

SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA



SUBMITTAL DATE: December 24, 2013

FROM: Regional Park and Open-Space District

SUBJECT: Approval of License Agreement between Riverside County Regional Park and Open-Space District and Western Municipal Water District of Riverside County to Operate and Maintain a 6" Diameter Water Pipeline on Riverside County Regional Park and Open-Space District property for a term of twenty-five (25) years; CEQA Findings of Categorical Exemption; District 1/1 [0]

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Directors:

- 1. Finds that the Project is categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15301; and
- 2. Approve the License Agreement between Riverside County Regional Park and Open-Space District and Western Municipal Water District of Riverside County; and
- 3. Authorize the Chairperson to execute three (3) copies of the License Agreement; and
- 4. Direct the Clerk of the Board to return two (2) copies of the executed Agreements to Riverside County Regional Park and Open-Space District.
- 5. Direct the Clerk of the Board to file the Notice of Exemption with the County Clerk upon approval of the Project.

BACKGROUND:

<u>Summary</u>

Departmental Concurrence

DUNTY COUNSEL

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2014-008D EC/MB

Scott Bangle General Manager

For Fiscal Year:

SOURCE OF FUNDS:							Budget Adjustn	nent: No	
NET COUNTY COST	\$	0	\$ 0	\$	0	\$	0	Consent	Policy
COST	\$	0	\$ 0	\$	0	\$	0	Consent 🗆	Dollar TV
FINANCIAL DATA	Current Fiscal Year:		Next Fiscal Year:	T	otal Cost:	O	Ingoing Cost:	3,750	CONSENT c. Office)

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:

APPROVE

BY: alex Ham

County Executive Office Signature

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

A-30 ☐ Positions Addi 4/5 Vote ☐ Change Order

Prev. Agn. Ref.:

District: 1/1

Agenda Number: 13 - 1

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BACKGROUND:

Summary (continued)

The Western Municipal Water District of Riverside County ("Licensee") is seeking permission from Riverside County Regional Park and Open-Space District ("Licensor") to enter upon and use certain real property owned by the Licensor as legally described in Exhibit A herein referenced ("Property") for purpose of operating and maintaining a Licensee's existing 6" diameter water pipeline under the Property.

The Licensor wishes to grant permission to the Licensee to enter onto the Property via a non-exclusive, revocable license to construct, use, maintain, alter, add to, repair, replace, or remove Licensee's existing 6" diameter water pipeline and for no other purpose as per the License Agreement.

Pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the License Agreement ("Project") was reviewed and determined to be categorically exempt from CEQA under CEQA Guidelines Section 15301, Class 1 - Existing Facilities. The proposed Project is merely an agreement between two public agencies for the licensing of property involving existing facilities no or negligible expansion of an existing use will occur.

Impact on Citizens and Businesses

Maintains and Stabilizes water delivery service to Western Municipal Water District customers in that area.

Contract History and Price Reasonableness

The term will be for twenty-five (25) years and may be extended upon agreement of the Parties in writing in twenty-five (25) year increments up to ninety-nine years, which the last increment will be a twenty-four (24) year term.

Attachments

License Agreement Notice of Exemption

Riverside County Regional Park and Open-Space District, ("Licensor"), and Western Municipal Water District of Riverside County, ("Licensee") LICENSE AGREEMENT This License Agreement, ("License"), is made and entered into this ____day , 20 between the Riverside County Regional Park and Open-Space District, a special district, ("Licensor") and Western Municipal Water District of Riverside County, a water district, ("Licensee"). Licensor and Licensee are sometimes collectively referred to as "Parties". **RECITALS** A.

- A. Licensor is the owner of certain real property with Assessor's Parcel Numbers 245-390-008 and 245-390-010, and legally described in Exhibit A, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, ("Property") and has the right to grant to Licensee permission to enter upon and use the Property only for the purposes described herein this License.
- B. Licensee desires to obtain Licensor's permission to enter upon and use the Property for the purpose of operating and maintaining Licensee's 6" diameter water pipeline under the Property.
- C. Licensor desires to accommodate Licensee's request for permission to enter upon Licensor's Property for operating and maintaining Licensee's 6" diameter water pipeline under the Property; whereby such entry limits and scope of which are shown on Exhibit B, attached hereto and incorporated by reference.

