RESOLUTION 14-921

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE JOSHUA BASIN WATER DISTRICT ADOPTING THE MOJAVE INTEGRATED REGIONAL WATER MANAGEMENT PLAN PURSUANT TO THE SAFE DRINKING WATER, WATER QUALITY AND SUPPLY, FLOOD CONTROL, RIVER AND COASTAL PROTECTION BOND ACT OF 2006

WHEREAS, the Joshua Basin Water District has participated in the process to update the Integrated Regional Water Management Plan for the Mojave Region; and

WHEREAS, those leading the efforts to update the Mojave IRWM Plan took into account Proposition 84 guidelines and legislation, relevant sections of the California Water Code, watershed and resources data within and adjacent to the Mojave Region, proposed projects and priorities of stakeholders interested in the Mojave Region, and strategies to implement the IRWM Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Mojave IRWM Plan has been updated through a collaborative process including participation of the Coordinating Committee on behalf of the Governing Boards of the Regional Water Management Group, a Project Team, and other interested stakeholders; and

WHEREAS, there were many public meetings and opportunities for stakeholders to participate and engage in the Mojave IRWM Plan update process; and

WHEREAS, the Mojave IRWM Plan was developed to meet all current state guidelines and requirements and is expected to be accepted by the California Department of Water Resources as a complying IRWM Plan for current purposes; and

WHEREAS, the Joshua Basin Water District's staff reviewed the Final Draft Mojave IRWM Plan as part of the public review process prior to Board approval; and

WHEREAS, the Joshua Basin Water District's Board considers the Mojave IRWM Plan to accurately reflect the resource data, information, and water management objectives and priorities for the Mojave Region as of June 16, 2014.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the June 2014 Mojave IRWM Plan is hereby adopted by the Joshua Basin Water District Board.

Approved and Adopted on the 16th day of July, 2014. I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted by Joshua Basin Water District following a vote:

Director Victoria Fuller <u>absent</u>

Director Bob Johnson Que

Director Mickey Luckman Que

Director Mike Reynolds Que

Director Gary Wilson No

Mike Reynolds, Vice President, Board of Directors

By Curt Sauer, General Manager and Board

Secretary