

**RESOLUTION NO. 9335**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE METROPOLITAN WATER DISTRICT OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA  
AUTHORIZING THE GRANT APPLICATION, ACCEPTANCE, AND EXECUTION FOR THE DIRECT RECIRCULATING APPARATUS FIREFIGHTING TRAINING AND SUSTAINABILITY (DRAFTS) UNIT PROGRAM**

WHEREAS, The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California proposes to implement the Direct Recirculating Apparatus Firefighting Training and Sustainability (DRAFTS) Unit Program;

WHEREAS, The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California has the legal authority and is authorized to enter into a funding agreement with the State of California; and

WHEREAS, The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California intends to apply for grant funding from the California Department of Water Resources for the Direct Recirculating Apparatus Firefighting Training and Sustainability (DRAFTS) Unit Program;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Directors of The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California as follows:

1. That pursuant and subject to all of the terms and provisions of the Budget Act of 2021 (Stats. 2021, ch.240, § 80) as amended (Stats. 2022, ch. 44, § 25), the General Manager of The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California, or designee, is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and file an application for funding with the California Department of Water Resources, and take such other actions necessary or appropriate to obtain grant funding.
2. The General Manager of The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California, or designee, is hereby authorized and directed to execute the funding agreement with the California Department of Water Resources and any amendments thereto.
3. The General Manager of The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California, or designee, is hereby authorized and directed to submit any required documents, invoices, and reports required to obtain grant funding.

CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly and regularly adopted by the Board of Directors of The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California at the meeting held on February 13, 2023, motion by Nancy Sutley and seconded by Marsha Ramos, motion passed by the following vote:

The motion to approve the Consent Calendar Items 6A, 6B, 6C, 7-1 through 7-6 passed by a vote of 362,474 ayes; 0 noes; 0 abstain; 0 not voting; and 0 absent.

*Rickita C. Hudson*

Authorized Representative,  
The Metropolitan Water District of  
Southern California

*Lois Fong-Sab*

ATTEST: Secretary of the Board of Directors  
of The Metropolitan Water District  
of Southern California