GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY

BOARD MEETING AGENDA

JANUARY 11, 2024

4:30 P.M.

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

ARNE ANSELM, Ventura County Public Works Agency
JEFFREY C. BROWN, Camrosa Water District
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EUGENE F. WEST, Camrosa Water District

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Camrosa Water District - 7385 Santa Rosa Road - Camarillo, CA 93012

CALL TO ORDER

PUBLIC COMMENTS

At this time, the public may address the Board on any item not appearing on the agenda that is subject to its jurisdiction. Persons wishing to address the Board must fill out a speaker card and are subject to a five-minute time limit.

Matters appearing on the Consent Agenda are expected to be noncontroversial and will be acted upon by the Board collectively, without discussion, unless a member of the Board or staff requests an opportunity to address a given item. Approval by the Board of Consent Items means that the recommendation of staff is approved along with the terms and conditions described in the Board Memorandum.

CONSENT AGENDA

- 1. Approve the Minutes of the July 13, 2023 Regular Meeting
- 2. Vendor Payments Ratification

Approve vendor payments as presented by staff.

PRIMARY AGENDA

3. Appoint Interim Executive Director

Adopt a resolution appointing Norman Huff as the Interim Executive Director.

4. Fiscal Year 2022-23 Year End Results

Receive FY 2022-23 year end results.

5. Fiscal Year 2023-24 1st Quarter Results

Receive FY 2023-24 first quarter results.

6. ASRGSA Model Update & SGMA Annual Reporting

Execute an agreement and issue a purchase order in Intera Inc. for the ASRGSA Model Update & SGMA Annual Reporting.

7. Accept Nominations for the Santa Rosa GSA Board Officers and Accept the 2024 Calendar

- 1) Accept nominations and elect Chair and Vice Chair of the GSA.
- 2) Adopt the Camrosa Water District's Board Calendar to establish the Santa Rosa GSA's regularly scheduled meetings.

COMMENTS BY THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

COMMENTS BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

ADJOURN

GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY

MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD

July 13, 2023

4:45 P.M.

Camrosa Water District - 7385 Santa Rosa Road - Camarillo, CA 93012

CALL TO ORDER The meeting was called to order at 4:45 P.M.

Present: Arne Anselm

Jeffrey C. Brown Terry L. Foreman Timothy H. Hoag Andrew F. Nelson Eugene F. West

Staff: Tony Stafford, Executive Director

Tamara Sexton Kevin Wahl Joe Willingham Jozi Zabarsky

Greg Jones, Legal Counsel

PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

CONSENT AGENDA

- 1. Approve the Minutes of the May 25, 2023 Regular Meeting
- 2. Vendor Payments Ratification

Motion to approve the Consent Agenda: Hoag Second: West Motion carried unanimously.

PRIMARY AGENDA

3. Adopt FY2023-24 Budget

The Board adopted the FY2023-24 budget as presented.

Motion to approve: West Second: Hoag

Motion carried unanimously.

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COMMENTS BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS	<u>s</u>	
None		
<u>ADJOURN</u>		
There being no further business, th	ne meeting was adjourned at 4:46 P.M.	
		(ATTEST)
Norman Huff	Terry L. Foreman, Chair	(ATTEST)
Norman Huff Interim Executive Director	Terry L. Foreman, Chair Board of Directors	(ATTEST)

COMMENTS BY THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

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Camrosa Water District - 7385 Santa Rosa Road - Camarillo, CA 93012

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BOARD MEMORANDUM

DATE: January 11, 2024

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Norman Huff, Interim Executive Director

OBJECTIVE: Ratify Vendor Payments as presented by staff

ACTION: Ratify accounts payable.

DISCUSSION: A summary of accounts payable previously paid by the Arroyo Santa Rosa Valley

Groundwater Sustainability Agency in the amount of \$90,447.70 is provided for Board

information and ratification.

