

RESOLUTION 3043

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
OF WESTERN MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT
OF RIVERSIDE COUNTY ESTABLISHING
WATER AND WASTEWATER AVAILABILITY
CHARGES FOR THE MURRIETA SERVICE
AREA WITHIN WESTERN MUNICIPAL WATER
DISTRICT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2018-2019
AND AUTHORIZING THE COLLECTION OF
SUCH CHARGES ON THE TAX ROLL

WHEREAS, on May 16, 2018, Resolution 3030 was adopted by the Board of Directors of the Western Municipal Water District of Riverside County (Western) setting forth the dollar amounts for water and wastewater availability charges proposed to be established for Fiscal Year 2018-2019 for the Murrieta service area of Western; and

WHEREAS, the public hearing was held and concluded on July 18, 2018, and notice thereof was duly given as required by law and by the terms of the resolution; and

WHEREAS, at the time and place specified in Resolution 3030 and in the notice of such hearing which was so published, the Board of Directors conducted such hearing and heard and considered all objections or protests to said report; and

WHEREAS, Western provides water supply, storage, transmission and distribution facilities for beneficial uses of water within its Murrieta service area, and provides wastewater collection and conveyance within its Murrieta service area, and maintains and operates such facilities and infrastructure subject to the availability of adequate funds for such purposes; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the public and Western that, in addition to water and wastewater revenues, additional revenues are raised for water and wastewater system operating expenses through the imposition of water and wastewater availability charges on land within the Murrieta service area, and such charges are authorized by the Municipal Water District Law of 1911; and

WHEREAS, Western may vary the schedule of charges according to land uses, water uses, and the degree of water availability, as provided in Section 71638.2 of the Water Code; and

WHEREAS, the water and wastewater availability charges were established by Western prior to November 5, 1997, and were imposed exclusively to finance the capital costs or maintenance and operation expenses for Western's water and wastewater systems within the Murrieta service area; and

WHEREAS, at the time that Western established the water and wastewater availability charges, Western complied with the procedures of the Municipal Water District Law of 1911 then in effect for establishing such charges; and

WHEREAS, the proposed water and wastewater availability charges do not exceed those in effect at the time the charges were established and, therefore, pursuant to California Constitution article XIIIID, section 5(a), Water Code section 71638, and Government Code section 53753.5 may continue to be imposed by Western.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Directors does hereby approve a water availability charge of

\$21.00 per acre (with fractions of an acre rounded up to the nearest whole acre), and a wastewater availability charge of \$21.00 per acre (with fractions of an acre rounded up to the nearest whole acre) proposed to be established on land in the Murrieta service area for Fiscal Year 2018-2019. All computations of acreage and parcel size shall be as shown upon the assessment records of the Assessor of Riverside County.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that pursuant to Section 71635 of the Water Code, the Board of Directors does hereby direct that, at the time and in the manner required by law for the levying of taxes for County purposes, the Board of Supervisors of Riverside County shall levy, in addition to any other tax it levies, the water and wastewater availability charges in the amounts for the respective parcels fixed by this Board of Directors. Furthermore, the officers of Western shall furnish in writing to the Board of Supervisors of Riverside County, and to the County Auditor, a description of each parcel of land within the Murrieta service area upon which a water and wastewater availability charge is to be levied and collected for Fiscal Year 2018-2019, together with the amount of the water and wastewater availability charge fixed on each parcel of land.

ADOPTED this 18th day of July, 2018.



BRENDA DENNSTEDT
President

July 18, 2018

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Resolution 3043 adopted by the Board of Directors of Western Municipal Water District of Riverside County at its Regular Meeting held July 18, 2018.


DONALD D. GALLEANO
Secretary-Treasurer