an Urban Water Management Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Heber Public Utility District desires to follow all State Water Board regulations, and seeks to provide notice of the emergency drought regulations to the customers of the District; and

NOW, THEREFORE, THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE HEBER PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:


- 1) That the foregoing statements are true and correct.
- 2) That to promote water conservation, each of the following actions is prohibited, except where necessary to address an immediate health and safety need or to comply with a term or condition in a permit issued by a state or federal agency.
 - a. The application of potable water to outdoor landscapes in a manner that causes runoff such that water flows onto adjacent property, non-irrigated areas, private and public walkways, roadways, parking lots, or structures;
 - b. The use of a hose that dispenses potable water to wash a motor vehicle, except where the hose is fitted with a shut-off nozzle or device attached to it that causes it to cease dispensing water immediately when not in use;
 - c. The application of potable water to driveways and sidewalks; and
 - d. The use of potable water in a fountain or other decorative water features, except where the water is part of a recirculating system.
- 3) That outdoor irrigation of ornamental landscapes or turf with potable water by the persons it serves shall be limited to no more than two days per week.

- 4) That this Resolution shall remain in effect for 270 days after adoption, or for as long as the State Water Resources Control Board's emergency regulations remain in effect.

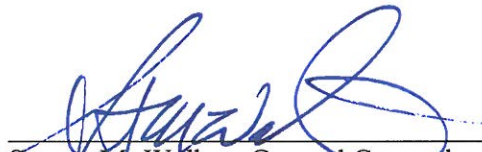
PASSED AND ADOPTED at a Special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Heber Public Utility District held on the 23rd day of August, 2014.


Margarita K. Lizarraga, Board President

ATTEST:



Graciela Lopez, Acting as Clerk of the Board

APPROVE AS TO FORM:


Steven M. Walker, General Counsel

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF IMPERIAL)
HEBER PUBLIC UTILITY)
DISTRICT)

I, GRACIELA LOPEZ, Acting as the Clerk of the Board of the Heber Public Utility District, County of Imperial, State of California, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing resolution was dully passed, approved and adopted by the Board of Directors of the Heber Public Utility District at a Special meeting held on the 23rd day of August 2014.

By 
Graciela Lopez, Acting as Clerk of the Board