

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 309814

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE JUL 01 2015

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO DETERMINING THAT THE AMENDMENTS TO THE EMERGENCY WATER REGULATIONS OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO MUNICIPAL CODE ARE EXEMPT FROM THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT PURSUANT TO CEQA GUIDELINES SECTION 15061(b)(3) (GENERAL RULE).

WHEREAS, this action amends the Emergency Water Regulations of the San Diego Municipal Code, by amending sections 67.3802, 67.3803, 67.3804, 67.3805, 67.3806, and 67.3807, all relating to Emergency Water Regulations; and

WHEREAS, the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) (Public Resources Code section 21000 et seq.), section 21083, states that the CEQA Guidelines thereto (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Chapter 3, Section 15000 et seq.) shall specifically include criteria for public agencies to follow in determining whether or not a proposed project may have a “significant effect on the environment;” and

WHEREAS, pursuant to that authority, CEQA Guidelines section 15061(b)(3) states that a project is exempt from CEQA, if the activity is covered by the general rule that CEQA applies only to projects which have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment. Where it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment, the activity is not subject to CEQA; and

WHEREAS, the Environmental Services Department staff has determined that the foregoing amendments to the Emergency Water Regulations of the SDMC are exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15061(b)(3) of the Guidelines for implementation of the California Environmental Quality Act; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of San Diego has considered the potential environmental effects of the foregoing amendments to the Emergency Water Regulations of the SDMC throughout the City of San Diego; and

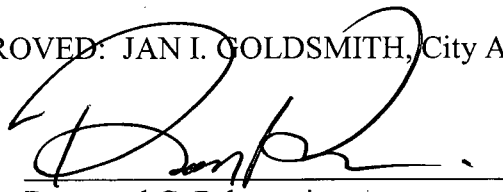
WHEREAS, the Council of the City of San Diego, using its independent judgment, has determined that there is no possibility that the foregoing amendments will have a significant effect on the environment because the foregoing amendments will reduce the amount of water used throughout the City; and

WHEREAS, this activity is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15061(b)(3) because it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility this activity will result in a direct or reasonably foreseeable indirect physical change in the environment; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of San Diego, that the foregoing amendments to the Emergency Water Regulations of the San Diego Municipal Code (SDMC) are exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15061(b)(3).

APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

By



Raymond C. Palmucci
Deputy City Attorney

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June 18, 2015
Or.Dept:Public Utilities
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I certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of 6/29/15.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk

By 
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 7/1/2015
(date)


KEVIN L. FAULCONER, Mayor

Vetoed: _____
(date)

KEVIN L. FAULCONER, Mayor

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on JUN 29 2015, by the following vote:

Councilmembers	Yeas	Nays	Not Present	Recused
Sherri Lightner	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lorie Zapf	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Todd Gloria	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Myrtle Cole	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mark Kersey	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Chris Cate	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Scott Sherman	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
David Alvarez	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Marti Emerald	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Date of final passage JUL 01 2015.

(Please note: When a resolution is approved by the Mayor, the date of final passage is the date the approved resolution was returned to the Office of the City Clerk.)

AUTHENTICATED BY:

KEVIN L. FAULCONER
Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.

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ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

By *Steph Brady*, Deputy

Office of the City Clerk, San Diego, California

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