

**SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE NO 2019-01
AN ORDINANCE OF
THE RIO LINDA / ELVERTA COMMUNITY WATER DISTRICT
BOARD OF DIRECTORS
TO ESTABLISH PERMANENT DISCONNECTION FEES AND POLICY FOR
PERMANENT DISCONNECTION**

The following constitutes a summary of Ordinance No. 2019-01 adopted at the Rio Linda /Elverta Community Water District (“District”) on Monday, February 25, 2019 at its meeting held in Rio Linda, California.

This Ordinance accomplishes two fundamental District objectives. The first objective is to provide a means for parcels greater than two acres to opt out to the existing inactive service fee. The two-acre criterion is based on a Sacramento planning document, which stipulates parcels less than two acres should be connected to a municipal water system to protect groundwater quality.

The second objective is to incorporate the original adoption of an inactive service fee (Resolution 2013-08) into the same document which now provides for opting out of the inactive service fee. Therefore, Ordinance 2019-01 incorporates all the recitals and requirements of Resolution 2013-08.

Parcels less than two acres, who pay the one-time estimated costs for permanently disconnecting their service line from the District’s drinking water distribution system, can now opt out of recurring inactive service fees. The opt out process continues to require the parcel owner’s acknowledgment that they will need to pay the then current capacity fee, and a reconnection cost if they change their mind and want to reconnect to the District’s distribution system in the future.

A full copy of Ordinance No. 2019-01 is available on the District website:

<http://www.rlecwd.com/ordinances-and-resolutions/>

This Ordinance was introduced by the Rio Linda / Elverta Board of Directors on January 28, 2019, and was adopted after the second reading by the Board of Directors at its regular meeting on February 25, 2019 by the following vote: 4-0-0

AYES: Brent Dills, Mary Harris, Paul Green Jr., and John Ridilla

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None

The Ordinance shall be in full force and effect thirty (30) days after its adoption, published and posted as required by law.