

RESOLUTION NO. 2017-9-2

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CUCAMONGA VALLEY WATER DISTRICT IN SUPPORT OF THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES CALIFORNIA WATERFIX PROJECT

WHEREAS, California WaterFix is the state's plan to upgrade outdated infrastructure in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta (Delta) to secure California's water supplies and improve the Delta's ecosystem; and

WHEREAS, California WaterFix will secure clean water supplies for 25 million Californians, thousands of businesses, and 3 million acres of farmland; and

WHEREAS, California WaterFix has addressed the many concerns brought forward by fellow water agencies, as well as environmental groups, and is the best solution to address the issue of water supply and vulnerability; and

WHEREAS, the \$17.1 billion project includes two tunnels, three new intakes, and many other measures to ensure the safety of the environment and wildlife in the Delta; and

WHEREAS, the costs of the project are placed onto those agencies whom would benefit from the project, including the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California (MWD); and


WHEREAS, MWD and a large portion of the Inland Empire water providers depend on reliable supplies of imported water from Northern California; and

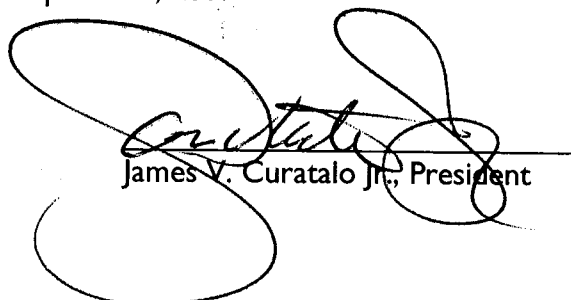
WHEREAS, potential benefits to the Inland Empire from the California WaterFix project include: preserving the quality of life and economic vitality of the region; protecting the region's largest water supply; surviving droughts; maintaining high-quality water; and capturing big storms.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Directors of the Cucamonga Valley Water District hereby supports the California WaterFix project.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 12th day of September, 2017

Attest:


Martin E. Zvirbulis
Secretary of the Board of Directors


James V. Curatalo Jr., President