

**STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD
RESOLUTION NO. 2018-0011**

**COMMEMORATING AND COMMENDING THE FORMATION OF
THE CALIFORNIA WATER EFFICIENCY PARTNERSHIP**

WHEREAS:

1. Climate change is impacting California's water supply. Hydrologic changes include declining snowpack, earlier snowmelt, more precipitation as rain than snow, and more frequent and longer droughts, with consequent impacts on water quality and water availability. At the same time, the State's population continues to grow, placing greater demands on an increasing variable supply.
2. Improving water conservation and efficiency are the most efficient and cost-effective ways to quickly reduce water demand and extend supplies, providing flexibility for all California communities.
3. The California Water Efficiency Partnership, a nonprofit public benefit corporation, has become an innovative leader, voice, and expert on water efficiency in California.
4. The California Water Efficiency Partnership, as a chapter of the Alliance for Water Efficiency, united two of the country's major organizations dedicated to improving and enhancing water efficiency in California and the United States.
5. The California Water Efficiency Partnership is dedicated to addressing California's unique water efficiency and conservation challenges and opportunities by offering leadership and expertise, fostering collaboration among diverse voices, advancing research and evaluation and sharing best practices to advance water efficiency and conservation.
6. The California Water Efficiency Partnership provides its partners with resources, tools and training for reducing water use, enhancing efficiency and eliminating waste of California's precious water resources.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The State Water Board is pleased to commend the California Water Efficiency Partnership as it celebrates its launch and looks forward to working closely with the Partnership to advance water conservation and efficiency actions statewide.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned Clerk to the Board does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the State Water Resources Control Board held on February 20, 2018.

AYE: Chair Felicia Marcus
Board Member Dorene D'Adamo
Board Member Tam M. Doduc
Board Member E. Joaquin Esquivel

NAY: None

ABSENT: Vice Chair Steven Moore

ABSTAIN: None



for Jeanine Townsend
Clerk to the Board