NOW, THEREFORE, Licensor and Licensee do hereby agree as follows:

<u>AGREEMENT</u>

1. <u>License</u>. Licensor hereby grants to Licensee, its agents, employees and contractors, a non-exclusive, revocable license to construct, use, maintain, alter, add to, repair, replace, or remove Licensee's existing 6" diameter water pipeline and the right to enter onto the Property for the purpose described herein, more particularly described in Exhibit "B" attached and for no other purpose. This License is subject and subordinate to the prior and future rights of Licensor in the Property and Licensor's use of the Property for the purposes for which it was acquired. Licensor, at its sole discretion, has the right to

require the Licensee to relocate or remove any of the improvements or structures, including the existing 6" diameter water pipeline at the Licensee's expense. Upon request by Licensor, Licensee, at Licensee's expense, shall promptly provide information on the exact location of the 6" water pipeline and any other improvements constructed or installed by or for the Licensee under or on the Property.

- 2. <u>Term.</u> The term of this License shall be for <u>25</u> years, such term shall commence on the date this License Agreement is executed by all Parties hereto ("Effective Date") and terminate on ______. The term may be extended upon agreement of the Parties in writing, in 25 year increments up to ninety-nine (99) years, which the last increment shall be a 24 year term. This License may be terminated by either party upon ninety (90) days advance written notice. In the event that the Licensee terminates this License, then Licensee shall pay Licensor's costs and expenses associated with processing the termination, including but not limited to, Licensor staff time and submission costs to Licensor's Board for approval.
- 3. <u>Consideration</u>. Licensee agrees to pay Licensor the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) for the Licensor's costs and expenses in processing this License including but not limited to, Licensor's staff time and submission costs to Licensor's Board for approval, as the consideration for the rights granted by this License.
- 4. <u>Notice of Entry.</u> Prior to initial entry upon the Property for any of the purposes hereinabove set forth, Licensee shall notify the authorities in charge named below by written and/or oral notice at least forty-eight (48) hours prior to commencement of entry. Licensee shall also notify authorities in charge at least forty-eight (48) hours prior to cessation of entry.

Name: Riverside County Regional Park & Open-Space District

Attn: Marc Brewer, Senior Park Planner

Address: 4600 Crestmore Road, Jurupa Valley, CA 92509

Phone: (951) 955-4316

Fax: (951) 955-1383

5. <u>Liens</u>. Licensee shall not permit to be placed against the Property, or any part thereof, any design professionals', mechanics', material man's contractors' or subcontractors' liens with the regard to Licensee's actions upon the Property. Licensee agrees to hold Licensor harmless for any

loss or expense, including reasonable attorneys' fee, arising from any such liens which might be file against the Property.

- 6. <u>Assumption of the Risk</u>. Licensee assumes all risk of loss to itself, which in any manner may arise out of the use of the Property under this License.
- 7. Indemnification. Licensee shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Riverside County Regional Park and Open-Space District, the County of Riverside, its Agencies, Districts, Special Districts and Departments, their respective directors, officers, Board of Directors, Board of Supervisors, elected and appointed officials, employees, agents and representatives ("Indemnified Parties") from any liability, demands, claims, costs, losses, damages, recoveries, settlements and expenses whatsoever, based or asserted upon any act or omission of Licensee, its officers, employees, subcontractors, agents or representatives arising out of or in any way relating to or in any way connected with the Property or this License, resulting in property damage, bodily injury, or death or any other element of any kind or nature whatsoever, including but not limited to damage to any interest of Indemnified Parties, any suits alleging noncompliance with any statute or regulation which in any manner may arise out of the issuing of this License or use by Licensee of the Property or any adjoining land used with the Property. Licensee shall defend the Indemnified Parties in any claim or action, at its sole expense, all costs and fees, including but not limited to, reasonable attorney fees, cost of investigation, defense and settlements or awards.

