

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-01

**RESCINDING RESOLUTION NO. 2021-09 AND
RELATED WATER SHORTAGE EMERGENCY**

PURISSIMA HILLS WATER DISTRICT

WHEREAS, California Water Code Section 350 provides Purissima Hills Water District (District) the authority to declare a water shortage emergency condition and restrict the use of District water if the District finds and determines that the ordinary demands and requirements of water consumers cannot be satisfied without depleting the water supply to the extent that there would be insufficient water for human consumption, sanitation, and fire protection; and

WHEREAS, on December 8, 2021, the District's Board of Directors adopted Resolution No. 2021-09 declaring that a water shortage emergency existed and imposing water use restrictions; and

WHEREAS, On March 24, 2023, Governor Newsom issued Executive Order N-5-23, which terminated numerous provisions of the Governor's previously issued executive orders and emergency proclamations related to the drought given the improved water supply conditions; and

WHEREAS, the District's water supply situation has improved significantly over the past year due to the reduction in water use by District customers and improved hydrologic conditions which have resulted in the filling of local reservoirs and replenishing of available water supply available to the District; and

WHEREAS, the District has determined that the ordinary demands and requirements of the District's water consumers can be met and satisfied by water supplies available to the District without depleting the water supply or diminishing its quality, and that there is sufficient water supply for human consumption, sanitation, and fire protection.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Directors (Board) rescinds Resolution No. 2021-09, including its declaration of a water shortage emergency, effective immediately; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that in order to remain in compliance with water conservation requirements issued by the State Water Resources Control Board, the Board hereby requires that District customers avoid using potable water for each of the following prohibited activities until December 31, 2023:

- Washing hard surfaces like driveways or sidewalks that don't absorb water;
- Street cleaning or construction site preparation; and
- Filling decorative fountains, lakes, or ponds without a recirculation pump; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that in order to remain in compliance with water conservation requirements issued by the State Water Resources Control Board, the Board hereby requires that District customers avoid using potable water for the following prohibited activity until June 30, 2023:

- Watering decorative grass in commercial, industrial, and institutional areas, including common areas of homeowners' associations.

Passed and adopted this 17th day of May, 2023, by the following vote of the Board.

AYES: Directors Stone, Ranganathan, Glassman and Jordan

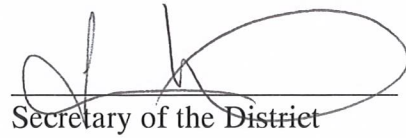
NOES:

ABSENT: Director Holtz



President, Board of Directors
Purissima Hills Water District

ATTEST:


Secretary of the District