RESOLUTION NO. 2022-89

OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE GEORGETOWN DIVIDE PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL MANAGER TO PREPARE A REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP) FOR CONSULTING SERVICES TO DEVELOP A WATER TRANSFER POLICY

WHEREAS, a water transfer is "a voluntary sale of water proposed and initiated by willing sellers who have legal rights to a supply of water to an interested buyer," and

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors adopted Resolution 2020-25 authorizing the interim general manager to execute an agreement related to a temporary transfer of up to 2,000 acrefeet of water to Westlands Water District (WWD) to allow them to supplement its water supply, and

WHEREAS, the Board received public comments about what they considered flaws in the process of approving the water transfer refill agreement, and

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors have expressed an interest in a water transfer policy to help guide future water transfer opportunities, ensuring they can be managed more closely, and

WHEREAS, The ability of the District to engage in the water transfer market is a way to generate additional revenue

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE GEORGETOWN DIVIDE PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT approves the development of a Request for Proposals for consulting services to develop a water transfer policy. This policy will be presented to the Board of Director Policy committee for approval and submittal to the Board of Directors for final approval.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Directors of the Georgetown Divide Public Utility District at a meeting of said Board held on the 13h day of December 2022, by the following vote:

AYES: Stovall, Saunders, Seaman, Thornbrough, MacDonald

NOES:

ABSENT/ABSTAIN:

Mitch MacDonald, President, Board of Directors
GEORGETOWN DIVIDE PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT

Attest:

Nicholas Schneider, Clerk and Ex officio

Secretary, Board of Directors

GEORGETOWN DIVIDE PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of Resolution 2022-89 duly and regularly adopted by the Board of Directors of the Georgetown Divide Public Utility District, County of El Dorado, State of California, on this 13th day of December 2022.

Nicholas Schneider, Clerk and Ex officio

Secretary, Board of Directors

GEORGETOWN DIVIDE PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT