

RESOLUTION NO. 2017-05

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE
SAN BENITO COUNTY WATER DISTRICT
SETTING FORTH ITS INTENTIONS REGARDING PERCOLATION OF
SAN FELIPE PROJECT WATER FOR WATER CONTRACT YEAR 2017-2018**

WHEREAS The Board of Directors of the San Benito County Water District hereby resolves as follows:

1. That Item 2 of Resolution 94-07 is suspended through February 28, 2018;
2. That percolation of San Felipe Water directly or through coordination with Zone 3 shall be limited to 600 acre feet of Irrigation water and 400 acre feet of M&I water (the amounts assumed in the development of the 2017-2018 Groundwater Rates) and that priority shall be given to delivery through the San Felipe Distribution System of customer contract quantities.
3. That San Felipe water shall only be used for in-stream or other artificial percolation in the following sub-basins or portions of sub-basins:

Tres Pinos and Hollister West, south of the Union
Bridge and Pacheco
4. That any percolation of 2017/2018 Irrigation and/or M & I Carry Over water shall be coordinated with San Felipe Distribution System deliveries to maximize the use of 2017/2018 Irrigation and/or M & I Carry Over water for San Felipe Distribution System Deliveries.
5. That percolation of San Felipe Project Water (Zone 6) be coordinated with the percolation operations of the San Benito River System (Zone 3) to the mutual benefit of those zones.
6. That this Resolution shall be effective through February 28, 2018, at which time its provisions shall terminate.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the San Benito County Water District Board
March 29, 2017, by the following vote:

AYES: DIRECTORS: Tobias, Tonascia, Bettencourt, Flores & Huenemann
NOES: DIRECTORS: None
ABSTAIN: DIRECTORS: None
ABSENT: DIRECTORS: None

/s/John Tobias
John Tobias
President

ATTEST:
/s/Sara Singleton
Sara Singleton
Assistant Manager