

RESOLUTION 2016-5

A RESOLUTION DETERMINING THE GOAL FOR WATER USE EFFICIENCY FOR THE TOWN OF ODESSA

WHEREAS, the Town of Odessa is required by the State of Washington to set a water efficiency goal, and;

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Town to assist the residents to become more efficient water users, and;

WHEREAS, by becoming more water efficient through the decreasing of water usage, the Town water system operating costs would decrease and also help preserve the life of the Odessa Subarea Aquifer, and;

WHEREAS, the Town also desires to provide the residents information on water use efficiency, and;

WHEREAS, it has been determined by the Odessa Town Council adopt a goal for the demand-side efficiency, as required by the State of Washington; and,

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Town Council will evaluate the effectiveness of the water use efficiency measures annually; and,

WHEREAS, the water use efficiency goal for the Town of Odessa will be: to reduce average daily demand for single family residences from 498 gallons per day to 488 gallons per day by 2019; and,

WHEREAS, the Town will assist residents achieve this goal by:

- a. Providing consumption history on water bills, so that customers can track their usage.
- b. Post educational materials on the Town's website, and
- c. Promoting water saving tips using the Town's social media presence.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ODESSA, LINCOLN COUNTY, WASHINGTON, that the water use efficiency demand-side goal will be that single-family residential daily water use shall be reduced from 498 gallons per day to 488 gallons per day by 2019 and this goal will be achieved by providing water consumption history on water bills, so that customers can track their usage, post educational materials on the Town's website, and promote water saving tips using the Town's social media presence.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the Council of the Town of Odessa, Lincoln County, State of Washington on June 13, 2016.

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Lois Hubbard, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Gail Kiesz, Clerk-Treasurer