

County of Santa Barbara BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Minute Order

June 27, 2023

Present: 5 - Supervisor Williams, Supervisor Capps, Supervisor Hartmann, Supervisor Nelson,

and Supervisor Lavagnino

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, BOARD OF DIRECTORS, FLOOD CONTROL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT, BOARD OF DIRECTORS, WATER AGENCY File Reference No. 23-00602

RE:

Consider recommendations regarding the approval of Grant Applications for Water Resources Division Projects for Fiscal Year (FY) 2023-2024, as follows:

- a) Authorize the Project Clean Water Manager or designee to seek and apply for clean water project and program grants from federal or state government agencies or other funding entities during FY 2023-2024;
- b) Find that the proposed action is related to creation of a government funding mechanism and other fiscal activities which do not involve any commitment to any specific project which may result in a potentially significant physical impact on the environment, and is therefore not a project under the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to Guideline Section 15378 (b)(4);

Acting as the Board of Directors, Water Agency:

- c) Authorize the Water Agency Manager or designee to seek and apply for water related project and program grants from federal or state government agencies or other funding entities during FY 2023-2024;
- d) Find that the proposed action is related to creation of a government funding mechanism and other fiscal activities which do not involve any commitment to any specific project which may result in a potentially significant physical impact on the environment, and is therefore not a project under California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to Guideline Section 15378 (b)(4);

Acting as the Board of Directors, Flood Control and Water Conservation District:

- e) Authorize the Engineering Manager or designee to seek and apply for flood control and fish passage projects and program grants from federal or state government agencies or other funding entities during FY 2023-2024; and
- f) Find that the proposed action is related to creation of a government funding mechanism and other fiscal activities which do not involve any commitment to any specific project which may result



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in a potentially significant physical impact on the environment, and is therefore not a project under California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to Guideline Section 15378 (b)(4).

A motion was made by Supervisor Nelson, seconded by Supervisor Hartmann, that this matter be acted on as follows:

a) Authorized;
b) Approved;
Acting as the Board of Directors, Water Agency:
c) Authorized;
d) Approved;
Acting as the Board of Directors, Flood Control and Water Conservation District:
e) Authorized; and
f) Approved.
The motion carried by the following vote:
Ayes: 5 - Supervisor Williams, Supervisor Capps, Supervisor Hartmann, Supervisor

Nelson, and Supervisor Lavagnino