



Town Council Agenda Report

Date: September 10, 2019 Item No. 7

To: Honorable Mayor and Town Council

Subject: ADOPT RESOLUTION NO. 2019-25, A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF APPLE VALLEY, CALIFORNIA, APPROVING THE SEWER SYSTEM MANAGEMENT PLAN UPDATE

From: Douglas Robertson, Town Manager

Submitted by: Mike Molinari, Public Works Manager
Public Works Department

Budgeted Item: Yes No N/A

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Adopt Resolution No. 2019-25, a Resolution of the Town Council of the Town of Apple Valley, California, approving the Sewer System Management Plan (SSMP) update for the Town of Apple Valley as required by the State Water Resources Control Board Statewide General Waste Discharge Requirements for Sanitary Sewer Systems.

BACKGROUND

On May 2, 2006, the California State Water Resources Control Board adopted Order No. 2006-0003, Statewide General Waste Discharge Requirements for Sanitary Sewer Systems (WDR). The requirements were later revised with Order No. WQ 2013-0058. The ultimate goal of the WDR is to reduce the frequency and volume of sanitary sewer overflows (SSOs) by requiring agencies to properly operate, maintain, and manage their wastewater collection system.

Agencies were required to adopt a Sewer System Management Plan (SSMP) and update the plan every five (5) years. The original SSMP was adopted in 2009 and updated in 2014. The SSMP update for 2019 has been completed and will be submitted on the State Water Resources Control Board website (CIWQS) for re-certification once approved by the Town Council. There were no major changes with this SSMP update. Some of the changes included updating contact information for staff, removing one of the lift stations that is now owned by Victor Valley Wastewater Reclamation Authority (VWVRA), updating the Town's total number of sewer miles, adding more information to the different

spill categories and notification procedures, and including details of how spill volumes are measured. The fats, oils, and grease (FOG) section of the SSMP was also updated to reflect that Code Enforcement will be establishing a FOG ordinance. This ordinance, once approved, will require annual FOG Permits to those businesses that generate FOG, such as food service establishments.

A complete copy of the 2019 SSMP update is available for viewing in the Town Clerk's office.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact at this time.

ATTACHMENTS

Resolution No. 2019-25

RESOLUTION No. 2019-25

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF APPLE VALLEY, CALIFORNIA, APPROVING THE SEWER SYSTEM MANAGEMENT PLAN (SSMP) UPDATE FOR THE TOWN OF APPLE VALLEY AS REQUIRED BY THE STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD STATEWIDE GENERAL WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS FOR SANITARY SEWER SYSTEMS.

WHEREAS, on May 2, 2006, the State Water Resources Control Board Order No. 2006-0003 – Statewide General Waste Discharge Requirements (WDR) for Sanitary Sewer Systems was adopted and implemented; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the WDR is to develop a regulatory mechanism to provide a consistent statewide approach for reducing sanitary sewer overflows; and

WHEREAS, the WDR requires a Sewer System Management Plan (SSMP) with eleven (11) separate elements; and

WHEREAS, the original SSMP was first approved by council in 2009 and is required to be updated every five (5) years; and

WHEREAS, the SSMP was last updated in 2014; and

WHEREAS, the SSMP update must be approved by the agency's governing board for certification upon its completion.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Council of the Town of Apple Valley, California, finds, determines and orders as follows:

Section 1. Approves the SSMP update as required by the State Water Resources Control Board Statewide General Waste Discharge Requirements for Sanitary Sewer Systems.

APPROVED and **ADOPTED** by the Town Council of the Town of Apple Valley this 10th day of September, 2019.

Larry Cusack, Mayor

ATTEST:

La Vonda M-Pearson, Town Clerk