

City of Calistoga Staff Report

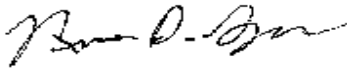
TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council

FROM: Dan Takasugi, Public Works Director

DATE: February 4, 2013

SUBJECT: Discussion of State Division of Water Rights (DWR) Letter of December 18, 2012 on Kimball Reservoir Operations

APPROVAL FOR FORWARDING:



Richard D. Spitler, City Manager

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- 2 **ISSUE:**
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- 4 Discussion of State Division of Water Rights (DWR) Letter of December 18, 2012 on
- 5 Kimball Reservoir Operations.
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- 7 **RECOMMENDATION:**
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- 9 Discuss and provide direction to staff.
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- 11 **BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION:**
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- 13 At the January 15, 2013 City Council meeting, this issue was briefly discussed. A
- 14 subcommittee of Council members Kraus and Barnes was appointed to work with City
- 15 staff on a City response letter. That subcommittee met with the City Manager and the
- 16 Public Works Director once on January 22, 2013.
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- 18 For background, a copy of the January 15, 2013 staff report to Council on this issue is
- 19 attached.
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- 21 A draft response letter to the Division of Water Rights is also attached.
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- 23 **ATTACHMENTS:**
- 24 1. Draft Response Letter to State Division of Water Rights
- 25 2. Copy of Staff Report from January 15, 2013