

**DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES**

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**APPROVAL OF FUNDING FROM LOCAL ASSISTANCE DROUGHT FUNDS TO THE ROMALDO COMMUNITY WELL DRILLING PROJECT**

Your request for Local Assistance funds to provide water to 12 residences located in the Romaldo Community of Santa Barbara County has been approved. The approved funding includes drilling a new well, testing the well production and water quality, and trucking potable water in the amount of \$83,776. The term of the project is from April 22, 2016 to June 30, 2018.

A grant agreement is being developed and will be sent to you for approval. You are allowed to start incurring costs from the date of the funding approval (April 22, 2016). No reimbursement will be issued until the contract agreement is executed.

If you have any questions or need additional information regarding the contract agreement, please contact Zachary Jojola by email at [Zachary.Jojola@water.ca.gov](mailto:Zachary.Jojola@water.ca.gov) or by phone at (916) 716-9156.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Gary Lippner".

Gary Lippner, Director  
Drought Emergency Response Team  
Department of Water Resources

cc: Bill Hurst, President  
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