## RESOLUTION NO. 2015-15

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKEWOOD EXTENDING WATER CONSERVATION MEASURES BY REASON OF REGULATIONS IMPOSED BY THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

WHEREAS, on August 12, 2014, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 2014-54, imposing water conservation measures in response to regulations imposed by the State of California; and

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 2014-54 states that it shall remain in effect until May 12, 2015, which expiration date was chosen in anticipation that the State would promulgate new regulations by such expiration date; and

WHEREAS, the State did not complete the process of promulgating new regulations in time for the City to impose new conservation measures prior to the expiration date of May 12, 2015, contained in Resolution No. 2014-54; and

WHEREAS, Water Code section 1058.5 grants the State Water Board the authority to adopt emergency regulations in certain drought years in order to: "prevent the waste, unreasonable use, unreasonable method of use, or unreasonable method of diversion, of water, to promote water recycling or water conservation, to require curtailment of diversions when water is not available under the diverter's priority of right, or in furtherance of any of the foregoing, to require reporting of diversion or use or the preparation of monitoring reports";

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKEWOOD DOES RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. All of the provisions set forth in Resolution No. 2014-54 shall remain in force and effect until subsequent action of the City Council superseding such provisions.

SECTION 2. Under State Board Authority the following Emergency Orders are implemented to prevent the waste and unreasonable use of water and to promote water conservation, each of the following actions is prohibited, except where necessary to address an immediate health and safety needs:

- (a) The application of potable water to outdoor landscapes during and within 48 hours after measurable rainfall;
- (b) The irrigation with potable water of ornamental turf on public street medians; and
- (c) The irrigation with potable water of landscapes outside of newly constructed homes and buildings that is not delivered in a manner inconsistent with regulations or other requirements established by the California Building Standards Commission.

## ADOPTED AND APPROVED THIS 12TH DAY OF MAY, 2015.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk