

RESOLUTION

Of the

ARIZONA WATER BANKING AUTHORITY

In Appreciation of the Contributions of

Alexandra Arboleda

WHEREAS, the Arizona Water Banking Authority is of critical importance to all users of Arizona's Colorado River water; and,

WHEREAS, the Arizona Water Banking Authority has played a pivotal role in assisting the State of Arizona in maximizing the use of its Colorado River entitlement; and,

WHEREAS, the Arizona Water Banking Authority is engaged in activities that allow the Authority to meet the State of Arizona's obligations under Indian water rights settlements and interstate water banking agreements; and,

WHEREAS, the success of the Arizona Water Banking Authority is due in part to the dedication and diligence of all of the Authority's past and present commission members; and,

WHEREAS, Ms. Arboleda was appointed a member of the Arizona Water Banking Authority in March 2019. She was elected Secretary of the Commission in March 2021 and continued to serve as Secretary until the end of her term in February 2023; and,

WHEREAS, Ms. Arboleda always performed her duties with a commitment to the best interests of the people of Arizona, and with deep respect for the integrity and abilities of her fellow commission members, the staff of the Authority, and other interested parties with whom she was associated in the affairs of the Authority;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Commissioners and Former Executive Director of the Arizona Water Banking Authority acknowledge the outstanding service rendered by Ms. Arboleda to the Authority and the people of the State of Arizona in contributing to the continuing success of the Authority, and further express their gratitude and appreciation to Ms. Arboleda for her thoughtfulness, her commitment for serving the people of Arizona, and the knowledge and expertise she has so generously shared with the other Commissioners and staff, and wish Ms. Arboleda success in all future endeavors;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chair of the Arizona Water Banking Authority is hereby directed to send this Resolution to Ms. Arboleda.

APPROVED, by unanimous action of the Arizona Water Banking Authority this 22nd day of March 2023.

Thomas Buschatzke, Chair

Mark Clark, Vice-Chair

Mark Taylor, Commissioner

Eric Braun, Commissioner

Joseph Olsen, Commissioner

Virginia O'Connell, Former AWBA
Executive Director (2011-2023)