

RESOLUTION NO. 14-17
A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
OF PALMDALE WATER DISTRICT
IN SUPPORT OF PROPOSITION 1 – THE WATER QUALITY, SUPPLY
AND INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENT ACT OF 2014

WHEREAS, California is in a severe, multi-year drought and faces a growing list of challenges associated with aging infrastructure, climate change, population growth and other factors; and

WHEREAS, water managers and top leaders including Governor Jerry Brown agree that we need a comprehensive, statewide water plan to create a more resilient water system and meet the coequal goals of improved water supply reliability and ecosystem health; and

WHEREAS, the Legislature has approved and Governor Brown has signed the Water Quality, Supply and Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2014, which will appear as Proposition 1 on the November 4 ballot and provide much-needed funding to advance a statewide comprehensive water plan to secure our water future; and


WHEREAS, if approved by voters, the measure would provide \$7.545 billion in bond funding for new surface and groundwater storage projects, regional water reliability, sustainable groundwater management and cleanup, water recycling, water conservation, watershed protection and safe drinking water, particularly for disadvantaged communities, and other programs the Association of California Water Agencies and its members have long advocated as a part of a statewide comprehensive plan; and

WHEREAS, ACWA's Board of Directors voted unanimously to formally support Proposition 1 in a special meeting on August 19.

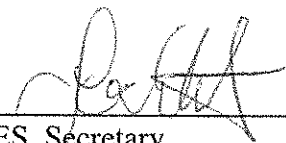
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Directors of the Palmdale Water District formally supports Proposition 1, the Water Quality, Supply and Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2014 on the November ballot.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this 8th day of October, 2014 by the Board of Directors, the governing body of the Palmdale Water District.

PALMDALE WATER DISTRICT


KATHY MAC LAREN, President

ATTEST:



JOE ESTES, Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

By: 

Aleshire & Wynder, General Counsel