

# Before the Board of Supervisors County of Placer, State of California

In the matter of:

Resolution No.: 2015-246

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A  
REQUEST TO DESIGNATE PLACER COUNTY AS A  
GROUNDWATER MONITORING ENTITY UNDER  
THE CALIFORNIA STATEWIDE GROUNDWATER  
ELEVATION MONITORING (CASGEM) PROGRAM  
AND DESIGNATION OF THE COMMUNITY  
DEVELOPMENT RESOURCE AGENCY  
DIRECTOR OR HIS DESIGNEE AS OFFICIAL  
REPRESENTATIVE

The following Resolution was duly passed by the Board of Supervisors of the County of  
Placer at a regular meeting held November 17, 2015 by the following  
vote on roll call:

Ayes: DURAN, WEYGANDT, HOLMES, MONTGOMERY, UHLER

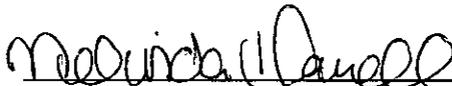
Noes: NONE

Absent: NONE

Signed and approved by me after its passage.

  
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Chair, Board of Supervisors

Attest:

  
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Clerk of said Board

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF PLACER,  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AS FOLLOWS:

**WHEREAS**, in November 2009, the California Legislature added Part 2.11  
(Groundwater Monitoring) to Division 6 of the Water Code by Senate Bill 6 (7<sup>th</sup>  
Extraordinary Session) (SB 6); and

**WHEREAS**, the law directs that groundwater elevations in all basins and sub-basins in California be regularly and systematically monitored, preferably by local entities, with the goal of demonstrating seasonal and long-term trends in groundwater elevations through the California Statewide Groundwater Elevation Monitoring (CASGEM) Program; and

**WHEREAS**, on April 1, 2015, Executive Order B-29-15 requires local water agencies in high and medium priority groundwater basins to immediately implement all requirements of the CASGEM Program pursuant to Water Code section 10933, and requires the Department of Water Resources to refer noncompliant local water agencies within high and medium priority groundwater basins to the Water Board by December 31, 2015, which shall consider adopting regulations or take appropriate enforcement to promote compliance; and

**WHEREAS**, Placer County's two Basins: Martis Valley basin (a medium priority), and North American Sub-basin (a high priority), contains two existing CASGEM Monitoring Entities: the Placer County Water Agency, and City of Roseville. All areas outside the existing Monitoring Entity boundaries are considered unmonitored; and

**WHEREAS**, Placer County is authorized to assume monitoring entity responsibility for monitoring and reporting groundwater elevations as part of the CASGEM program, as a "County Not Managing Groundwater Basin or Sub-basin" authority type; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED** that the County of Placer, State of California, will serve as the voluntary "Groundwater Monitoring Entity" for the purpose of monitoring groundwater elevations within portions of the North American Sub-basin as defined in the Placer County CASGEM Monitoring Plan and in accordance with the CASGEM program guidelines dated November 2015.