## **RESOLUTION NO. 2016-07**

## RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE SAN BENITO COUNTY WATER DISTRICT SETTING FORTH ITS INTENTIONS REGARDING PERCOLATION OF SAN FELIPE PROJECT WATER FOR WATER CONTRACT YEAR 2016-2017

**WHEREAS** The Board of Directors of the San Benito County Water District hereby resolves as follows:

- 1. That Item 2 of Resolution 94-07 is suspended through February 28, 2017;
- 2. That percolation of San Felipe Water directly or through coordination with Zone 3 shall be limited to 300 acre feet of Irrigation water and 200 acre feet of M&I water (the amounts assumed in the development of the 2016-2017 Groundwater Rates) and that priority shall be given to delivery through the San Felipe Distribution System of customer contract quantities.
- 3. That San Felipe water shall only be used for in-stream or other artificial percolation in the following sub-basins or portions of sub-basins:

Tres Pinos and Hollister West, south of the Union Bridge

- 4. That any percolation of 2016/2017 Irrigation and/or M & I Carry Over water shall be coordinated with San Felipe Distribution System deliveries to maximize the use of 2016/2017 Irrigation and/or M & I Carry Over water for San Felipe Distribution System Deliveries.
- 5. That percolation of San Felipe Project Water (Zone 6) be coordinated with the percolation operations of the San Benito River System (Zone 3) to the mutual benefit of those zones.
- 6. That this Resolution shall be effective through February 28, 2017, at which time its provisions shall terminate.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the San Benito County Water District Board February 24, 2016, by the following vote:

- AYES: DIRECTORS: Flores, Tobias, Tonascia & Huenemann
- NOES: DIRECTORS: None
- ABSTAIN: DIRECTORS: None
- ABSENT: DIRECTORS: Bettencourt

<u>/s/Sonny Flores</u> Sonny Flores President

ATTEST: <u>/s/Sara Singleton</u> Sara Singleton Assistant Manager