RESOLUTION NO. 10-9-12-2
A RESOLUTION OF THE AMARILLO CITY COMMISSION:
AMENDING THE WATER CONSERVATION PROGRAM FOR
THE CITY OF AMARILLO, ORIGINALLY ADOPTED IN 2002
AND LAST AMENDED IN 2007 PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE
DATE; PROVIDING A REPEALER CLAUSE: PROVIDING A
SAVINGS CLAUSE.

WHEREAS, in 2000, by Resolution No. 11-21-00-2 the City of Amarillo City Commission did then adopt a Water Conservation Program for the City, and updated it in 2007 by Resolution No. 10-02-07-1; and.

WHEREAS, water continues to be a precious and valuable resource to the City and the State of Texas; and

WHEREAS, water conservation continues to be an integral part of long-term water supply Management; and

WHEREAS, the Utilities Division has the responsibility for the management and control of the water and sewage systems of the City; and

WHEREAS, said responsibility includes the acquiring of adequate water resources for the future and the protection and conservation of these water resources; and

WHEREAS, it continues to be the desire of the City to ensure a safe and dependable water supply tor its inhabitants: and

WHEREAS, the Water Conservation Program prepared by the Utilities Division is comprehensive and will help secure the City's future water supply; and

WHEREAS, implementation of additional or modified conservation practices will further assure continued reliable short- and long-term supplies of high quality, reasonably priced water; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to continue meeting the requirements of the Texas Water Development Board in which a Water Conservation Program is a prerequisite to financing water development projects within the State; and

WHEREAS, the adoption of a Water Conservation Program is required by the Canadian River Municipal Water Authority as a prerequisite to exporting water from its jurisdiction under the Water Production Plan; and

WHEREAS, the promotion of water conservation represents an immediate and long-term benefit to the Public so that it is in the public interest to adopt a Water Conservation Program and to revise it periodically; and

WHEREAS, the City is authorized and now desires to amend its Water Conservation Program as indicated in the amended plan which is attached to this resolution and incorporated herein by reference for all purposes;

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NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF AMARILLO:

SECTION 1. That the City of Amarillo Water Conservation Program is hereby amended and approved in accordance with the document attached to this Resolution (and incorporated herein by this reference), as the general, long-term conservation policy for the City.

SECTION 2. That this amended Water Conservation Program shall take effect and be in full force from date of adopting this resolution and forward.

SECTION 3. That the City Manager, Director of Utilities, and their respective designees are hereby authorized to take all reasonable and necessary actions to implement the provisions of the amended Water Conservation Program and otherwise to give effect to this Resolution.

SECTION 4. That all water supply or sewage treatment agreements between the City of Amarillo and any other entity shall provide for said entities to adopt conservation program similar to that which Amarillo has in effect at any given time.

SECTION 5. All resolutions or parts thereof that conflict with this resolution are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION 6. In the event this resolution or any part hereof is found to be invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the remaining portions of the resolution. and such remaining portions shall continue to be in full force and effect.

INTRODUCED AND PASSED by the City Commission of the City of Amarillo, Texas, on this 9th day of October, 2012.

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Paul Harpole, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Donna DeRight, City Secretary