Check Number	Post Date	Vendor Name	Invoice Number	Description		Amount
				GSP Project Management May 2023-Bondy Groundwater		
101	7/5/2023	Camrosa Water District	1969	Consulting Invoice 077-20		2,333.76
102	7/5/2023	Intera	5-23-125	GSP Development and Preparation May 2023		3,105.00
103	7/5/2023	The Hathaway Law Firm, LLP	204117	GSA Legal Services		428.07
104	7/5/2023	Camrosa Water District	077-21	GSP Project Management June 2023-Bondy Groundwater Consulting Invoice 077-21		1,237.50
105	7/19/2023	Intera	6-23-22	GSP Development and Preparation June 2023-Track 2		3,160.00
105	7/19/2023	Intera	6-23-21	GSP Development and Preparation June 2023-Track 1		11,715.00
106	8/17/2023	Intera	7-23-65	Updating numerical model GSP		17,280.00
107	8/17/2023	The Hathaway Law Firm, LLP	204723	Legal Services		336.34
	8/31/2023	US Bank		July 2023 Bank Fees		46.95
	9/30/2023	US Bank		August 2023 Bank Fees		46.95
108	10/4/2023	Camrosa Water District	077-22	GSP Project Management July 2023-Bondy Groundwater Consulting Invoice 077-22		735.00
109	10/18/2023	ACWA	2024 GSA	2024 Annual Agency Dues		4,060.00
110	10/18/2023	Camrosa Water District	1977	GSP Project Management & Consulting Services September 2023-BON01-077-24 & 097-02		3,062.50
111	10/18/2023	Intera	08-23-94-Re	GSP and GW Model Track 2 August 2023		11,910.00
111	10/18/2023	Intera	09-23-26	GSP and GW Model Track 2 September 2023		16,425.00
112	10/18/2023	The Hathaway Law Firm, LLP	205274	GSA Legal Services September 2023		91.73
	10/31/2023	US Bank		September 2023 Bank Fees		46.95
113	11/1/2023	Camrosa Water District	1980	Liability Insurance ACW02-GSA-100122		1,125.00
114	11/15/2023	Camrosa Water District	1981	GSP Project Management & Consulting Services October 2023-BON01- 097-03		367.50
115	11/15/2023	Intera	10-23-45	GSP and GW Model Track 2 October 2023		4,820.00
	11/30/2023			October 2023 Bank Fees		46.95
116		Camrosa Water District	1984	Review grant agreement requirements for grant completion report BON077-25 & GSP Project Management & Consulting Services Nov 2023 BON01-097-04		1,837.50
117	12/21/2023	Intera	11-23-58	GSP and GW Model Track 2 November 2023		6,230.00
otal Ver	ndor Paymen	ts			Ś	90,447.70

The ASRGSA's bank account as of November 30, 2023 was \$159,336.86.

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BOARD MEMORANDUM

DATE: January 11, 2024

TO: Board of Directors

OBJECTIVE: Appoint an Interim Executive Director

ACTION: It is recommended that the Board of Directors adopt a resolution of the Board appointing

Norman Huff to the position of Interim Executive Director.

DISCUSSION: Following the retirement of Tony L. Stafford, Executive Director, on December 31, 2023,

the Board desires to appoint an Interim Executive Director.

Attachment:

Resolution 24-01

GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD RESOLUTION 2024-01

Appointing Norman Huff to the Position of Interim Executive Director

Whereas, the Board of Directors has regrettably accepted the resignation of Tony L. Stafford from the position of Executive Director, upon the occasion of his retirement from public service; and,

Whereas, the effective date of the resignation of Mr. Stafford was December 31, 2023.

Whereas, the Board of Directors desires to fill the vacant Executive Director position on an interim basis until a permanent appointment can be made; and,

Whereas, Norman Huff, in his current capacity as Assistant General Manager of the Camrosa Water District, is immediately available;

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Arroyo Santa Rosa Valley Basin GSA Board of Directors that Norman Huff is hereby appointed to the position of Interim Executive Director effective immediately; and,

Be It Further Resolved that this appointment is effective immediately.

Adopted, Signed, and Approved this 11th day of January 2024.

	(ATTEST)
Terry Foreman, Chair	Norman Huff, Interim Executive Director
Board of Directors	Arroyo Santa Rosa Valley Basin GSA
Arroyo Santa Rosa Valley Basin GSA	

GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY

Camrosa Water District, 7385 Santa Rosa Road, Camarillo, CA 93012

BOARD MEMORANDUM

DATE: January 11, 2024

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Norman Huff, Interim Executive Director

OBJECTIVE: Receive Fiscal Year 2022-23 Year End Results

ACTION: No action necessary; for information only.

