RESOLUTION NO. 2022-18

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE SAN BENITO COUNTY WATER DISTRICT, ACTING AS THE GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY FOR THE NORTH SAN BENITO GROUNDWATER BASIN, REQUESTING THE COUNTY OF SAN BENITO TO COLLECT A GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT FEE ON THE PROPERTY TAX ROLLS

WHEREAS, on July 14, 2021, the Board of Directors of the San Benito County Water District, acting as the groundwater sustainability agency for the North San Benito Groundwater Basin (the "San Benito County Water District GSA"), duly adopted and levied a Groundwater Management Fee pursuant to the authority and in compliance with the requirements of California Water Code section 10730(a);

WHEREAS, California Water Code section 10730(d) authorizes the San Benito County Water District GSA (the "GSA") to request collection of the Groundwater Management Fee in the same manner as ordinary municipal *ad valorem* taxes;

WHEREAS, a list of parcels and the amount of the Groundwater Management Fee to be collected for each parcel for Fiscal Year 2022-2023 (the "2022-2023 Roll") has been prepared in compliance with the requirements of California Water Code section 10730(d)(2), has been submitted to the Board of Directors, and is on file with the District Manager of the San Benito County Water District, which 2022-2023 Roll is included herein by reference;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Directors of the San Benito County Water District, acting as the San Benito County Water District GSA, that the GSA hereby requests the County of San Benito to collect, on the County property tax rolls for fiscal year 2022-23, the Groundwater Management Fee in the amounts shown with respect to the parcels on the 2022-2023 Roll.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the District Manager of the San Benito County Water District is authorized and directed to deliver a copy of this Resolution and 2022-2023 Roll to the San Benito County Auditor-Controller and Board of Supervisors by August 1, 2022.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the President of the Board is authorized to sign this Resolution on behalf of the Board and the GSA.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Directors of the San Benito County Water District, acting as the San Benito County Water District GSA, at a regular Board Meeting, this 25th day of May 2022 by the following vote:

AYES:	DIRECTORS: Tonascia, Flores, Shelton, Tobias & Williams
NOES:	DIRECTORS: None
ABSENT:	DIRECTORS: None

ABSTAIN: DIRECTORS: None

(Signature of presiding Board member Attested by Board Secretary Resolution #2022-18)

> /s/Joseph Tonascia Joseph Tonascia President

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