

**Resolution 2023-02  
of the Board of Directors of the**

**NORTH SAN JOAQUIN WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT  
Setting 2023 Water Rates for Surface Water**

WHEREAS, North San Joaquin Water Conservation District is preparing to deliver surface water for irrigation to the South System and Tracy Lake Improvement District during 2023.

WHEREAS, the District conducted a Proposition 218 proceeding regarding water rates in December 2014-January 2015. The Engineer's Report proposed maximum water rates as follows:

South System – with delivery of 3,000 af     \$104.41

South System – with delivery of 6,000 af     \$81.60

Tracy Lake System                     \$3.10 (over and above operation and maintenance assessment)

WHEREAS, thereafter the District formed Improvement District No. 3 to include landowners along the South System who desire to use surface water for irrigation and voluntarily agreed to assess their lands \$500 per acre to cover facility costs.

WHEREAS, the South System has been substantially improved since 2015 with a new pump station and there is insufficient data at this time to establish new cost of service rates.

WHEREAS, the District desires to cover costs of service and incentivize landowners to maximize the use of surface water to alleviate groundwater overdraft conditions.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The 2023 Water Rates for the District shall be:

South System Landowners within ID3 \$30.00 per acre-foot

South System Landowners not within ID3 \$60.00 per acre-foot

Tracy Lake System \$3.10 per acre-foot (over and above the operation and maintenance assessment required by existing agreements)

2. Staff are directed to communicate rates and rules and regulations to interested landowners and collect data on operational costs for purposes of a water rate study to be conducted on or before January 2024.

ADOPTED: January 30, 2023 upon motion of Director Colombini, seconded by Director Simpson  
and passed by the following vote:

AYES: 5

NOES: —

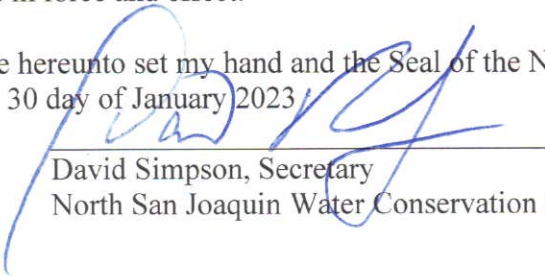
ABSENT: —

ABSTAINS: —

**CERTIFICATE OF SECRETARY**

I do hereby certify that I am the Secretary of the North San Joaquin Water Conservation District, a water conservation district organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, and that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted by the Board of Directors of said District at a meeting thereof duly and regularly held at Grape Festival Barrel Room, Lodi, California on the 30 day of January 2023, at which meeting a quorum of said Board of Directors was at all times present and acting, and that said Resolution has not been rescinded or amended in whole or any part thereof, and remains in force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the Seal of the North San Joaquin Water Conservation District this 30 day of January 2023



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David Simpson, Secretary  
North San Joaquin Water Conservation District