

MOUNTAINS RECREATION & CONSERVATION AUTHORITY

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MEMORANDUM

To: The Governing Board

FROM: Joseph T. Edmiston, FAICP, Hon. ASLA, Executive Officer

DATE: January 7, 2015

SUBJECT: Agenda Item X: Consideration of resolution authorizing a professional services contract with Resources Law Group LLP for legal services in connection to the implementation of the Water Quality, Supply, and Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2014.

<u>Staff Recommendation</u>: That the Governing Board adopt the attached resolution authorizing a professional services contract with Resources Law Group LLP for legal services in connection to the implementation of the Water Quality, Supply, and Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2014 in an amount not to exceed \$25,000.

<u>Background</u>: This professional service contract with the Resources Law Group LLP will allow augmentation of their services to now include legal review of issues regarding the Water Quality, Supply, and Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2014, including analysis of grant guidelines and research regarding allocation of previous bond measures.