SUMMARY: Receive Fiscal Year 2022-23 Year End results.

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Arroyo Santa Rosa GSA		Budget FY 22-23	Actuals FY2022-23	Variance		
Transfer In JPA Member Assessement Camrosa Water District County of Ventura	\$	531,900 -	\$:	\$	(531,900) -	
	\$	531,900	\$ -	\$	(531,900)	
Operating Expenses						
Outside Contracts	\$	13,000	\$ 505	\$	12,495	
Professional Services		486,500	274,074		212,426	
Materials & Supplies		14,600	2,392		12,208	
Legal Services		10,000	4,831		5,169	
Dues & Subscriptions		2,800	918		1,882	
Conference & Travel		2,000	-		2,000	
Fees & Charges		500	439		61	
Insurance	_	2,500	1,125		1,375	
Total Operating Expenses	\$	531,900	\$ 284,284	\$	247,616	
Non-Operating Revenues						
Grant Revenue		-	177,081		177,081	

Notes:

- (1) Camrosa Water District contributed \$100,000 to the ASRGSA in FY 2016-17
- (2) Camrosa Water District has contributed \$650,000 to the ASRGSA in FY2021-22
- (3) The Arroyo Santa Rosa GSA's bank account balance as of June 30, 2023 was \$162,211.65

GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY

Camrosa Water District, 7385 Santa Rosa Road, Camarillo, CA 93012

BOARD MEMORANDUM

DATE: January 11, 2024

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Norman Huff, Interim Executive Director

OBJECTIVE: Receive Fiscal Year 2023-24 First Quarter Results

ACTION: No action necessary; for information only.

SUMMARY: Receive Fiscal Year 2023-24 first quarter results.

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Arroyo Santa Rosa GSA		Budget Y 23-24	1st QTR Budget			1st QTR Actuals	En	1st QTR cumbrances	A	1st QTR ctuals plus encumb	Variance
Transfer In JPA Member Assessement Camrosa Water District County of Ventura	\$	185,600 -	\$	46,400 -	\$	-	\$	-	\$	- -	\$ (46,400)
	\$	185,600	\$	46,400	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$ (46,400)
Operating Expenses											
Professional Services	\$	164,500	\$	41,125	\$	18,015	\$	186,652	\$	204,667	\$ (163,542)
Materials & Supplies		7,100		1,775		-		-		-	1,775
Legal Services		10,000		2,500		336		-		336	2,164
Dues & Subscriptions		1,500		375		-		-		-	375
Fees & Charges		500		125		201		-		201	(76)
Insurance		2,000		500		-		-		-	500
Total Operating Expenses	\$	185,600	\$	46,400	\$	18,552	\$	186,652	\$	205,205	\$ (158,805)

Notes:

⁽¹⁾ Camrosa Water District contributed \$100,000 to the ASRGSA in FY 2016-17

⁽²⁾ Camrosa Water District has contributed \$650,000 to the ASRGSA in FY2021-22

⁽³⁾ The Arroyo Santa Rosa GSA's bank account balance as of September 30, 2023 was \$202,027.49

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BOARD MEMORANDUM

DATE: January 11, 2024

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Norman Huff, Interim Executive Director

OBJECTIVE: ASRGSA Model Update and SGMA Annual Reporting

ACTION: It is recommended that the Board of Directors authorize the Executive Director to

execute an agreement and issue a purchase order to Intera Incorporated in the amount

of \$54,260.00, for ASRGSA Model Update and SGMA Annual Reporting.

SUMMARY: As per SGMA Requirements (23 CCR § 356.2) all Groundwater Sustainability Agencies

(GSAs) are required to submit annual reports to the California Department of Water Resources (DWR) by April 1 of each year following the adoption of the Plan. The annual report will also require updating the numerical groundwater model with the latest available hydrologic and water use data and performing model simulations to estimate streamflow depletions. As per SGMA requirements, the GSP annual report shall include

the following components for the preceding water year:

- (a) General information, including an executive summary and a location map depicting the basin covered by the report.
- (b) A detailed description and graphical representation of the following conditions of the basin managed in the Plan:
 - (1) Groundwater elevation data from monitoring wells identified in the monitoring network shall be analyzed and displayed as follows:
 - (A) Groundwater elevation contour maps for each principal aquifer in the basin illustrating, at a minimum, the seasonal high and seasonal low groundwater conditions.
 - (B) Hydrographs of groundwater elevations and water year type using historical data to the greatest extent available, including from January 1, 2015, to current reporting year.
 - (2) Groundwater extraction for the preceding water year. Data shall be collected using the best available measurement methods and shall be presented in a table that summarizes groundwater extractions by water use sector and identifies the method of measurement (direct or estimate) and accuracy of measurements, and a map that illustrates the general location and volume of groundwater extractions. December 21, 2023.

