ORDINANCE NO. 8

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE MONTEREY PENINSULA WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT ESTABLISHING CONNECTION CHARGES AND ADJUSTING FEES.

WHEREAS, The District Board finds as follows:

- 1. The State Legislature has declared that there is a need to augment the supply of water on the Monterey Peninsula from ground and surface water sources;
- 2. The Monterey Peninsula Water Management District is responsible for the integrated management of water problems affecting the Monterey Peninsula;
- 3. Growth projections indicate that the current supply of potable water will not be sufficient to provide for future domestic use;
- 4. The Monterey Peninsula has a current need to augment its future supply of portable water;
- 5. The Monterey Peninsula Water Management District intends to augment the supply of potable water for domestic use purposes on the Monterey Peninsula and throughout the District;
- 6. The augmentation of District water supplies will benefit all water distribution systems within the District, as well as the public generally;
- 7. The Monterey Peninsula Water Management District has adopted a water-rationing ordinance to regulate water use to guarantee a fair distribution of potable water when the demand exceeds the capacity of District water supplies;
- 8. The Monterey Peninsula Water Management District has examined alternate methods of augmenting potable water supplies and of conserving existing water supplies;

- 9. The precise cost of preliminary project expenses is not at this time ascertainable; but the costs of environmental review, project design, engineering, revenue funding, and election expenses are substantial and do not vary significantly from project to project;
- 10. Preliminary project expenses are in part mandated by other public agencies, including but not limited to the California Department of Fish and Game, the California State Water Resources Control Board, and the Army Corps of Engineers. These preliminary expenses cannot be avoided due to the regulatory control exercised by such public entities, and such expenses are incurred for the providing or the availability of augmented District water and District services;
- 11. Both the preliminary project work and the water rationing regulation undertaken by the Monterey Peninsula Water Mangement District constitute services which have been furnished by the District;
- 12. The Monterey Peninsula Water Management District is not fully able to fund preliminary project expenses from its general fund revenues in a timely manner and at the same time fulfill its other obligations of integrated management of the District's water resources;
- 13. The Monterey Peninsula Water Management District is authorized to impose connection fees and connection charges and, by allowing additions and expansions to District water distribution systems, the District has and will have reserved capacity and has made a commitment to such new water users to provide them with potable water and service facilities;

- 14. A District-wide direct correlation is found to exist between improvement value and the amount of water which is subject to consumption by any industrial unit, commercial establishment, or residence;
- 15. The average annual gross improvement value of development within the District during the past five calendar years was \$85,000,000. A connection charge variable of .4% is necessary to recoup project expenses within the Board's guidelines;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED that the amendments shown as underscored on the attached Exhibit A and incorporated herein by reference, are adopted on second reading to the District's Rules and Regulations.

On motion of Director Fry and second by Director McClintock, the foregoing ordinance is duly passed to print this 14th day of December 1981, by the following votes:

AYES:

Directors Gawthrop, Lee, Peters, Henson, Williams, Fry and

McClintock

NAYES:

None

ABSENT:

None

I, Gladys McKillop, Secretary of the Board of Directors of the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District, hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of an ordinance duly adopted on the

14th day of December, 1981, and now is of record in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of the Board of Directors this 16th day

of December, 1981.

Gladys McKillop, Secretary



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