

RESOLUTION 31-2024

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE GROVELAND COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL MANAGER TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR GRANT FUNDING THROUGH THE BUREAU OF RECLAMATION WATERSMART WATER AND ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAM FOR FISCAL YEAR 2025 FOR THE GROVELAND AUTOMATED METERING INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECT

WHEREAS, the Groveland Community Services District (herein referred to as District) is a local government agency formed and operating in accordance with Section §61000 et seq. of the California Government Code; and

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of the Interior Bureau of Reclamation provides funding opportunities for water and energy efficiency projects as part of the Bureau of Reclamation's WaterSMART Water and Energy Efficiency Program; and

WHEREAS, the Groveland Community Services District (District) desires to submit a grant application for the Automatic Meter Reading Installation Project (Project); and

WHEREAS, the Bureau of Reclamation has been delegated the responsibility for the administration of this grant program and establishing necessary procedures; and

WHEREAS, said procedures established by the Bureau of Reclamation require the applicant to certify by resolution the identity of the official with legal authority to enter into an agreement; that the appropriate official or governing body has reviewed and supports the application submitted; the capability of the applicant to provide the amount of funding and/or in-kind contributions specified in the application funding plan; and that the applicant will work with the Bureau of Reclamation to meet established deadlines or entering into a cooperative agreement; and

WHEREAS, the applicant will enter into a cooperative agreement or grant agreement with the Bureau of Reclamation to complete the Project if awarded grant funds.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE GROVELAND COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT DOES hereby adopt Resolution 31-2024 authorizing the General Manager to submit an application for Grant Funding through the Bureau of Reclamation WaterSMART Water and Energy Efficiency Program for Fiscal Year 2025 for the Groveland Automated Metering Infrastructure Project and resolves as follows:

SECTION 1. The General Manager, or his designee, is hereby authorized to act as agent with legal authority to enter into the grant agreement, conduct all negotiations, execute and submit all documents including, but not limited to, applications, agreements, payment requests and any other grant required correspondence which may be necessary for the completion of the grant program.

SECTION 2. The General Manager, or designee, is hereby authorized to certify that the District will have sufficient matching funds to operate and maintain the grant project requirements in the amount not to exceed \$2,000,000.

SECTION 3. The General Manager, or his designee, will work with the Bureau of Reclamation to meet established deadlines for entering into a cooperative agreement.

SECTION 4. Certifies that the Board of Directors of the Groveland Community Services District has reviewed and supports the proposed application.

WHEREFORE, this Resolution is passed and adopted by the Board of Directors of the Groveland Community Services District on October 8, 2024, by the following vote:

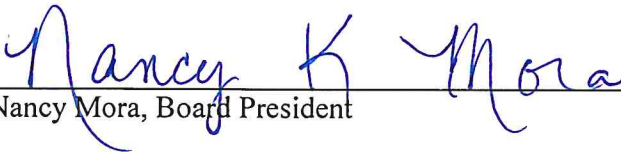
AYES: Directors Mora, Kwiatkowski, Edwards, and Swan

ABSENT: Director Armstrong

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

APPROVE:



Nancy Mora, Board President

ATTEST:



Rachel Pearlman, Board Secretary

CERTIFICATE OF SECRETARY

I, Rachel Pearlman, the duly appointed and acting Secretary of the Board of Directors of the Groveland Community Services District, do hereby declare that the foregoing Resolution was duly passed and adopted at a Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Groveland Community Services District, duly called and held on October 8, 2024.

DATED: October 8, 2024