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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council of the City of Willits, at its regular meeting on August 26, 2020 at 6:30 p.m., held via teleconference, will conduct a public hearing on the following matter at the time listed or as soon thereafter as the item may be heard:

SUBJECT: Review and Consideration of the Adoption of a Groundwater Management Plan for the Little Lake Valley Groundwater Basin

APPLICANT/OWNER: City of Willits

SUMMARY: The City has prepared and intends to adopt a groundwater management plan for the Little Lake Valley Groundwater Basin, as required by Proposition 1 grant funding for the City's "Improving Willits Water Supply Reliability and Drought Resiliency With Groundwater And Conjunctive Use" Project. The plan has been prepared in conformance with requirements set forth in State Water Code §10750 et seq. (AB 3030, STATS 1992). The purpose of the plan is to provide the City of Willits with a preliminary framework for monitoring, analyzing, and interpreting characteristics of the Little Lake Valley Groundwater Basin (Basin) in order to identify effective management practices for utilizing and protecting valuable groundwater resources within the portion of the Basin within its jurisdiction. Copies of the plan, including all attachments and maps, may be obtained for the cost of reproduction at the City of Willits Engineering Department, 111 East Commercial Street, Willits, California 95490, or via email from engineering@cityofwillits.org.

LOCATION: The Little Lake Groundwater Basin boundaries can be viewed on the State's Groundwater Information Center, Interactive Map Application at <https://gis.water.ca.gov/app/gicima/> or by contacting the Engineering Department at 707-459-4605.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Adopt the Little Lake Valley Groundwater Management Plan.

Your comments regarding the proposed plan are invited. Written comments should be submitted to the City of Willits Engineering Department, 111 East Commercial Street, Willits, California 95490, or via email at engineering@cityofwillits.org no later than 5:30 p.m., on Tuesday, August 25, 2020.

Additional information regarding the above noted item may be obtained by calling Willits the City of Willits Engineering Department at (707) 459-4605 or via email: engineering@cityofwillits.org.



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Oral comments may be presented to the City Council during the public hearing. If you challenge the plan in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City of Willits Engineering Department or the City Council at, or prior to, the public hearing. All persons are invited to appear and present testimony in this matter.

s/ Cathy Moorhead, Deputy City Manager/City Clerk

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