With respect to any action or claim subject to indemnification herein by Licensee, Licensee shall, at their sole cost, have the right to use counsel of their own choice and shall have the right to adjust, settle, or compromise any such action or claim without the prior consent of Indemnified Parties; provided, however, that any such adjustment, settlement or compromise in no manner whatsoever limits or circumscribes Licensee's indemnification to Indemnified Parties as set forth herein. Licensee's obligation hereunder shall be satisfied when Licensee has provided to Indemnified Parties the appropriate form of dismissal relieving Indemnified Parties from any liability for the action or claim involved. The specified insurance limits required in this License shall in no way limit or circumscribe Licensee's obligations to indemnify and hold harmless the Indemnified Parties herein from third party claims.

8. <u>Insurance</u>. As a condition to this License Agreement, without limiting or diminishing the Licensee's obligation to indemnify or hold the Indemnified Parties harmless, Licensee shall procure

and maintain or cause to be maintained, at its sole cost and expense, the following insurance coverages during the term of this License:

During the term of this License, the Licensee shall carry, and cause its contractors, to carry, as a minimum, the following insurance coverage with respect to its activities on the Property: (a) employer's liability insurance with limits of liability not less than \$1,000,000; (b) worker's compensation insurance equal to the statutory requirements, therefore; and (c) comprehensive general liability insurance covering bodily injury and property damage with limits of liability in an amount not less than \$1,000,000, non-aggregating, combined single limit. Certification of such insurance shall be available for review by Licensor and shall be furnished upon request. The insurance requirements contained herein may be met by a program of self-insurance.

- 9. <u>Compliance with Laws.</u> Licensee shall, in all activities undertaken pursuant to this License, comply and cause its contractors, agents, and employees to comply with all federal, state, and local laws, statutes, orders, ordinances, rules, regulations, plans, policies, and decrees. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, Licensee, at its sole cost and expense, shall obtain any and all permits which may be required by any law, regulation or ordinance for any activities Licensee desires to conduct or have conducted pursuant to this License.
- 10. <u>Inspection</u>. Licensor and its representatives, employees, agents or independent contractors, may enter and inspect the Property or any portion thereof or any improvements thereon at any time and from time to time at reasonable times to verify Licensee's compliance with the terms and conditions of this License.
- 11. <u>Not Real Property Interest</u>. It is expressly understood that this License is not exclusive and does not in any way whatsoever grant or convey any permanent easement, lease, fee or other real property interest in the Property to Licensee.
- 12. <u>Protection and Restoration of the Property</u>. Licensee shall protect the Property, including all improvements and the natural resources thereon, at all times at Licensee's sole cost and expense, and Licensee shall strictly adhere to the following restrictions:
- A. Licensee may not place or dump garbage, trash or refuse anywhere upon or within the Property, except for self-contained trash receptacles that are maintained to Licensor's satisfaction by

Licensee;

- B. Licensee may not commit or create, or suffer to be committed or created, any waste, hazardous condition and/or nuisance to occur upon the Property;
- C. Licensee may not cut, prune or remove any native trees or brush upon the Property, except for the elimination of safety hazards without first obtaining written permission by the Licensor;
- D. Licensee may not disturb, move or remove any rocks or boulders upon the Property except for the elimination of safety hazards without first obtaining written permission by the Licensor;
- E. Licensee must exercise due diligence in the protection of the Property against damage or destruction by fire, vandalism or other cause.
- F. Upon the termination or revocation of this License, but before its relinquishment to Licensor, Licensee shall, at its own cost and expense, remove any debris generated by its use and Property shall be left in a neat condition. Licensee agrees not to damage Property in the process of performing the permitted activities.
- 13. <u>Public safety</u>. Licensee shall, or cause its contractors or subcontractors, to take any and all other necessary and reasonable steps to protect the public from harm due to the work.
- 14. <u>Entire agreement</u>. This License Agreement is the result of negotiations between the Parties hereto. The Parties further declare and represent that no inducement, promise or agreement not herein expressed has been made to them and this License contains the entire agreement of the Parties, and that the terms of this License are contractual and not a mere recital. Any ambiguity in the License or any of its provisions shall not be interpreted against the Party drafting the License.
- 15. <u>Warranty of Authority</u>. The undersigned represents that it has the authority to, and does, bind the person or entity on whose behalf and for whom it is signing this License and the attendant documents provided for herein, and this License and said additional documents are, accordingly, binding on said person or entity.
- 16. <u>Assignment</u>. This License shall not, nor shall any interest herein be assigned, mortgaged, hypothecated, or transferred by Licensee, whether voluntary or involuntary or by operation of law, nor shall Licensee let or sublet or grant any license of permit with respect to the use and occupancy of the Property or any portion thereof.

