LONE STAR GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

Resolution No. 16-001

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE LONE STAR GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT ADOPTING AN OPERATING AND CAPITAL OUTLAY BUDGET FOR 2016

WHEREAS, the Lone Star Groundwater Conservation District (the "District") was created by the Legislature of the State of Texas by the Act of May 17, 2001, 77th Leg., R.S., ch. 1321, 2001 Tex. Gen. Laws 3246, as amended (the "Enabling Act"), as a groundwater conservation district operating under Chapter 36, Texas Water Code, and the Enabling Act; and

WHEREAS, the District's Budget & Finance Committee has worked diligently to identify all reasonably anticipated District revenues, expenses, and activities for the January 1 through December 31, 2016 budget cycle, and, after giving much consideration to these important factors, has developed a proposed 2016 budget for the Board's consideration and deliberation (the "2016FY Budget");

WHEREAS, the District Board of Directors (Board) has reviewed and considered the 2016 Operating and Capital Budget;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 36.154 of the Texas Water Code, the District has prepared a budget that contains a complete financial statement, including a statement of the outstanding obligations of the District, the amount of cash on hand to the credit of each fund of the District, the amount of money received by the District from all sources during the previous year, the amount of money available to the District from all sources during the ensuing year, the amount of the balances expected at the end of the year in which the budget is being prepared, the estimated amount of revenues and balances available to cover the proposal budget, and the estimated fee revenues that will be required;

WHEREAS, the Board finds that the adoption of the 2016 Budget, attached hereto as Attachment A and incorporated herein by this reference for all purposes, is merited to support the District's activities and related expenses from January 1, 2016 through December 31, 2016 and that the attached budget will allow the District to carry out the District's objectives and responsibilities as prescribed by the Enabling Act and Chapter 36 of the Texas Water Code.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE LONE STAR GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT THAT:

I. The above recitals are true and correct.

II. The Board of Directors of the Lone Star Groundwater Conservation District hereby adopts an operating and capital outlay budget for January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2016 as

provided in the budget appended hereto as "Attachment A," which is incorporated herein by this reference and is hereby approved and adopted.

III. The Board of Directors, its officers, and the District employees are further authorized to take any and all actions necessary to implement this resolution.

AND IT IS SO ORDERED.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this 12th day of January, 2016

LONE STAR GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

By: _____
~~Richard J. Tramm, Board President~~
Rick J. Moffatt, Board Secretary

ATTEST:

Samantha Reiter
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~~Sam W. Baker, Board Secretary~~
Samantha Reiter, Asst. Board Secretary