RESOLUTION NO. 2022-03

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING TEMPORARY OUTDOOR WATERING RESTRICTIONS

WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, the Town of Sinclair and the City of Rawlins are parties to a Joint Powers Agreement which combines the water systems of the two municipalities; and

WHEREAS, the City of Rawlins is experiencing maintenance issues which have severely limited the amount of potable water in the system and which have resulted in the City of Rawlins establishing temporary restrictions in the outdoor use of potable water; and

WHEREAS, the City of Rawlins has invoked Section 6.1 of the Joint Powers Agreement, which allows the City of Rawlins to reduce the amount of potable water provided to the Town of Sinclair; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of the Town of Sinclair has determined that the need to corporate with City of Rawlins in order to prevent the depletion of available potable water from reaching a critical level is necessary, prudent and in the public interest; and

WHEREAS, Section 9-1-17(A)(1) of the Sinclair Municipal Code grants the Governing Body the authority to implement restrictions on the use of town water for lawn, garden and other nonessential purposes by resolution; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE TOWN OF SINCLAIR, STATE OF WYOMING:

That the residents of the Town of Sinclair, Wyoming shall not use town water for lawn, garden and/or other nonessential purposes between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m., until further notice. Failure to comply with the restrictions in this resolution may result in criminal prosecution, as per Section 1-4-1 of the Town of Sinclair's Municipal Code.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 2 day of July, 2022.

Mayor, Town of Sinclair

ATTEST:

CERTIFICATION

I, ASHLEY MASSELINK, the Town Clerk for the Town of Sinclair, Wyoming, do hereby certify that the above resolution was duly and properly adopted by the Governing Body in the manner required by law.