Resolution No. 2020-04
of the
Fox Canyon Groundwater Management Agency

A RESOLUTION TO DEFER CIVIL PENALTIES IN RESPONSE TO THE STATE OF EMERGENCY DUE TO THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS

WHEREAS, The State of California declared a state of emergency due to the novel coronavirus on March 4, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the County of Ventura declared a local health emergency in response to novel coronavirus activity on March 12, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Agency recommends deferring accrual of civil penalties and interest imposed by Resolution No. 2019-1 from the date of the County’s emergency health declaration on March 12, 2020 through June 30, 2020, in view of the ongoing financial impacts of the emergency on groundwater users.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED AND ORDERED as follows:

Civil penalties and accrual of interest are hereby deferred from March 12, 2020, through June 30, 2020, for failure to:

a. Submit a semi-annual extraction statement and/or pay an owed extraction charge and/or interest and/or surcharge by the due date;
b. Submit an application for efficiency allocation by the due date;
c. Report a change in owner or operator as required per Ordinance Code Section 2.2;
d. Submit notification of any change in flowmeter equipment and calibration per Ordinance Code Chapter 3 and Resolution No. 2019-2;
e. Submit proof of installation of AMI per An Ordinance Requiring that Flowmeters be Equipped with Advanced Metering Infrastructure Telemetry and Resolution No. 2018-1; and/or
f. Submit a monthly extraction report as required by Ordinance No. 8.9.

On motion by T. Trembley and seconded by E. West, the foregoing resolution was passed and adopted on April 22, 2020, by the following vote.

AYES – 5
NOES – 0
ABSTAINS – 0
ABSENT – 0
By:  
Eugene F. West, Chair, Board of Directors  
Fox Canyon Groundwater Management Agency

ATTEST: I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of Resolution No. 2020-04.

By:  
Keely Royas, Clerk of the Board