

## RESOLUTION 46-2020

### A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE GROVELAND COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT AUTHORIZING AN APPLICATION FOR GRANT FUNDING THROUGH THE DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BUREAU OF RECLAMATION'S WATERSMART WATER AND ENERGY EFFICIENCY GRANT PROGRAM FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021 FOR THE AUTOMATIC METER READING INSTALLATION PROJECT

**WHEREAS**, the U.S. Department of the Interior Bureau of Reclamation provides funding opportunities for water and energy efficiency projects as part of the Bureau of Reclamation's WaterSMART Water and Energy Efficiency Program; and

**WHEREAS**, the Groveland Community Services District (District) desires to submit a grant application for the Automatic Meter Reading Installation Project (Project); and

**WHEREAS**, the Bureau of Reclamation has been delegated the responsibility for the administration of this grant program and establishing necessary procedures; and

**WHEREAS**, said procedures established by the Bureau of Reclamation require the applicant to certify by resolution the identity of the official with legal authority to enter into an agreement; that the appropriate official or governing body has reviewed and supports the application submitted; the capability of the applicant to provide the amount of funding and/or in-kind contributions specified in the application funding plan; and that the applicant will work with the Bureau of Reclamation to meet established deadlines or entering into a cooperative agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, the applicant will enter into a cooperative agreement or grant agreement with the Bureau of Reclamation to complete the Project if awarded grant funds.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Directors of the Groveland Community Services District hereby resolves as follows:

**SECTION 1.** The General Manager, or his designee, is hereby authorized to act as agent with legal authority to enter into the grant agreement, conduct all negotiations, execute and submit all documents including, but not limited to, applications, agreements, payment requests and any other grant required correspondence which may be necessary for the completion of the grant program.

SECTION 2. The General Manager, or his designee, is hereby authorized to certify that the District will have sufficient matching funds to operate and maintain the grant project requirements in the amount not to exceed \$650,000.00.

SECTION 3. The General Manager, or his designee, will work with the Bureau of Reclamation to meet established deadlines for entering into a cooperative agreement.

SECTION 4. Certifies that the Board of Directors of the Groveland Community Services District has reviewed and supports the proposed application.

**WHEREFORE,** this Resolution is PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED by the Board of Directors of the Groveland Community Services District on October 13, 2020, by the following vote

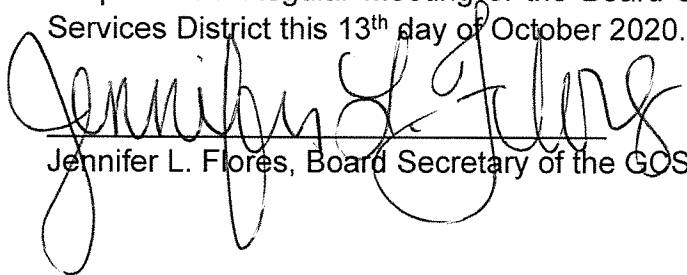
AYES: Directors Kwiatkowski, Mora, Swan, Armstrong, and Edwards

NOES:

ABSENT:

ATTEST:

I, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was regularly introduced, passed, and adopted at a Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Groveland Community Services District this 13<sup>th</sup> day of October 2020.

  
Jennifer L. Flores, Board Secretary of the GCSD

  
Janice Kwiatkowski, Board President of the GCSD

#### **CERTIFICATE OF SECRETARY**

I, Jennifer Flores, the duly appointed and acting Secretary of the Board of Directors of the Groveland Community Services District, do hereby declare that the foregoing Resolution was duly passed and adopted at a Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Groveland Community Services District, duly called and held on October 13, 2020.

DATED: 10/13/2020