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Date: April 20, 2021

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**Resolution Of The Board Of Directors Of The Sonoma County Water Agency; Occidental County Sanitation District, Russian River County Sanitation District, Sonoma Valley County Sanitation District, And South Park County Sanitation District Approving The Implementation Of The Sewer System Management Plans For Facilities Managed By The Sonoma County Water Agency (Airport-Larkfield-Wikiup, Geyserville, Penngrove And Sea Ranch Sanitation Zones), And Occidental, Russian River, Sonoma Valley, And South Park County Sanitation Districts In Accordance With State Water Resources Control Board Order No, WQO 2013-0058-Exec, And Authorizing The General Manager To Periodically Update The Sewer System Management Plans As Necessary To Reflect Current Regulatory Requirements And Best Practices**

**Whereas**, on May 2, 2006, the State Water Resources Control Board, issued Order No. 2006-0003-DWQ Statewide General Waste Discharge Requirements for Sanitary Sewer Systems; and

**Whereas**, the purpose of the Waste Discharge Requirements is to develop a regulatory mechanism to provide a consistent statewide approach for reducing sanitary sewer overflows; and

**Whereas**, pursuant to the statewide Waste Discharge Requirements, public agencies that own and operate sanitary sewer systems greater than one mile in length were required to develop a Sewer System Management Plan in accordance with Order No. 2006-0003-DWQ requirements and present it to the agency's governing board for approval at a public meeting; and

**Whereas**, the Occidental, Russian River, Sonoma Valley, and South Park County Sanitation Districts and the Sonoma County Water Agency (Airport-Larkfield-Wikiup, Geyserville, Penngrove, and Sea Ranch Sanitation Zones) Sanitation Facilities developed Sewer System Management Plans based on the Waste Discharge Requirements and certified their various elements with the governing board within the specified time frame, and

**Whereas**, the Occidental, Russian River, Sonoma Valley, and South Park County Sanitation Districts and the Sonoma County Water Agency (Airport-Larkfield-Wikiup, Geyserville, Penngrove, and Sea Ranch Sanitation Zones) manage programs to implement the Sewer System Management Plans; and

**Whereas,** the Waste Discharge Requirements requires that the Sewer System Management Plan be updated every five (5) years, that the update include any significant program changes, and that re-certification by the governing board is required when significant updates to the Sewer System Management Plan are made, and

**Whereas,** on July 30, 2013, the State Water Resources Control Board amended the Monitoring and Reporting Program for the Waste Discharge Requirements (SWRCB Order No. WQO 2013-0058 EXEC); and

**Whereas,** the Sewer System Management Plans have been updated periodically by staff in accordance with Order No. WQO 2013-0058 EXEC.

**Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved** the Board of Directors of the Occidental County Sanitation District, Russian River County Sanitation District, Sonoma Valley County Sanitation District, South Park County Sanitation District and the Sonoma County Water Agency (Airport-Larkfield-Wikiup Sanitation Zone, Geyserville Sanitation Zone, Penngrove Sanitation Zone, and Sea Ranch Sanitation Zone) by resolution, approves the April 2021 Sewer System Management Plans update and the implementation of the sewer system programs, and authorizes the General Manager to periodically update the Sewer System Management Plans as necessary to reflect current regulatory requirements and best practices.

**Sonoma Water**

**Directors:**

Gorin:	Rabbitt:	Coursey:	Gore:	Hopkins:
Ayes:	Noes:	Absent:	Abstain:	

**So Ordered.**

**Sonoma Valley County**

**Sanitation District Directors:**

Gorin:	Hopkins:	Harvey:	
Ayes:	Noes:	Absent:	Abstain:

**So Ordered.**