

	<div style="text-align: center;"><b>AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY</b></div> <div style="border: 1px dashed purple; padding: 5px; float: right; margin-top: 10px;"> <b>District Impacted</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> 1 = Haberstroh  <input type="checkbox"/> 2 = Woolard  <input type="checkbox"/> 3 = Boyd  <input type="checkbox"/> 4 = Cisneros  <input type="checkbox"/> 5 = Bergmann  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All </div>
<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	ANNUAL COW CREEK GROUNDWATER PERMIT ALLOCATION
<b>STAFF'S RECOMMENDED ACTION (be specific)</b>	Council action to maintain our current quarterly allocation of groundwater under our withdrawal permit from the Cow Creek Groundwater Conservation District
<b>CONTACT PERSON</b>	Michael Mann – Public Works Director
<b>SUMMARY</b>	<p>Since 2007, the City has operated it's water supply wells under a permit from the Cow Creek Groundwater Conservation District (CCGCD). This permit allows a maximum withdrawal amount of 1,850 acre-feet (A-F) from any combined production from the various City wells. We are required to pay production fees for all 1,850 acre-feet, whether or not we actually pump that amount.</p> <p>Our maximum permitted withdrawal is allocated on a quarterly basis, which we can assign. However, the quarterly withdrawal amounts (as well as the total annual permitted amount) are subject to reduction by any drought restricts that the CCGCD may impose.</p> <p>The permit requires that we submit a proposed Quarterly Scheduled Withdrawal Amount every year. Since we received our permit in 2007, our permit has been broken down as 20, 30, 30 and 20 percent (370, 555, 555 and 370 A-F) of the total from the first through the fourth quarters of the year, respectively.</p> <p>We have been able to meet consumption demands within these allocation limits despite past drought restrictions that have been imposed by the district. Therefore, Staff recommends that the Council retain our current quarterly percentage allocation of our groundwater withdrawal permit for calendar year 2016.</p>
<b>COST</b>	N/A
<b>SOURCE OF FUNDS</b>	N/A
<b>ADDITIONAL INFORMATION</b>	

This summary is not meant to be all inclusive. Supporting documentation is attached.

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