

**SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**



**FROM:** Supervisor Ashley

**SUBMITTAL DATE:** 2/24/2005

**SUBJECT:** Western Municipal Water District's Riverside-Corona Feeder

**RECOMMENDED MOTION:** Support the Riverside-Corona Feeder Project

**BACKGROUND:** The Riverside-Corona Feeder would consist of a 28 mile pipeline capable of moving up to 40,000 acre feet of water per year.

The beneficiaries of this project within western Riverside County include the cities of Corona, Norco, and Riverside, the Elsinore Valley Municipal, Lee Lake and Home Gardens County Water Districts, plus the Rubidoux and Jurupa Community Services Districts.

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COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, CALIFORNIA

2 **RESOLUTION NO. 2005-084**

3 **A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF**  
4 **SUPERVISORS OF RIVERSIDE COUNTY**  
5 **SUPPORTING THE RIVERSIDE-CORONA FEEDER**

6 WHEREAS, communities throughout western Riverside County rely on imported water  
7 supplies in order to augment limited local supplies; and,

8 WHEREAS, these supplies are imported from both the Colorado River and the State  
9 Water Project; and,

10 WHEREAS, Western Municipal Water District is the proponent of a project, the  
11 Riverside-Corona Feeder, that would reduce reliance on imported supplies during drought;  
12 and,

13 WHEREAS, the "Riverside-Corona Feeder" is a conjunctive use project that would  
14 capture and store new water in wet years for delivery in dry; and,

15 WHEREAS, the Riverside-Corona Feeder would consist of a 28 mile pipeline capable  
16 of moving up to 40,000 acre feet of water per year; and,

17 WHEREAS, the beneficiaries of this project within western Riverside County include  
18 the cities of Corona, Norco, and Riverside, the Elsinore Valley Municipal, Lee Lake and  
19 Home Gardens County Water Districts, plus the Rubidoux and Jurupa Community Services  
20 Districts; and,

21 WHEREAS, the Riverside-Corona Feeder will additionally benefit other users of  
22 Colorado River water, those within the service area of the Metropolitan Water District, and  
23 water-dependent environments in Northern California; and,

24 WHEREAS, the Riverside-Corona Feeder will provide local drought protection,  
25 improved groundwater management, and reduced demand on imported water.

1           NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Riverside  
2 County that this Board does hereby support the Riverside-Corona Feeder Project.

3           ADOPTED, this 1st day of March 2005.  
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