RESOLUTION NO. 21-6 A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE PALMDALE WATER DISTRICT ADOPTING AN AMENDMENT TO SECTION 8.03 AND APPENDIX D, MISCELLANEOUS FEE, OF THE PALMDALE WATER DISTRICT'S RULES AND

REGULATIONS

WHEREAS, pursuant to Water Code Division 11, the Palmdale Water District ("District") is authorized to establish rules and regulations governing the District's operations ("District's Rules and Regulations"); and

WHEREAS, on December 14, 2020, the District's Cross-Connection Control Policy was updated to introduce electronic notification regarding backflow testing through a digital data management and reporting program; and

WHEREAS, Section 8.03 of the District's Rules and Regulations provides an explanation of the District's water rates; and

WHEREAS, Appendix D, of the District's Rules and Regulations references and implements the Miscellaneous Charges referenced in Section 8.03; and

WHEREAS, the District desires to update Section 8.03 and Appendix D of the District's Rules and Regulations to reflect the implementation of a charge for the District's manual processing of data submitted via paper copy for its Cross-Connection Control Program.

NOW THEREFORE, THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE PALMDALE WATER DISTRICT DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The above recitals are all true and correct and hereby adopted as findings.

SECTION 2. Section 8.03(C)(10) of the District's Rules and Regulations is hereby amended and shall now read as follows:

"10. Cross-Connection Control Processing Fee

The Cross-Connection Control Program consists of database management, inspections, validation and support for customers. The software used by the District is a cloud/web-based data management and reporting program that manages email notifications to owners and testers. If the customer opts to use the manual process requiring the mailing and handling of paper copies instead of the digital program, the customer will be required to pay a Cross-Connection Control Annual Paper Processing Fee as set forth in Appendix D."

- **SECTION 3.** Appendix D as referenced in Section 8.03 of the District's Rules and Regulations is hereby amended to include a "Cross-Connection Control Annual Processing Fee."
- **SECTION 4.** Upon the effective date of this Resolution, adopted herein, the Resolution shall supersede any and all prior resolutions adopted that are in conflict with this Resolution.

SECTION 5. If any provision in this Resolution, or the application thereof to any person or circumstances, is for any reason held invalid, the validity of the remainder of this Resolution, or the application of such provisions to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby. The Board of Directors hereby declares that it would have passed this Resolution, and each provision thereof, irrespective of the fact that one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases or the application thereof to any person or circumstance be held invalid.

SECTION 6. This Resolution shall become effective upon the date of adoption as set forth herein.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED on this 8th day of March 2021 by the Board of Directors of the Palmdale Water District.

Gloria Dizmang, President

Board of Directors

Palmdale Water District

Kathy Mac Laren-Gomez, Secretary

Board of Directors

Palmdale Water District

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