- (3) Surface water supply used or available for use, for groundwater recharge or inlieu use shall be reported based on quantitative data that describes the annual volume and sources for the preceding water year.
- (4) Total water use shall be collected using the best available measurement methods and shall be reported in a table that summarizes total water use by water use sector, water source type, and identifies the method of measurement (direct or estimate) and accuracy of measurements. Existing water use data from the most recent Urban Water Management Plans or Agricultural Water Management Plans within the basin may be used, as long as the data are reported by water year.
- (5) Change in groundwater in storage shall include the following:
 - (A) Change in groundwater in storage maps for each principal aquifer in the basin.
 - (B) A graph depicting water year type, groundwater use, the annual change in groundwater in storage, and the cumulative change in groundwater in storage for the basin based on historical data to the greatest extent available, including from January 1, 2015, to the current reporting year.
- (c) A description of progress towards implementing the Plan, including achieving interim milestones, and implementation of projects or management actions since the previous annual report.

Arroyo Santa Rosa Groundwater Sustainability Agency 7385 Santa Rosa Rd. Camarillo, CA 93012 Telephone (805) 482-4677 - FAX (805) 987-4797

Some of the important terms of this agreement are printed on pages 2 through 3. For your protection, make sure that you read and understand all provisions before signing. The terms on Page 2 through 3 are incorporated in this document and will constitute a part of the agreement between the parties when signed.

TO: INTERA Incorporated

DATE: January 11, 2024

3838 W. Cars Torrance, CA		Agreement No.: 2024-86								
			prepare SGMA annual report and per proposal dated 12/21/2023							
Contract price \$:	Not to exceed \$54,260 per pro	oposal a	uttached							
Contract Term:	01/14/2024 — 06/30/2024									
pe signed by its author of your authorized rep	orized representative and pron	nptly reti	Arroyo Santa Rosa GSA, a copy will urned to you. Insert below the names tant: INTERA Incorporated							
By:		Ву:								
Norman Hu	ff		Abhishek Singh, PhD, PE							
Title: Interim Exe	cutive Director	Title:	President - Water Supply & Water Resources LoB							
Date:		Date:								
Other authorized rep	oresentative(s):	Other authorized representative(s):								

Consultant agrees with ASRGSA that:

- Indemnification: To the extent permitted by law, Consultant shall hold harmless, defend at its own expense, and indemnify the ASRGSA, its directors, officers, employees, and authorized volunteers, against any and all liability, claims, losses, damages, or expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees and costs, arising from negligent acts, errors or omissions of Consultant or its officers, agents, or employees in rendering services under this contract; excluding, however, such liability, claims, losses, damages or expenses arising from the ASRGSA's sole negligence or willful acts.
- b. **Minimum Insurance Requirements:** Consultant shall procure and maintain for the duration of the contract insurance against claims for injuries or death to persons or damages to property which may arise from or in connection with the performance of the work hereunder and the results of that work by the Consultant, his agents, representatives, employees or subcontractors.
- c. **Coverage:** Coverage shall be at least as broad as the following:
 - 1. Commercial General Liability (CGL) Insurance Services Office (ISO) Commercial General Liability Coverage (Occurrence Form CG 00 01) including products and completed operations, property damage, bodily injury, personal and advertising injury with limit of at least two million dollars (\$2,000,000) per occurrence. If a general aggregate limit applies, either the general aggregate limit shall apply separately to this project/location (coverage as broad as the ISO CG 25 03, or ISO CG 25 04 endorsement provided to the ASRGSA) or the general aggregate limit shall be twice the required occurrence limit.
 - 2. **Automobile Liability -** (If applicable) Insurance Services Office (ISO) Business Auto Coverage (Form CA 00 01), covering Symbol 1 (any auto) or if Consultant has no owned autos, Symbol 8 (hired) and 9 (non-owned) with limit of one million dollars (\$1,000,000) for bodily injury and property damage each accident.
 - 3. **Workers' Compensation Insurance -** as required by the State of California, with Statutory Limits, and Employer's Liability Insurance with limit of no less than \$1,000,000 per accident for bodily injury or disease.
 - 4. Waiver of Subrogation: The insurer(s) named above agree to waive all rights of subrogation against the ASRGSA, its directors, officers, employees, and authorized volunteers for losses paid under the terms of this policy which arise from work performed by the Named Insured for the ASRGSA; but this provision applies regardless of whether or not the ASRGSA has received a waiver of subrogation from the insurer.
 - 5. **Professional Liability** (also known as Errors & Omission) Insurance appropriate to the Consultant profession, with limits no less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence or claim, and \$2,000,000 policy aggregate.

