

*Resolution No: 15-07*

*A Resolution of the Board of Directors  
of Camrosa Water District*

*Declaring a Stage Three Water Supply Shortage  
in Accordance with Ordinance 40-10*

*Whereas, the State of California is in its fourth consecutive year of record-breaking drought, in response to which the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California reduced water allocations to member agencies by fifteen percent; and*

*Whereas, the State Water Project allocation remains at twenty percent of requested deliveries for calendar year 2015; and,*

*Whereas, approximately seventy percent of Camrosa's potable water supply is imported from the California State Water Project (SWP) via Calleguas Municipal Water District (Calleguas), a wholesale provider of Metropolitan Water District of Southern California (Metropolitan); and,*

*Whereas, on January 17, 2014, Governor Edmund G. Brown, Junior, officially proclaimed a State of Emergency due to drought conditions, called on Californians to voluntarily reduce their water use by twenty percent, and directed state officials to take all necessary actions to alleviate drought impacts throughout the state; and,*

*Whereas, on February 11, 2014, Metropolitan declared a Water Supply Alert calling for cities, counties, member agencies, and retail water agencies to implement extraordinary conservation through drought ordinances and other measures to mitigate use of storage reserves; and,*

*Whereas, on February 11, 2014, the Camrosa Board of Directors adopted Resolution 14-01 calling all customers to voluntarily reduce water usage by twenty percent of the previous year's usage, to preserve both local and regional water reserves; and,*

*Whereas, on July 15, 2014, the SWRCB adopted statewide emergency regulations prohibiting water waste and mandatory actions for water purveyors during the drought emergency; and,*

*Whereas, the Camrosa Water District adopted Ordinance 38-09, an ordinance of the Board of Directors establishing water shortage management policy prohibitions and restrictions on the use of water during periods of water shortage, on June 24, 2009; and,*

*Whereas, Ordinance 38 directs the implementation of the appropriate phase of the Water Supply Shortage or Water Emergency Plan contained in Ordinance 40-10, "Rules and Regulations Governing the Provision of Water and Sanitary Services," as determined by the Board of Directors; and,*

*Whereas, on August 27, 2014, the Camrosa Water District Board of Directors declared a Stage One Water Supply Shortage; and,*

*Whereas, on April 1, 2015, Governor Brown issued Executive Order B-29-15 ordering the State Water Resources Control Board to implement mandatory water reductions in potable urban usage through February 28, 2016; and,*

*Whereas, on May 5, 2015, the State Water Resources Control Board adopted emergency regulations, to remain in effect for 270 days, that categorized water agencies and districts into conservation tiers based on residential per-capita water use in July, August, and September of 2014; and*

*Whereas, Camrosa is currently in the highest tier, Tier 9, which requires a 36-percent reduction in water use;*

*Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved* by the Camrosa Water District Board of Directors that the District does hereby declare a Stage Three Water Supply Shortage; and,

*Be It Further Resolved* that the General Manager is authorized to implement a Stage Two Water Supply Shortage contained in Ordinance 40-10, including the following water use restrictions:

1. *Leaks – No person may permit leaks of water that he/she has the authority to eliminate. Any detected leak, break or malfunction shall be corrected within 24 hours after a person discovers or receives notice from the District.*
2. *Limits on Watering Days – Water or irrigating of landscape or other vegetated area with potable water may be limited to three days per week on a schedule established and posted by the District.*
3. *Limits on Filling Residential Swimming Pools & Spas – Use of water to fill or refill swimming pools and spas shall be limited to maintain the level of water only when necessary. Draining of pools and spas or refilling shall be done only for health or safety reasons.*
4. *Substitution of Non-potable Water – No person shall permit the outdoor use of potable water for irrigation or dust abatement where non-potable or recycled water is available.*

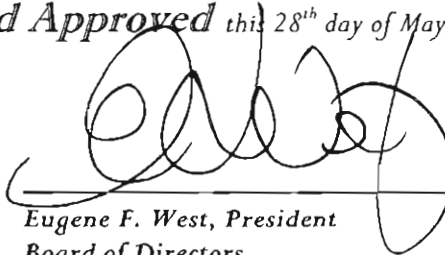
*Be It Further Resolved* that the General Manager is authorized to implement a Stage Three Water Supply Shortage contained in Ordinance 40-10, including the following water use restrictions:

1. *Irrigation restrictions – Watering or irrigation of lawn, landscape or other vegetated area with potable water to two days a week.*
2. *New Potable Water Service – No new potable water service will be provided, no new temporary meters or permanent meters will be provided and no statements of immediate ability to serve or provide potable water service will be issued without mitigation measures approved by the General Manager that will offset the new demand.*
3. *Other Prohibited Uses – The District may implement other water use requirements as determined by the District to meet water supply shortage or water emergency conditions.*

*Be It Further Resolved* that in addition to the restrictions identified in the declared Emergency Supply Shortage Stage, all restrictions of lesser stages also apply:

*Be It Further Resolved* that urban water users on potable water are required to reduce water use by 36 percent compared to their water use of 2013 and commercial agriculture customers on potable water have a reduction requirement of 16.5 percent.


*Adopted, Signed and Approved* this 28<sup>th</sup> day of May 2015.



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Eugene F. West, President  
Board of Directors  
Camrosa Water District

ATTEST:



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Tony L. Stafford, Secretary  
Board of Directors  
Camrosa Water District