County of Santa Barbara



Legislation Text

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Consider recommendations regarding the Cuyama Ground-water Basin Study, Fifth District, as follows:

- a) Approve and authorize the Chair to execute a Joint Funding Agreement No. 09W4CAD03910, Amendment No. 2 with the United States Geological Survey (USGS) to continue a comprehensive study of the Cuyama Ground-water Basin in order to assess current and future water availability, in the amount of \$55,600 for the period of October 1, 2008 through December 31, 2012 in which \$27,800 to be funded by the County Water Agency and \$27,800 will be funded by the USGS;
- b) Approve and authorize the Chair to execute a Joint Funding Agreement No. 09W4CAD03920, Amendment No. 1 with the United States Geological Survey (USGS) to provide drilling associated with a comprehensive study of the Cuyama Ground-water Basin in order to assess current and future water availability, in the amount of \$373,700 for the period of October 1, 2008 through December 31, 2012;
- c) Authorize the Public Works Director or his designee to seek and apply for additional sources of funding including State of California AB303 local groundwater assistance grants in support of a comprehensive study of the Cuyama Ground-Water Basin to better understand current and future water availability; and
- d) Authorize the Public Works Director or his designee to execute any and all grant agreements and any subsequent amendments to receive grant funds consistent with the attached project description.