d. If Claims Made Policies:

- 1. The Retroactive Date must be shown and must be before the date of the contract or the beginning of contract work.
- 2. Insurance must be maintained and evidence of insurance must be provided for at least five (5) years after completion of the contract of work.
- 3. If coverage is canceled or non-renewed, and not replaced with another claims-made policy form with a Retroactive Date prior to the contract effective date, the Consultant must purchase "extended reporting" coverage for a minimum of five (5) years after completion of contract work.

If the Consultant maintains broader coverage and/or higher limits than the minimums shown above, the ASRGSA requires and shall be entitled to the broader coverage and/or higher limits maintained by the Consultant. Any available insurance proceeds in excess of the specified minimum limits of insurance and coverage shall be available to the ASRGSA.

Other Required Provisions: The general liability policy must contain, or be endorsed to contain, the following provisions:

- a. Additional Insured Status: ASRGSA, its directors, officers, employees, and authorized volunteers are to be given insured status (at least as broad as ISO Form CG 20 10 10 01), with respect to liability arising out of work or operations performed by or on behalf of the Consultant including materials, parts, or equipment furnished in connection with such work or operations.
- b. **Primary Coverage:** For any claims related to this project, the Consultant's insurance coverage shall be primary at least as broad as ISO CG 20 01 04 13 as respects to the ASRGSA, its directors, officers, employees, and authorized volunteers. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the ASRGSA, its directors, officers, employees, and authorized volunteers shall be excess of the Consultant's insurance and shall not contribute with it.

Notice of Cancellation: Each insurance policy required above shall provide that coverage shall not be canceled, except with notice to the ASRGSA.

Self-Insured Retentions: Self-insured retentions must be declared to and approved by the ASRGSA The ASRGSA may require the Consultant to provide proof of ability to pay losses and related investigations, claim administration, and defense expenses within the retention. The policy language shall provide, or be endorsed to provide, that the self-insured retention may be satisfied by either the named insured or the ASRGSA.

Acceptability of Insurers: Insurance is to be placed with insurers having a current A.M. Best rating of no less than A:VII or as otherwise approved by the ASRGSA.

Verification of Coverage: Consultant shall furnish the ASRGSA with certificates and amendatory endorsements or copies of the applicable policy language effecting coverage required by this clause. All certificates and endorsements are to be received and approved by the ASRGSA before work commences. However, failure to obtain the required documents prior to the work beginning shall not waive the Consultant's obligation to provide them. The ASRGSA reserves the right to require complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies, including policy Declaration and Endorsements pages listing all policy endorsements. If any of the required coverages expire during the term of this agreement, the Consultant shall deliver the renewal certificate(s) including the general liability additional insured endorsement to ASRGSA at least ten (10) days prior to the expiration date.

Subcontractors: Consultant shall require and verify that all subcontractors maintain insurance meeting all the requirements stated herein, and Consultant shall ensure that the ASRGSA, its directors, officers, employees, and authorized volunteers are an additional insured on Commercial General Liability Coverage.

