

## Appendix F

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Agency Resolution Template

**DRAFT – 1/24/18**  
**Resolution of Support**  
**American River Basin Storm Water Resource Plan**

Whereas, the stakeholders of the American River Basin (ARB) region support a vision of responsibly managing water resources for the lasting health of the region's community, economy, and environment;

Whereas, the stakeholders of the ARB region recognize the development and implementation of a Storm Water Resource Plan (SWRP) will support realization of this vision;

Whereas, California Water Code §10560 et seq. (as amended by Senate Bill 985) requires a SWRP as a condition of receiving funds for storm water and dry weather runoff capture projects from any water bond measure approved by voters after January 1, 2014;

Whereas, the ARB SWRP is based on required elements cited in the Water Code, as well as guidelines developed by the California State Water Resources Control Board (as required by the amended Water Code;

Whereas, the amended Water Code requires a SWRP to be submitted for including into the relevant regional Integrated Regional Watershed Management Plan (IRWMP);

Whereas, since November 2009, RWA has collaborated extensively with regional stakeholders to develop a vision, principles, goals, and objectives to support the ARB IRWMP;

Whereas, the ARB SWRP supports the goals, objectives, and strategies of the ARB IRWMP.

Whereas, the ARB SWRP is not a legally binding document on the stakeholders adopting the plan, but rather serves as a framework for coordinated planning in the region;

Whereas, the ARB SWRP is a living document, with defined processes for implementing and adaptively managing the SWRP components;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that [name of entity] hereby supports the ARB SWRP with respect to planning and implementation of projects and programs that capture and use storm water and dry weather runoff to augment surface water supplies, to recharge groundwater, or to protect and restore ecosystems, and ultimately ensure sustainable water resources in the region. [name of entity] will strive to ensure that projects it submits into the ARB SWRP have considered opportunities for achieving multiple benefits associated with increasing water supply, improving water quality, supporting flood control, protecting the environment, and enhancing communities.

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[Insert Name of Signer]

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Date Signed

[Insert Title]

[Insert Organization]