

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

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FROM: Executive Office

SUBMITTAL DATE:
June 9, 2009

SUBJECT: RESOLUTION 2009-200 AND AUTHORIZATION TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT FOR A CAPACITY BUILDING GRANT ON BEHALF OF THE COMMUNITY OF ANZA WITH THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF A COMPREHENSIVE GROUNDWATER STUDY

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors

1. Sign Resolution 2009-200 ; and
2. Authorize the County Executive Officer to sign the contract for a Capacity Building Grant with the State of California, Department of Water Resources on behalf of the community of Anza.

BACKGROUND: The community of Anza is solely dependant upon groundwater to provide drinking water for its residents and irrigation for the farming community. The State of California, Department of Water Resources (DWR) administers the Local Groundwater Assistance Act of 2000. DWR has notified the County that they were successful in the grant application process and will be receiving \$50,000 in the form of a Capacity Building Grant. A Board Resolution and signature authority is required to execute the contract.

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FINANCIAL DATA

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| Current F.Y. Total Cost: | \$ 0 | In Current Year Budget: | N/A |
| Current F.Y. Net County Cost: | \$ 0 | Budget Adjustment: | N/A |
| Annual Net County Cost: | \$ 0 | For Fiscal Year: | N/A |

SOURCE OF FUNDS:

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| Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Requires 4/5 Vote | <input type="checkbox"/> |

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:

APPROVE

BY: *Gary M. Christmas*

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County Executive Office Signature

- Dep't Recomm.: Policy
- Per Exec. Ofc.: Policy
- Consent
- Consent

Prev. Agn. Ref.: 3.25 of
11/27/2007

District: 3

Agenda Number:

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Departmental Concurrence

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3 RESOLUTION 2009-200

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5 A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS IN SUPPORT OF THE COMMUNITY OF
6 ANZA IN OBTAINING GRANT FUNDING FOR A COMPREHENSIVE GROUNDWATER STUDY

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8 WHEREAS, ongoing drought conditions and explosive population growth affecting the County of
9 Riverside, has prompted the need to assess and manage our water resources.

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11 WHEREAS, in the community of Anza, where groundwater is the sole source of water supply, a need
12 exists to perform a comprehensive groundwater study to evaluate the short and long term availability of
13 drinking water for the region.

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15 WHEREAS, the community of Anza qualifies as a small disadvantaged community based on more than
16 80% of the population being below the national median household income level.

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18 WHEREAS, the community of Anza is looking for a funding mechanism to support a proposed United
19 States Geological Survey comprehensive groundwater study.

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21 WHEREAS, the State of California, enacted the Local Groundwater Management Assistance Act of
22 2000 to provide grants to local public agencies to conduct groundwater studies or to carry out
23 groundwater monitoring and management activities.

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25 WHEREAS, the State of California, Department of Water Resources administers the Local
26 Groundwater Management Assistance grants from Proposition 50 funds for single projects not to
27 exceed \$250,000 in grant funds.

28 **WHEREAS**, the community of Anza has requested the County of Riverside to collaborate with them to
29 submit an application for a Local Groundwater Management Assistance Grant on their behalf.

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31 **WHEREAS**, the County of Riverside received confirmation from the State of California, Department of
32 Water Resources that they were successful in the grant application process and have been notified that
33 they will be receiving \$50,000 in the form of a Capacity Building Grant to be used to develop a
34 Groundwater Management Plan for the community of Anza.

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36 **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, FOUND, DETERMINED AND ORDERED** by the Board of
37 Supervisors for the County of Riverside in regular session on June 9, 2009 to support the efforts of the
38 community of Anza to obtain grant dollars to perform a comprehensive groundwater study.

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40 **AND FURTHER RESOLVE** that the County Executive Officer is directed to further the Board's action
41 and sign the contract for the Local Groundwater Assistance-Capacity Building Grant provided by the
42 State of California, Department of Water Resources on behalf of the community of Anza.

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46 Jeff Stone, Third District
47 Chairman, Board of Supervisors

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49 Bob Buster, Supervisor
50 First District

John F. Tavaglione, Supervisor
Second District

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53 Roy Wilson, Supervisor
54 Fourth District

Marion Ashley, Supervisor
Fifth District