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HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL 23

44TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1999

INTRODUCED BY

Debbie A. Rodella

A JOINT MEMORIAL

REQUESTING THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL TO DIRECT THE APPROPRIATE INTERIM COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE NEED FOR GRANTS FOR UPGRADING FACILITIES OF LOCAL DOMESTIC WATER USERS ASSOCIATIONS.

WHEREAS, the ability to provide quality drinking water requires substantial investment in infrastructure and management; and

WHEREAS, water systems in rural communities, such as those in Rio Arriba, Sandoval and Taos counties, often struggle to provide adequate water utility service due to dispersed service populations, growing demand and aging infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, the limited revenue available to mutual domestic water users associations in these rural communities limits their ability to repay loans for water system improvements;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO that the legislative council be requested to direct the appropriate interim committee to study the feasibility of providing direct grants for upgrading water system facilities of local domestic water users associations, including an assessment of the needs of these associations and a possible funding mechanism and to make recommendations for

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1 legislation by November 1, 1999; and

2 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be transmitted to the
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FORTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE
FIRST SESSION, 1999

February 11, 1999

Mr. Speaker:

Your **AGRICULTURE AND WATER RESOURCES**
COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred

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has had it under consideration and reports same with recommendation that it **DO PASS**.

Respectfully submitted,

Joe M Stell, Chairman

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Yes: 8

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Excused: Varela

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Absent: None

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**FORTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE
FIRST SESSION, 1999**

March 4, 1999

Mr. President:

Your **CONSERVATION COMMITTEE**, to whom has been referred

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has had it under consideration and reports same with recommendation that it **DO PASS**.

Respectfully submitted,

Fernando R. Macias, Chairman

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The roll call vote was 6 For 0 Against

Yes: 6

No: None

Excused: Eisenstadt, Sanchez, Vernon, Rodarte

Absent: None

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