

1 **NYE COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. 2020-05**

2 A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE LEVY OF A SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ON EACH WATER
3 USER SITUATED WITHIN THE CONFINES OF THE GROUNDWATER BASINS WITHIN NYE
4 COUNTY FOR FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021

5 WHEREAS, pursuant to NRS 534.040(2) the Nye County Board of County Commissioners
6 (Board) is required to fund the 2020-2021 budget for Nevada State Water Engineer's supervision over of
7 the Upper Reese River Valley, White River Valley, Amargosa Valley and Big Smoky Valley – Northern
8 Part Groundwater Basins; and

9 WHEREAS, in order to generate the revenue needed to fund the budget the Board must levy a
10 special assessment within the confines of the Upper Reese River Valley Groundwater Basin as prorated
11 and assessed against each water user who has a permit to appropriate water or perfected water right and
12 the charge against each water user must be based upon the proportion which his or her water right bears
13 to the aggregate water rights in the Upper Reese River Valley Groundwater Basin, which said special
14 assessment will generate approximately \$1,808.56.

15 WHEREAS, in order to generate the revenue needed to fund the budget the Board must levy a
16 special assessment within the confines of the White River Valley Groundwater Basin as prorated and
17 assessed against each water user who has a permit to appropriate water or perfected water right and the
18 charge against each water user must be based upon the proportion which his or her water right bears to
19 the aggregate water rights in the White River Valley Groundwater Basin, which said special assessment
20 will generate approximately \$1,925.78.

21 WHEREAS, in order to generate the revenue needed to fund the budget the Board must levy a
22 special assessment within the confines of the Amargosa Valley Groundwater Basin as prorated and
23 assessed against each water user who has a permit to appropriate water or perfected water right and the
24 charge against each water user must be based upon the proportion which his or her water right bears to
25 the aggregate water rights in the Amargosa Valley Groundwater Basin, which said special assessment
will generate approximately \$13,195.93.

1 WHEREAS, in order to generate the revenue needed to fund the budget the Board must levy a
2 special assessment within the confines of the Big Smoky Valley – Northern Part Groundwater Basin as
3 prorated and assessed against each water user who has a permit to appropriate water or perfected water
4 right and the charge against each water user must be based upon the proportion which his or her water
5 right bears to the aggregate water rights in the Big Smoky Valley – Northern Part Groundwater Basin,
6 which said special assessment will generate approximately \$8,562.43.


7 NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that effective for the 2020-2021 fiscal year there is
8 hereby imposed a special assessment as prorated and assessed against each water user who has a permit
9 to appropriate water or perfected water right within the Upper Reese River Valley, White River Valley,
10 Amargosa Valley and Big Smoky Valley – Northern Part Groundwater Basins, to appear and be
11 collected with the first quarter tax billing, which said special assessment shall be a lien upon the
12 property.

13 APPROVED this 19th day of February, 2020.

14 NYE COUNTY
15 BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:

ATTEST:

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18 John Koenig, Chairman

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18 Sandra L. Merlino, Nye County Clerk
19 And Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board
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Tim Wilson, P.E., State Engineer
Division of Water Resources
901 S. Stewart Street, Suite 2002
Carson City, Nevada 89701

Dear Mr. Wilson:

I hereby certify that the State Engineer's budget for payment of necessary expenses for the supervision over the waters of Nye County's Upper Reese River Valley, White River Valley, Amargosa Valley and Big Smokey Valley (Northern) Groundwater Basins Upper Reese River Valley, White River Valley, Amargosa Valley and Big Smokey Valley (Northern), for the Fiscal Year July 1, 2020, to June 30, 2021, in the amount of Twenty Five Thousand Four Hundred Ninety Two Dollars and Seventy Cents (\$25,492.70), has been received by Nye County in accordance with the provisions of NRS 534.040.

The assessment rate necessary to support the proposed budget was acted upon by the COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF NYE COUNTY on the 1st day of Feb, 2020, and the amount contained therein was certified to the ASSESSOR OF NYE COUNTY.

Respectfully submitted,

Kacey L. Sidman, Deputy
COUNTY CLERK