

## **NOTICE OF PROTEST HEARING ON AUGUST 20, 2009 FOR LAFCO 3008A – ACTIVATION OF WATER POWERS FOR YERMO COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT**

Notice is hereby given that a Protest Hearing will be held by the Executive Officer of the Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCO) of San Bernardino County. The hearing will be held in the LAFCO office located at 215 N. "D" St., Suite 204, San Bernardino, California 92415-0490, on **August 20, 2009, at 10:00 a.m.**, to hear and receive any oral or written protests, objections, or evidence which are made, presented, or filed regarding LAFCO 3008A.

The Yermo Community Services District is proposing to activate its latent water powers. Authorization of the function and service will be for the entirety of the District while service is anticipated to be initially limited to within the boundaries of its Water Service Zone created on February 17, 2009, which includes the territory of the existing Yermo Water Company, a private water provider. As defined by Resolution No. 1, 2009, the Yermo CSD Water Service Zone is generally bordered by the Mojave River on the south (excluding the area of the Union Pacific Water System [currently undefined]), a boundary line one-half mile west of Frontier Avenue on the west, Interstate 15 on the north, and a boundary line one-half mile east of Seventh Street on the east, excluding any portion of the Marine Corps Annex.

The service area is more specifically described on the map which can be accessed below.

[Click here to view the service area map](#)

Proceedings for this activation were initiated by the Yermo Community Services District and submitted to LAFCO. This proposal has been assigned the short-form designation of LAFCO 3008A.

The proposed terms for this activation are set forth in LAFCO Resolution No. 3060 adopted by the Commission on June 17, 2009 which is available for review in the LAFCO office located at 215 N. D Street, Suite 204, San Bernardino, CA 92415.

The reason for this proposal is to assure water service for the betterment of the community and because the current water provider, Yermo Water Company, is in receivership and the Yermo Community Services District wishes to participate in the proceedings to assume responsibility for the provision of water service to its residents.

Any owner of land within the Yermo Community Services District may file an official protest. Such protest must be made in writing and submitted to the LAFCO office prior to the conclusion of the hearing. The written protest must include your name, address, address of the land owned within the affected area if different from your residence, Assessor Parcel Number and LAFCO number. The written protest must be dated. Any protest without a date, bearing a date prior to the date of publication of this notice, or submitted after the conclusion of the hearing, shall be disregarded for purposes of ascertaining the value of any written protests. Protest cannot be accepted by fax.

[Click here to view sample landowner petition form.](#)

Any registered voter residing within the Yermo Community Services District may file an official protest. Such protest must be made in writing and submitted to the LAFCO office prior to the conclusion of the hearing. The written protest must include your name and address as they appear on the affidavit of registration and the LAFCO number. The written protest must be dated. Any protest without a date, bearing a date prior to the date of publication of this notice, or submitted after the conclusion of the hearing, shall be disregarded for purposes of ascertaining the value of any written protests. Protest cannot be accepted by fax.

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If you have any questions regarding this Notice, please contact the LAFCO office at (909) 383-9900.

Dated: July 28, 2009

LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION COMMISSION  
KATHLEEN ROLLINGS-McDONALD, Executive Officer

BY: ANGELA SCHELL, Deputy Clerk to the Commission