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**RESOLUTION NO. 2015-23**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE ALBANY CITY COUNCIL APPROVING  
EXECUTION OF A PLEDGE TO PARTNER IN SAVING WATER WITH  
EAST BAY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT AND COMMITTING TO A  
CITYWIDE WATER CONSERVATION PROGRAM**

**WHEREAS**, on April 1, 2015, Governor Brown issued an executive order mandating substantial water use reductions across the State; and

**WHEREAS**, in support of the State’s order, on April 14, 2015, the East Bay Municipal Utility District (EBMUD) Board of Directors approved mandatory 20-percent cutbacks and stricter outdoor watering rules. The Board also prepared for up to a 25-percent rate increase and penalties for customers who overuse water; and

**WHEREAS**, EBMUD has requested all cities and counties in the EBMUD service area sign a pledge to partner in saving water; and

**WHEREAS**, water conservation has been an ongoing priority for the City, with all City Departments implementing water conservation measures, including ongoing collaboration with EBMUD to identify opportunities for further water conservation measures and community outreach; and

**WHEREAS**, the City continues to work with EBMUD to facilitate deployment of recycled water “purple pipe” for utilization within the City of Albany; and

**WHEREAS**, the City’s Public Works Department has proactively reduced irrigation citywide by 25%, and has inspected all irrigation systems to help ensure prevention of overspray and runoff; and





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PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY,

the 18th day of May, 2015, by the following votes:

AYES: Council Members Barnes, McQuaid, Nason, Pilch, and Mayor Maass

NOES: none

ABSENT: none

ABSTAINED: none

RECUSED: none

WITNESS MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY, this 19th  
day of May, 2015.

  
Eileen Harrington  
DEPUTY CITY CLERK

*The City of Albany is dedicated to maintaining its small town ambiance, responding to the needs of a diverse community, and providing a safe, healthy and sustainable community.*