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RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES OF THE CITY OF RIVERSIDE, CALIFORNIA (1) AMENDING WATER RATE SCHEDULES WA-1A, WA-1B, WA-2, WA-4, WA-5, WA-6, WA-7, WA-8, WA-10, WA-11, AND WA-12 TO REMOVE REFERENCES TO THE EXPIRED WATER CONSERVATION SURCHARGE; AND (2) RECOMMENDING CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL THEREOF

WHEREAS, the City of Riverside (“City”) by and through its Public Utilities Department (“RPU”) is obligated to (1) serve its water customers safe, reliable and equitably priced water, (2) operate its Water Utility in an efficient and economical manner, and (3) operate, maintain and preserve its Water Utility in good repair and working order; and

WHEREAS, on April 22, 2014, the City Council adopted Resolution 22675, approving the renewal of the water conservation surcharge for an additional ten years, expiring on April 22, 2024, in order to continue to serve the growing need for water conservation in the City; and

WHEREAS, beginning on March 19, 2024 and continued to April 16, 2024, the City Council held a public hearing to consider the renewal of the Water Conservation Surcharge and the City Council declined to adopt the renewal of the Water Conservation Surcharge; and

WHEREAS, the Water Conservation Surcharge expired on April 22, 2024 and is no longer charged to Water Utility Customers; and

WHEREAS, the City’s Board of Public Utilities (“Board”) is charged by Section 1202(e) of the City Charter to establish the rates for the Water Utility, subject to the approval of the City Council; and

WHEREAS, RPU staff recommends revising Water Utility Rate Schedules WA-1A, WA-1B, WA-2, WA-4, WA-5, WA-6, WA-7, WA-8, WA-10, WA-11, WA-12 to remove references to the now expired Water Conservation Surcharge; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Public Utilities of the City of Riverside, California, as follows:

Section 1: The foregoing recitals are true and correct and are adopted and incorporated herein by reference as findings of fact of this Board.

1 Section 2: The revised Water Utility Rate Schedules – WA-1A, WA-1B, WA-2,
2 WA-4, WA-5, WA-6, WA-7, WA-8, WA-10, WA-11, WA-12 and attached hereto as Exhibit A
3 – are hereby adopted and established under and pursuant to Section 1202 (e) of the Charter of
4 the City of Riverside, California, are recommended for approval by the City Council of the City
5 of Riverside, California, and shall become effective upon Council approval.

6 ADOPTED by the Board of Public Utilities of the City of Riverside this ____ day of
7 _____, 2024.

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Chair of the Board of Public Utilities,
City of Riverside, California

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Secretary of the Board of Public Utilities

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City of Riverside, California

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I, David Garcia, Secretary of the Board of Public Utilities of the City of Riverside, California, hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly and regularly introduced and adopted by the Board of Public Utilities of said City at its meeting held on the ____ day of _____, 2024, to wit:

Ayes:

Noes:

Absent:

Abstain:

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this ____ day of _____, 2024.

Secretary to the Board of Public Utilities
City of Riverside, California

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EXHIBIT A

TO BOARD RESOLUTION

EFFECTIVE UPON COUNCIL APPROVAL