

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-12

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF
THE SAN BENITO COUNTY WATER DISTRICT RESCINDING
RESOLUTION 2022-11 THE DECLARATION OF A WATER SHORTAGE
EMERGENCY CONDITION AND IMPLEMENTING
THE DISTRICT'S WATER SHORTAGE CONTINGENCY PLANS**

WHEREAS, On April 27, 2022, the Board of Directors adopted Resolution 2022-11 in response to the continued statewide drought emergency; and

WHEREAS, in 2023, California is experiencing historic levels of rainfall and snowpack, including one of the wettest three-week periods on record in January 2023; and,

WHEREAS, on March 24, 2023, the Governor of the State of California, through Executive Order N-5-23, terminated the requirement that urban water suppliers activate Level 2 of their water contingency plans; and

WHEREAS, The District receives water from the Central Valley Project (CVP) as a federal contractor; and,

WHEREAS, on April 20, 2023, the Bureau of Reclamation increased the South of the Delta contractors allocation to 100% for Agricultural and 100% of historical use for Municipal and Industrial (M&I) water users;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Directors hereby rescinds Resolution 2022-11.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Directors of the San Benito County Water District this 26th day of April, 2023, by the following vote:

AYES: DIRECTORS: Flores, Shelton, Tonascia, Williams & Wright

NOES: DIRECTORS: None

ABSENT: DIRECTORS: None

ABSTAIN: DIRECTORS: None

(Signature of presiding Board member
Attested by Board Secretary
Resolution #2023-12)

/s/ Sonny Flores
Sonny Flores
President

ATTEST: /s/ Joyce Machado
Joyce Machado
Manager of Administration, Finance and Business Services