



Resolution 2024-02
Fox Canyon Groundwater Management Agency
HONORING

Jeff Pratt, P.E.

WHEREAS, Jeff Pratt served as Executive Officer for the Fox Canyon Groundwater Management Agency for nineteen years, taking the helm in 2005 and steering the organization with a remarkable ability to navigate the complexities of groundwater management;

WHEREAS, Mr. Pratt's capability in protecting and monitoring the groundwater basins managed by the Agency is widely recognized by his peers and stakeholders as is his role in enhancing the technical understanding of these basins and ensuring their sustainable use,

WHEREAS, Mr. Pratt contributed significantly to the successful operation of the Fox Canyon Groundwater Management Agency during a period marked by a significant increase in the legal pressures and technical understanding of the basins. Mr. Pratt's commitment to resource preservation, combined with his efficient approach and quick humor, made him an invaluable asset to the Agency, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Pratt navigated the Agency through the uncharted waters of the new Sustainable Groundwater Management Act, unprecedented drought, emergency allocation systems, irrigation allowances, water market pilot projects, and metering calibration ordinances;

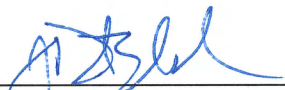
WHEREAS, Mr. Pratt successfully cultivated consensus on three Groundwater Sustainability Plans through extensive stakeholder engagement that culminated in State approval, establishing a standard of reporting transparency and furthering progress to ensure sustainable groundwater management for future groundwater users will become an achievable reality;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Directors of the Fox Canyon Groundwater Management Agency take great pleasure in honoring **Jeff Pratt** for his dedicated and honorable service.

PRESENTED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS THIS 27TH DAY OF MARCH 2024.



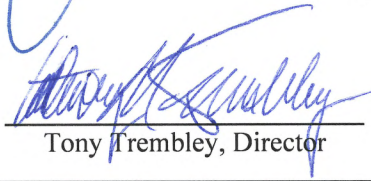
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