

RESOLUTION NO. RO-14-3

FRESNO LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION COMMISSION
FRESNO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of

LAFCo Determination

A REQUEST FROM THE PINEDALE)	APPROVED CEQA; APPROVED "PINEDALE
COUNTY WATER DISTRICT FOR)	COUNTY WATER DISTRICT
APPROVAL OF THE "PINEDALE)	REORGANIZATION, 2014" WITH
COUNTY WATER DISTRICT)	CONDITION
REORGANIZATION, 2014")	

WHEREAS, reorganization proceedings were initiated by the Pinedale County Water District to annex territory to and detach territory from the District in order to adjust the water service area and sphere of influence to rectify the District's and City of Fresno's existing water service boundaries as described in Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, the application was submitted to this Commission by the Pinedale County Water District as required by State Law, and the application for said proposed reorganization was accepted for filing by the Executive Officer and set for hearing on the 8th day of June, 2016, at the hour of 1:30 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, notice of the hearing of said application was given as required by State Law; and

WHEREAS, the Executive Officer reviewed said application and prepared a report to this Commission, including a recommendation for approval upon certain conditions, said report having been mailed at least five days before said hearing and was duly considered by this Commission pursuant to State Law; and

WHEREAS, this Commission reviewed and considered the information in the Categorical Exemption prepared by the Lead Agency, Pinedale County Water District; and

WHEREAS, this Commission considered all relevant factors and evidence and heard all interested parties wishing to speak on said application.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Fresno Local Agency Formation Commission does **HEREBY STATE, FIND, RESOLVE, DETERMINE, AND ORDER** as follows:

Section #1. Acting as Responsible Agency pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines, this Commission finds that it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment that approval of the requested annexations to and detachments from the Pinedale County Water District is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15061(b)(3).

ADOPTED THIS 8TH DAY OF JUNE, 2016, BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: COMMISSIONERS PEREA, PARRA, SANTOYO, SILVA, PACHECO
NOES: NONE
ABSENT: NONE

Section #2. This Commission finds that the proposed reorganization is consistent with LAFCo Policies, Standards and Procedures and the Cortese-Knox-Hertzberg Local Government Reorganization Act of 2000 (CKH); and

Section #3. This Commission finds pursuant to the CKH that the territory is inhabited; and not all landowners have consented to the annexation.

Section #4. This Commission assigns the distinctive short form designation "Pinedale County Water District Reorganization, 2014," and approves the annexations and detachments with the following condition:

Pursuant to Fresno LAFCo policy 103-05, the Executive Officer shall record the approved application if all conditions have been satisfied and once he or she has determined that the facts pertaining to the application during the time of recording are materially similar to those facts considered by the Commission when the application was approved. Facts, as used in the proceeding sentence, is defined to include, but is not limited to, whether or not the proposed project is materially similar to the project described in any application before the Commission.

Section #5. This Commission directs staff to conduct a protest hearing at the LAFCo office pursuant to the requirements of the Cortese-Knox-Hertzberg Local Government Reorganization Act of 2000 (Government Code Section 57000 et seq.).

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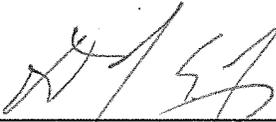
ADOPTED THIS 8TH DAY OF JULY, 2016, BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: COMMISSIONERS PEREA, SILVA, PARRA, SANTOYO, PACHECO
NOES NONE
ABSENT: NONE

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF FRESNO)**

CERTIFICATION

I, David E. Fey, Executive Officer of the Fresno Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCo), Fresno County, State of California, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Commission at a regular meeting held on the 8th day of June, 2016.



David E. Fey, AICP, Executive Officer