Other Requirements:

- a. Consultant shall not accept direction or orders from any person other than the General Manager or the person(s) whose name(s) is (are) inserted on Page 1 as "other authorized representative(s)."
- b. Payment, unless otherwise specified on Page 1, is to be 30 days after acceptance by the ASRGSA.
- c. Permits required by governmental authorities will be obtained at Consultant's expense, and Consultant will comply with applicable local, state, and federal regulations and statutes including Cal/OSHA requirements.
- d. Any change in the scope of the professional services to be done, method of performance, nature of materials or price thereof, or to any other matter materially affecting the performance or nature of the professional services will not be paid for or accepted unless such change, addition or deletion is approved in advance, in writing by the ASRGSA. Consultant's "other authorized representative(s)" has/have the authority to execute such written change for Consultant.

The ASRGSA may terminate this Agreement at any time, with or without cause, giving written notice to Consultant, specifying the effective date of termination.



December 21, 2023

Mr. Tony Stafford
Executive Director
Arroyo Santa Rosa Valley Basin Groundwater
Sustainability Agency (ASRGSA)
Camrosa Water District

RE: Proposal for ASRGSA Model Update and SGMA Annual Reporting

Dear Mr. Stafford,

Under the direction of the ASRGSA Board, INTERA has supported the development of the Arroyo Santa Rosa Valley Groundwater Basin (ASRVGB) Sustainability Plan and the numerical groundwater model for GSP associated analysis. As per SGMA Requirements (23 CCR § 356.2) all Groundwater Sustainability Agencies (GSAs) are required to submit annual reports to the California Department of Water Resources (DWR) by April 1 of each year following the adoption of the Plan. This proposal presents the scope, level of effort, and budget for the annual report. The annual report will also require updating the numerical groundwater model with the latest available hydrologic and water use data and performing model simulations to estimate streamflow depletions. As such, this proposal also includes scope, level of effort, and budget for the model update and streamflow depletion calculations.

As per SGMA requirements, the GSP annual report shall include the following components for the preceding water year:

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- (c) A description of progress towards implementing the Plan, including achieving interim milestones, and implementation of projects or management actions since the previous annual report.

The tasks and level of effort involved in the above tasks are summarized below:

- 1) Task 1: Model Update. The annual report requires "description of progress towards implementing the Plan, including achieving interim milestones". This will entail assessing all sustainability indicators against the minimum thresholds, interim milestones, and measurable objectives developed in the GSP. A key sustainability indicator for ASRVGB is streamflow depletion, which cannot be directly measured and must be computed using the numerical groundwater model. The current numerical groundwater model covers the hydrologic period from October 1996 to September 2022. To support the 2023 annual report, the numerical model will be updated with hydrologic, pumping, and return-flow data through the most recent period with complete datasets (anticipated to be water year 2023, dependent on data availability). INTERA will coordinate with the ASRGSA project technical advisor, Mr. Bryan Bondy, to collect the required datasets including: groundwater pumping; streamflows; diversions; precipitation; evaporation; and water deliveries/use. Key water budget terms, such as natural recharge and return flows will be estimated based on the data collected. Transient model boundary conditions will be updated accordingly. For the purpose of this proposal, we have assumed no other changes to the model properties or numerical set-up.
- 2) Task 2: Develop GSP Annual Report. INTERA will develop the annual report as per SGMA requirements. INTERA will coordinate with the ASRGSA project technical advisor to collect the necessary data for the GSP update, including: groundwater pumping; groundwater water levels; groundwater quality data; and water deliveries/use. The ASRGSA data management system will be updated with the relevant hydrologic, water quality, pumping, and water use datasets. INTERA will use the data to develop



appropriate graphs, maps, and tables for the GSP annual reporting purposes. INTERA will use the updated model (Task 1) to develop estimates of streamflow depletions and water budget components. Similar to the GSP, INTERA will develop two scenarios: 1) historical conditions, and 2) historical conditions *without* groundwater extraction from proximal wells (within 1,000 ft) along the Arroyo Conejo and Conejo Creek. Streamflow depletions from groundwater pumping will be calculated by taking the difference in streamflow conditions at various locations between the two simulations. The model will also be used to generate maps depicting change in storage in the basin, as required by SGMA annual reporting regulations.

It is anticipated that the annual reports will require input, text, and discussion from the ASRGSA project technical advisor on groundwater conditions and plan implementation progress (including achieving interim milestones). INTERA will identify areas for the input and text from the ASRGSA technical advisor and coordinate with him to obtain and integrate the necessary information into the annual report. INTERA will submit one preliminary draft for review, revisions, and comments by the ASRGSA technical advisor. INTERA will respond to one round of comments by the ASRGSA technical advisor and submit a draft report for review and comments by the ASRGSA Board Members. INTERA will revise the draft report based on the comments received and submit the annual report and supporting data to DWR before April 1, 2024.

