



Health & Human Services Agency COUNTY OF TULARE AGENDA ITEM

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AGENDA DATE: April 10, 2018

Public Hearing Required Scheduled Public Hearing w/Clerk Published Notice Required Advertised Published Notice Meet & Confer Required Electronic file(s) has been sent Budget Transfer (Aud 308) attached Personnel Resolution attached Agreements are attached and signatur tab(s)/flag(s)	_		
CONTACT PERSON: Andrew Lockman PHONE: 624-8000			

SUBJECT:

Reaffirm Resolution No. 2014-0090, adopted February 4, 2014

REQUEST(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

Reaffirm the Proclamation of a Local Emergency due to Drought in Tulare County Resolution No. 2014-0090.

SUMMARY:

Tulare County continues to experience residual impacts from California's recent historic drought. While the climatological drought conditions and surface water shortages were mitigated by record precipitation in early 2017, groundwater recharge has yet to occur in some areas, and ongoing concerns remain regarding seasonal fluctuations in precipitation amounts and surface water availability. Meanwhile, Self Help Enterprises' temporary tank program continues to operate across the County, and construction continues on drought-related water projects in areas such as Monson and Okieville. In recognition of these impacts, the Governor continued the Drought State of Emergency for the Counties of Tulare, Fresno, Kings, and Tuolumne on April 7, 2017, despite terminating it for the rest of California. Staff recommends continuing the proclamation of local emergency at this time on the same basis.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:

There is no cost associated with proclaiming or continuing a Local Emergency. This action supports ongoing response and recovery efforts, assisting residents and service providers with obtaining needed assistance and potentially reducing reliance upon County services.

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LINKAGE TO THE COUNTY OF TULARE STRATEGIC BUSINESS PLAN:

The County's five-year strategic plan includes the Safety and Security initiative, with a directive to plan and provide coordinated emergency preparedness, response, recovery and mitigation capabilities for both natural and man-made disasters. This proclamation enacts the emergency organization and authorities of the County, and provides for a coordinated emergency response and recovery across the Tulare Operational Area.

ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:

Jason T./Britt Agency Director

Cc: Auditor-Controller

County Counsel

County Administrative Office (2)

Attachment(s) None

BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF TULARE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE MATTER OF REAFFIRM RESONO. 2014-0090, ADOPTED FEBRUAR 2014	, ,
UPON MOTION OF SUPERVISO	OR, SECONDED BY
SUPERVISOR	_, THE FOLLOWING WAS ADOPTED BY THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, AT AN O	FICIAL MEETING HELD
, BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:	
AYES: NOES: ABSTAIN: ABSENT:	
ATTEST:	MICHAEL C. SPATA COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER/ CLERK, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
BY:	
	Deputy Clerk
* * * * * * * * * Reaffirmed the Proclamation of a Local	* * * * * * * * * * * * Emergency due to Drought in Tulare County

Resolution No. 2014-0090.