RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF

THE SANTA BARBARA COUNTY

AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT

IN THE MATTER OF ACCEPTING A	
GRANT AGREEMENT TO PREPARE A	
SANTA BARBARA, VENTURA, AND	
SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTIES	
HYDROGEN READINESS PLAN	

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the counties of Santa Barbara, Ventura, and San Luis Obispo (Tri-Counties) are a proven location for "early adoption" of alternative fuel technologies, and represent a critical corridor for travel between the Bay Area and Southern California; and

WHEREAS, the Board and the California Energy Commission recognize the need for hydrogen infrastructure readiness planning in the tri-counties; and

WHEREAS, a tri-counties hydrogen readiness plan will form the basis for strategic introduction of hydrogen fueled vehicles and refueling infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, Assembly Bill 8 re-authorized the Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology Program and specified that the California Energy Commission allocate up to \$20 million per year in funding for hydrogen station development until at least 100 stations are operational; and

WHEREAS, on April 8, 2015 the California Energy Commission awarded grant number ARV-14-038 to the Santa Barbara County Air Pollution Control District in the amount of \$242,872.00 to prepare a tri-county hydrogen infrastructure readiness plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, as follows:

1. The Board hereby authorizes the Control Officer to execute the grant agreement with the CEC as set forth in Attachment 1 of this resolution.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the Air Pollution Control District Board of the Santa Barbara County, State of California, this 18th day of June, 2015, by the following vote:

Ayes:	
Noes:	
Abstain:	
Absent:	
	SANTA BARBARA COUNTY AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT
ATTEST:	ByChair
LOUIS D. VAN MULLEM, JR. Clerk of the Board	
By Deputy	
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	APPROVED AS TO FORM:
MICHAEL C. GHIZZONI Santa Barbara County Counsel	RAY AROMATORIO, ARM, AIC Risk Manager
By Deputy	By Risk Manager
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
ROBERT W. GEIS, CPA, CPFO Auditor-Controller	
By Deputy	