The estimated budget for the proposed scope is \$54,260, as detailed in attachment A. The scope for this annual report update is limited to meeting the DWR requirements as discussed above; any additional work requested will require scope amendments. We expect to start the work on the proposed scope when data becomes available in early January 2024 and will ensure submittal of the annual report to DWR before April 1, 2024.

We appreciate the opportunity to support the ASRGSA on the development and submittal of the GSP Annual Report for the ASRVGB. If you have questions, comments, or concerns please do not hesitate to Abhishek Singh or Steven Humphrey.

Sincerely,

INTERA Incorporated

Abhishek Singh, PhD, PE

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President, Water Resources & Supply Line of Business

Steven Humphrey, PG Project Manager

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Attachment A: Detailed Budget

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Labor Category	Proposed Staff	Rate	Hours	Cost	Hours	Cost	Hours	Cost	
Principal Engineer/Scientist I	Abhishek Singh	\$285	4	\$1,140	16	\$4,560		\$0	
Principal Engineer/Scientist II		\$255		\$0		\$0		\$0	
Principal Engineer/Scientist III		\$240		\$0		\$0		\$0	
Senior Engineer/Scientist I		\$225		\$0		\$0		\$0	
Senior Engineer/Scientist II		\$205		\$0		\$0		\$0	
Senior Engineer/Scientist III	Steven Humphrey	\$190	16	\$3,040	40	\$7,600	8	\$1,520	
Senior Engineer/Scientist IV		\$180		\$0		\$0		\$0	
Engineer/Scientist I	Erick Fox	\$170	24	\$4,080	40	\$6,800		\$0	
Engineer/Scientist II	Melanie Beck	\$160	48	\$7.680	40	\$6.400		\$0	
Engineer/Scientist ii	Nathan Hatch	\$100	40	Φ1,000	40	φ0,400		φО	
Engineer/Scientist IV	Mitsuyo Tsuda	\$130	24	\$3,120	40	\$5,200		\$0	
Senior Technician		\$145		\$0		\$0		\$0	
Technician		\$90		\$0		\$0		\$0	
Senior Technical Editor	Joanna Stakutis	\$145		\$0	16	\$2,320		\$0	
Tech Editor	Mary Wilkins	\$100		\$0	8	\$800		\$0	
Senior CAD/Graphics		\$125		\$0		\$0		\$0	
CAD/Graphics		\$100		\$0		\$0		\$0	
Project Associate		\$90		\$0		\$0		\$0	
Travel and other Direct Costs		\$0		\$0		\$0		\$0	
Subtotals			116	\$19,060	200	\$33,680	8	\$1,520	
Total								\$54,260	

GROUNDWATER SUSTAINABILITY AGENCY

Camrosa Water District, 7385 Santa Rosa Road, Camarillo, CA 93012

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BOARD MEMORANDUM

DATE: January 11, 2024

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Tamara Sexton, Executive Director

OBJECTIVE: Accept nominations for the Santa Rosa GSA Board Officers and accept the 2024 Calendar

ACTION: 1) Accept nominations and elect Chair and Vice Chair of the GSA; and

2) Adopt the Camrosa Water District's Board Calendar to establish the Santa Rosa GSA's regularly scheduled meetings.

SUMMARY:

The Joint Exercise of Powers Agreement (JPA) creating the Arroyo Santa Rosa Valley Groundwater Sustainability Agency (ASRVGSA) states Officers shall be elected annually by, and serve at the pleasure of, the Board of Directors. Officers shall be elected at the first Board meeting following January 1st of each year. An officer may serve for multiple consecutive terms, with no term limit. Any officer may resign at any time upon written notice to the Board and may be removed and replaced by a decision of the Board.

The JPA also requires that the Board meet at least once a quarter. It is recommended that the Board set the meetings to be held on the same dates and immediately preceding the regular meetings of the Camrosa Water District meetings. The Arroyo Santa Rosa GSA may cancel in advance the regularly scheduled meeting if there is no business to be considered by the GSA.

2024 Camrosa Board Calendar

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