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KENNEWICK IRRIGATION DISTRICT
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**KENNEWICK IRRIGATION DISTRICT
RESOLUTION 2008-45**

RESERVATION OF WATER ALLOCATION FOR RED MOUNTAIN

A RESOLUTION of the Board of Directors of the Kennewick Irrigation District, Benton County, Washington, for the purpose of reserving a water allocation for the Red Mountain area.

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of the Kennewick Irrigation District met in Planning Committee on November 7, 2008 with a quorum present, and,

WHEREAS, the District has invested significant time and energy to investigate the feasibility of supplying irrigation water to the Red Mountain area;

WHEREAS, Property owners in the Red Mountain area presented a petition to form a local improvement district on February 1, 2007;

WHEREAS, the District did not have a water allotment transfer system in place at the time the LID petition was submitted;

WHEREAS, the District applied for a water right in 1990 that would have permitted an exchange of water resulting in the allocation of water for irrigation to the Red Mountain area;

WHEREAS, the District has not adopted a policy setting for the priorities for allocation of new water rights or re-allocation of intra-District transfers of water allotments.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF KENNEWICK IRRIGATION DISTRICT, BENTON COUNTY WASHINGTON as follows:

Up to 7,813 acre feet of water may be reserved for the irrigation of up to 3,125 acres in the Red Mountain area, provided that the water is put to beneficial use within five years from the date of recording the Red Mountain LID final assessment roll with Benton County.

RESOLUTION 2008-45 IS HEREBY ADOPTED by the Board of Directors of Kennewick Irrigation District, Benton County, Washington, at a regular open public meeting thereof this 18th day of November, 2008.



John Jaksch, President Board of Directors




William C. Kinsel, Vice President

VACANT

Director Position 2



John C. Pringle, Director



Dale Walter, Director