1	17. Choice of Law. This	License Agreement will be governed and construed by the laws of
2	the State of California.	
3	18. <u>Modification</u> . The Li	cense shall not be changed, modified, or amended except upon the
4	written consent of the Parties hereto.	
5	IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Par	ties hereto have executed this License Agreement on the date as
6	indicated below.	
7	Dated: Date	a to be imported by the lest marks assessing this Tierman Assessment
8	(Effective Date)	e to be inserted by the last party executing this License Agreement]
9	LICENSOR: Riverside County Regional Park	LICENSEE:
10	and Open-Space District	Western Municipal Water District of Riverside County
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13	Chairman Board of Directors	Name: John V. Rossi Title: ENLL MER
14	Date:	Date: 11/20/13
15 16 17	ATTEST: Clerk of the Board Kecia Harper-Ihem	
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19	Deputy	
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22	APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
23	Pamela J. Walls County Counsel	
24 25	By: Tyothia M. Gow	d
26	Synthia M Gunzel Deputy County Counsel	
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EXHIBIT A

Property Description

A parcel of land in Lot 9 and of Tract No. 3736, in the County of Riverside, State of California, as shown by Map on file in book 61, pages 36 and 37, of Maps, in the office of the Recorder of said County of Riverside, being all of APN245-390-008 and 245-390-010 conveyed to Riverside County Regional Park and Open-Space District, by Grant Deed recorded on 4-11-2013, as Doc No. 2013-0171576 recorded in official records in the County of Riverside.

Containing .36 acres, more of less.

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Selected parcel(s): 245-390-010

IMPORTANT

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KYLA BROWN KEITH HERRON BRANDE HUNE

SCOTT BANGLE Parks Director/General Manager Chief - Parks & Recreation Chief - Resources & Planning Chief - Business Operations

Riverside County Regional Park and Open-Space District

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: County Clerk County of Riverside 4080 Lemon St. Riverside, CA 92501 FROM: Riverside County Regional Park and Open-Space District 4600 Crestmore Road Jurupa Valley, CA 92509

December 17, 2013

Project Name: License Agreement between Riverside County Regional Park and Open-Space District and Western Municipal Water District of Riverside County to operate and maintain an existing six inch (6") waterline upon Riverside County Regional Park and Open-Space Property

Project Number: N/A

Project Location: Riverside County Assessor's Parcel Numbers 245-390-008 & 245-390-010 located in the Woodcrest area of Western Riverside County in T3SR5W; Section 23

Description of Project: The Riverside County Regional Park & Open-Space District (District) intends to enter into a long term license agreement with Western Municipal Water District of Riverside County (WMWD) to permit WMWD upon the identified properties owned by the District to: construct, use, maintain, alter, add to, repair, replace or remove an existing six inch (6") water line.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Riverside County Regional Park & Open-Space District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Riverside County Regional Park & Open-Space District

Exempt Status: California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines, Section 15301, Existing Facilities, Class 1 and Section 15061(b) (3) Exemption

Reasons Why Project is Exempt: The project is exempt from the provisions of CEQA specifically by CEQA Guidelines:

- Section 15301, Class 1 Existing Facilities- the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination.
- Section 15061(b)(3) With certainty, there is no possibility that the proposed project may have a significant effect on the environment because the project is the licensing of real property with the existing waterline and does not change the physical characteristics or condition of that real property.

Signed:

Scott Bangle Geheral Manager Date: 17 2013

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