

Public Hearing: October 27, 2003

## **F A C T S H E E T**

**TITLE:** Ordinance to amend LMC Chapter 17.26, Emergency Restrictions

**SPONSOR:** Public Works & Utilities

**OTHER DEPARTMENTS AFFECTED:**  
None

**OPPONENTS:** None Identified

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION:** For

**APPLICANT:** Public Works & Utilities

**REASON FOR LEGISLATION:** Amends Section 17.26.030 eliminating the requirement for customers to provide a bond when found to be in violation of emergency water use restrictions.

An operative date of January 1, 2004 is requested.

## **D I S C U S S I O N**

The Department recommends this requirement be eliminated based on the remaining language in the same Section that provides sufficient enforcement powers of emergency water use restrictions. This amendment will eliminate the administrative time and cost in accepting a bond as financial security.

**POLICY OR PROGRAM CHANGE:** No

**COST OF TOTAL PROJECT:** None

**SOURCE OF FUNDS:**

**CITY:** N/A

**NON CITY:** N/A

**BENEFIT COST:** N/A

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