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## LCRA BOARD POLICY

### 209 – ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP

Sept. 21, 2016

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#### **209.10 PURPOSE**

The purpose of this policy is to affirm LCRA's long-standing commitment to environmental stewardship. LCRA recognizes that its mission to enhance the quality of life of the Texans we serve through water stewardship, energy and community service must be balanced with its responsibilities to preserve and protect natural resources. Accordingly, this policy directs LCRA to execute its responsibilities and perform its activities in full compliance with all applicable environmental laws and regulations.

#### **209.20 POLICY**

The LCRA will use its authority to protect the Colorado River, its tributaries and other natural resources within the LCRA statutory district.

#### **209.30 PROCEDURES**

The GM/CEO will take necessary and appropriate actions to implement this policy and will develop management practices intended to fully comply with all applicable environmental laws and regulations.

#### **209.40 AUTHORITY**

LCRA enabling legislation

**EFFECTIVE:** May 23, 2001. Amended Sept. 21, 2016.