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**RESOLUTION TO ADOPT**

**THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY WATER PLAN**

WHEREAS Climate change is establishing a “new normal” of more frequent and intense droughts, as well as less frequent and more torrential rains; and

WHEREAS, Recognizing a new climate reality and the need to be thoughtful stewards of future water supplies, a water resilience plan focused on collaborative management of the region’s water resources was developed by Los Angeles County Public Works in partnership with countless other agencies, stakeholders, and tribes and;

WHEREAS, **[Organization / Agency Name]** in partnership with Los Angeles County Public Works, together with water resources organizations and an array of diverse stakeholders, collaborated deeply to secure the region’s water future; and

WHEREAS, this collaborative effort crafted a water resilience plan known as the Los Angeles County Water Plan and established the path to realizing a future which is rooted in cross-sector collaboration and coalition building; and

WHEREAS, The Los Angeles County Water Plan articulates a shared, inclusive, regional path forward to sustainably and equitably achieve safe, clean, and reliable water resources for Los Angeles County; and

WHEREAS, **[Organization / Agency Name]** has reviewed the Los Angeles County Water Plan and affirms that the plan will ensure that the region has resilient, sustainable, and equitable water resources to meet its demand, particularly, during times of scarcity or crisis; and

 WHEREAS, The Los Angeles County Water Plan was adopted unanimously by the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors on December 5, 2023.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the **[Governing Body Name]** of the **[Organization / Agency Name]** hereby:

1. Adopts the Los Angeles County Water Plan as a guiding document to inform pertinent and relevant aspects of **[Organization / Agency Name]**’s water resilience strategies.
2. Authorizes and empowers the **[General Manager / Director]** of **[Organization / Agency Name]** or designee to continue collaborating and pursuing regional water resilience with the Los Angeles County Public Works and other water resource organizations, and engaging stakeholders regarding matters related to the Los Angeles County Water Plan.
3. Authorizes and empowers the **[General Manager / Director]** of **[Organization / Agency Name]** or designee to actively engage in coalition building with water agencies, stakeholders, communities, and tribes to effectively establish relationships and bolster regional collaboration related to regional water resilience.

The foregoing resolution was adopted on the **[00]** day of **[Month, Year]**by the **[Governing Body Name]** acting as the governing body of the **[Organization / Agency Name]**.

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