



County of Sonoma

State of California

Date: August 13, 2024

Item Number: _____

Resolution Number: _____

4/5 Vote Required

**Resolution Of The Board Of Supervisors Of The County Of Sonoma, State Of California,
Approving Onsite Wastewater Treatment System Regulations And Directing The Director Of
Permit Sonoma To Seek Approval Of The Proposed Local Agency Management Plan**

Whereas, section 24-31.15 of the County Code provides: “The director of the permit and resource management department may from time to time adopt and promulgate standards for on-site septic disposal systems. After July 1, 2023, amendments to these standards shall become effective after the board of supervisors approves the amendments via resolution.”

Whereas, the Director of Permit Sonoma has proposed the adoption of Onsite Wastewater Treatment System Regulations And Technical Standards (OWTS Manual), version 8.0, attached to this Resolution as **Exhibit A**.

Whereas, the Director of Permit Sonoma has proposed a Local Agency Management Plan that requires approval of the Regional Water Quality Control Board.

Whereas, the approval of the Onsite Wastewater Treatment System Regulations And Technical Standards is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines sections 15061(b)(3), 15307, and 15308.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that the Board of Supervisors hereby approves the Onsite Wastewater Treatment System Regulations And Technical Standards (OWTS Manual), version 8.0, and authorizes the Director of Permit Sonoma to submit the revised Sonoma County Local Agency Management Program and supporting documents to the North Coast

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Regional Water Quality Control Board for approval.

Supervisors:

Gorin:

Rabbitt:

Gore:

Hopkins:

Coursey:

Ayes:

Noes:

Absent:

Abstain:

So Ordered.