

# QUAIL VALLEY WATER DISTRICT

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Mike Biglay
Enrique Lopez
Dawn Shiells
James Sweany
Catherine Tate

### RESOLUTION NO. 03-2024

## A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF QUAIL VALLEY WATER DISTRICT FINDING THE CONTINUED EXISTANCE OF A WATER SHORTAGE CONDITION

**WHEREAS**, the adoption and enforcement of a comprehensive water conservation program will allow the Quail Valley Water District to delay or avoid declaring a water shortage emergency pursuant to Water Code section 350; and

**WHEREAS**, Southern California has continued to receive below average rainfall precluding sufficient groundwater recharge; and

**WHEREAS,** a reliable minimum supply of potable water is essential to the public health, safety and welfare; and

**WHEREAS**, careful water management that includes active water conservation measures not only in times of drought, but at all times, is essential to ensure a reliable minimum supply of water to meet current and future water supply needs.

**WHEREAS**, the water supply of Quail Valley Water District is entirely reliant on well water; and

**WHEREAS**, the well currently providing the water supply of Quail Valley Water District QVWD East & West Combined Water System, System Number 1503226 has demonstrated a continued drop in both pumping and static water levels through low demand winter months with no recovery indicating the water resource is an over-draft condition; and

**WHEREAS**, the continued over-drafting of the well will result in the well no longer producing water in sufficient quantities for human consumption, sanitation, and fire protection to the consumers served by the water system; and

**WHEREAS**, the watershed providing water to the well has not received adequate precipitation to recharge the well; and

**WHEREAS**, the above conditions have not improved and the water resource continues to be in an over-draft condition,



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### NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Directors, as follows:

- 1. A Stage 2 Water Supply Shortage Condition affecting the QVWD East & West Combined Water System does currently continue to exist; and
- 2. To delay or prevent the declaration of a Water Shortage Emergency, the mandatory conservation measures applicable to a Stage 2 Water Supply Shortage Condition shall continue in effect. Within five days of adoption of this resolution, the District shall post a copy of this resolution in a public place within the District. A copy of this resolution shall also be included with the next regular billing statement.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Directors of Quail Valley Water District on June 29<sup>th</sup>, 2024, by the following vote:

**AYES: Directors** 

Lopez; Shiells; Sweany; Tate

**NOES: Directors** 

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**ABSTAINING: Directors** 

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**ABSENT: Directors** 

Biglay.



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ATTEST:		
Dawnette Boatman, Secretary, Quail V	alley Water District	
		, Secretary