

FLOOD CONTROL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT BOARD SUBMITTAL
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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FROM: General Manager-Chief Engineer SUBMITTAL DATE: April 8, 2003

SUBJECT: Grant Application
Murrieta Creek Flood Control, Environmental Restoration and Recreation Project
Project No. 7-0-0021

RECOMMENDED MOTION:

Approve Resolution No. F2003-11 which authorizes the General Manager-Chief Engineer to submit an application to the State Wildlife Conservation Board for a grant of two million, three hundred fifty two thousand, three hundred twenty-six dollars (\$2,352,326.00) from the California Riparian Habitat Conservation Program to help fund construction of the Murrieta Creek Flood Control, Environmental Restoration and Recreation Project.

JUSTIFICATION:

In cooperation with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and the Cities of Temecula and Murrieta, the District is undertaking construction of the Murrieta Creek Flood Control, Environmental Restoration and Recreation Project (Project). Funds obtained from a successful grant application will be used to satisfy the local Project funding obligation currently estimated at approximately \$40 million dollars.

The resolution has been approved by County Counsel as to legal form.

WARREN D. WILLIAMS
General Manager-Chief Engineer

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION

APPROVE

County Executive Officer Signature

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RESOLUTION NO. F2003-11
APPROVING APPLICATION TO
THE STATE WILDLIFE CONSERVATION BOARD THROUGH A GRANT
FROM THE CALIFORNIA RIPARIAN HABITAT CONSERVATION PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the Fiscal Year 2002-2003 Zone 7 Budget of the Riverside County Flood and Water Conservation District ("District") currently includes partial funding for the Murrieta Creek Flood Control, Environmental Restoration and Recreation Project ("Project"); and

WHEREAS, the District desires to act as applicant in applying for funding through a grant from the California Riparian Habitat Conservation Program in an effort to obtain additional funding necessary for the Project; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the District and the public that the Project be constructed as soon as possible.

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved, Determined and Ordered by the Board of Supervisors of the Riverside County Flood Control and Water Conservation District in regular session assembled on April 8, 2003, as follows:

1. Each of the above recitals are true and correct.
2. An application be made to the State Wildlife Conservation Board for grant funding from the California Riparian Habitat Conservation Program in the amount of \$2,352,326.00.
3. Warren D. Williams, General Manager-Chief Engineer of the District or his approved designee is hereby authorized to file the Grant Application with the State Wildlife Conservation Board on behalf of the District, and execute the resultant contract agreement and any amendments thereof for the purpose of administering the grant.

FORM APPROVED
COUNTY COUNSEL

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BY *Joe S. Rind*
ASSISTANT COUNTY COUNSEL