



County of Sonoma

State of California

Date: April 28, 2026

Item Number: _____
Resolution Number: _____

4/5 Vote Required

Resolution of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Sonoma, State of California, Amending the Department Allocation List of the Permit Sonoma Department to add 1.0 Full Time Equivalent Professional Geologist and delete 1.0 Full Time Equivalent Senior Environmental Specialist and 1.0 Full Time Equivalent Office Assistant II allocations, Effective April 28, 2026.

Whereas, Permit Sonoma's Natural Resource Division has broad-ranging responsibilities for water resources and aggregate resources including the County's aggregate resource management program, reviewing new mining permits and revised reclamation plans, reviewing private project ground water and well proposals, acting as Permit Sonoma's liaison to three Groundwater Sustainability Agencies, advancing special and grant groundwater projects, reviewing private project seismic issues, coordination and implementation of the County's two municipal storm sewer permits as well as the County's responsibilities for the multiple impaired watersheds in the County (Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) action plans). Having a licensed Professional Geologist in lieu of the more general Senior Environmental Specialist position enables the Division and Department to efficiently achieve these program needs; and

Whereas, Permit Sonoma is requesting approval to delete 1.0 Full Time Equivalent (FTE) Senior Environmental Specialist and 1.0 Full Time Equivalent Office Assistant II, and add 1.0 FTE Professional Geologist, to better align positions with the operational needs of the department; and

Whereas, the Human Resources Department has reviewed the job duties of the positions and determined that the job classification changes are appropriate; and

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that the Department Allocation List of Permit Sonoma is hereby revised as follows, effective April 28, 2026.

Budget Section/ Subsection	Job Class	Class Title	Existing Positions In Class	Change In Position Allocation	New Total Allocation For Class	Duration/ End Date	Salary Range
26010122	0990	Senior Environmental Specialist	7.0	-1.0	6.0	Ongoing	5199
26010102	0002	Office Assistant II	1.0	-1.0	0.0	Ongoing	2658
26010122	1081	Professional Geologist	1.0	1.0	2.0	Ongoing	6213

Supervisors:

Rabbitt:

Coursey:

Gore:

Hopkins:

Hermosillo:

Ayes:

Noes:

Absent:

Abstain:

So Ordered.