

RESOLUTION NO 1109

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES RECOMMENDING CITY COUNCIL INTRODUCE AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 14-30 WATER EFFICIENT LANDSCAPE OF THE SANTA ROSA CITY CODE TO EXPAND THE DEFINITION OF HIGH-FLOW SENSOR AND CLARIFY WHEN SOIL ANALYSIS REPORTS MUST BE SUBMITTED

WHEREAS, On April 1, 2015, Governor Brown issued Executive Order B-29-15 which directed the Department of Water Resources to update the State's Model Water Efficient Landscape Ordinance (MWELO) through an expedited regulation; and

WHEREAS, on July 15, 2015, the California Water Commission approved the regulations setting forth DWR's revised MWELO; and

WHEREAS, in October 2015 the City Council adopted revisions to Chapter 14-30 Water Efficient Landscape of the Santa Rosa City Code to comply with the State's MWELO; and

WHEREAS, the definition of "high-flow sensor" needs to be expanded and Section 14.30.35 needs to be amended to clarify when soil analysis reports must be submitted.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Public Utilities recommends the City Council introduce an Ordinance amending Chapter 14-30 Water Efficient Landscape of the Santa Rosa City Code to expand the definition of high-flow sensor and to clarify when soil analysis reports must be submitted.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED by the City of Santa Rosa Board of Public Utilities this 7th day of January, 2016.

AYES: (7) Galvin, Kaun, Arnone, Dowd, Holt, Tibbetts, and Watts

NOES: (0)

ABSENT: (0)

ABSTAIN: (0)

APPROVED:



Daniel J. Galvin, III, Chair

ATTEST:



Gina Perez
Recording Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



City Attorney