

**GREAT BASIN UNIFIED AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT
RESOLUTION 2023-02**

**RESOLUTION APPROVING AND ADOPTING
THE 2023 TOWN OF MAMMOTH LAKES PM10 PLANNING AREA
SECOND 10-YEAR MAINTENANCE PLAN**

WHEREAS, in 1990, the United States Environmental Protection Agency (US EPA) designated the Town of Mammoth Lakes PM10 Planning Area as a nonattainment area for the National Ambient Air Quality Standard for particulate matter of ten (10) microns or less in diameter (PM10); and

WHEREAS, the Great Basin Unified Air Pollution Control District and the Town of Mammoth Lakes, in accordance with the designation by US EPA, jointly adopted the 1990 Air Quality Management Plan which resulted in PM10 emission reductions such that in 2014 the area was designated in attainment. Concurrent with redesignation, the US EPA approved the first Town of Mammoth Lakes PM10 Maintenance Plan in 2014; and

WHEREAS, the District has prepared the Town of Mammoth Lakes PM10 Planning Area Second 10-Year Maintenance Plan covering the second ten-year period from 2025 to 2035; and

WHEREAS, excluding PM10 Federal Exceedances caused by wildfire smoke events as document in the Exceptional Event Demonstration for Wildfire Smoke Impacts to Mammoth Lakes PM10 Monitors in September and October 2020, PM10 concentrations in the Town of Mammoth Lakes PM10 Planning Area demonstrated compliance with the PM10 National Ambient Air Quality Standard from 2020 through 2022; and

WHEREAS, future compliance in the Town of Mammoth Lakes PM10 Planning Area will be ensured through District Rule 431- Particulate Emissions, as well as other District rule and regulations as detailed in the Town of Mammoth Lakes PM10 Planning Area Second 10-Year Maintenance Plan; and

WHEREAS, under California law, the Great Basin Unified Air Pollution Control District is the governmental entity charged with the responsibility of developing and adopting such a maintenance plan for the Mammoth Lakes PM10 Planning Area, and with the timely submittal of such adopted plan to the California Air Resources Board for approval and submission to the US EPA for approval and adoption; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the PM10 Maintenance Plan is exempt under §15061(b)(3) of the CEQA Guidelines; and

WHEREAS, the Great Basin Unified Air Pollution Control District has provided more than thirty days of public review, conducted a public hearing, and received and considered public comment upon the maintenance plan; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the District Governing Board hereby adopts and approves the Town of Mammoth Lakes PM10 Planning Area Second 10-Year Maintenance Plan and the Exceptional Event Demonstration for Wildfire Smoke Impacts to Mammoth Lakes PM10 Monitors in September and October 2020.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the District Governing Board authorizes the Air Pollution Control Officer to submit these approved documents, and any necessary supporting documentation, to the State of California Air Resources Board for approval and submission to the US EPA in order to maintain attainment with the National Ambient Air Quality Standard for PM10.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the Governing Board of the Great Basin Unified Air Pollution Control District this 7th day of September 2023, by the following vote:

AYES: Board Members - Duggan, Wentworth, Salcido, Griffith, Roeser, Hames, Kingsley

NAYS: 0

ABSTAIN: 0

ABSENT: 0



Governing Board Chair



Tori DeHaven, Clerk of the Board