

## NOTICE OF MEETING CANCELLATION FOLLOWING DECLARATION OF LOCAL DISASTER DUE TO PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY March 15, 2020

**WHEREAS**, the World Health Organization declared the coronavirus, now designated COVID-19, as a global pandemic on March 11, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, symptoms of COVID-19 can range from mild to severe illness and cause further complications including death; and

**WHEREAS**, the COVID-19 virus mainly spreads between people who are in close contact with one another through respiratory droplets produced when an infected person coughs or sneezes; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Judge of Tarrant County, Texas has by Declaration dated March 13, 2020 (the "Declaration") determined that the continued worldwide spread of COVID-19 presents an imminent threat of widespread illness, which requires emergency action for the protection of the people of Tarrant County; and

**WHEREAS**, the implementation of mitigation strategies can slow the transmission of the disease; and

**WHEREAS**, consistent with the Declaration, it is appropriate for Tarrant Regional Water District ("TRWD") to undertake activities to mitigate the effects of this public health emergency and to cooperate with federal, state and local authorities to facilitate an efficient, rapid and cooperative response to the emergency; and

**WHEREAS**, it is appropriate, in light of the foregoing, to cancel the TRWD Board meeting currently scheduled for March 17, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, the foregoing cancellation shall not affect the scheduling of future Board meetings or other activities of TRWD.

Jack R. Stevens

President