

**RESOLUTION 07-20**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE  
TWENTYNINE PALMS WATER DISTRICT  
PROCLAIMING SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2007 AS  
“CHANGE YOUR CLOCK, CHANGE YOUR BATTERY” DAY**

**WHEREAS**, “Change Your Clock, Change Your Battery” is a national home fire safety campaign celebrating its 20<sup>th</sup> year; and

**WHEREAS**, eighty-three percent of civilian fire deaths result from fires in homes without working smoke alarms; and

**WHEREAS**, if a fire occurs, working smoke alarms cut the risk of dying in a home fire nearly in half by providing an early warning and critical extra seconds to escape; and

**WHEREAS**, all residents are encouraged to change the batteries in their smoke alarms when changing their clocks back to standard time on Sunday, November 4, 2007.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Directors of the Twentynine Palms Water District does hereby proclaim Sunday, November 4, 2007 as “Change Your Clock, Change Your Battery” Day in the community of Twentynine Palms to help increase fire safety awareness for its residents.

**FURTHER**, all residents are encouraged to use the “extra hour” they save from the time change to clean smoke alarms by vacuuming them, test smoke alarms by pushing the test button, plan and rehearse two escape routes with the entire family, and select a meeting place for family members outside the home.

**PROCLAIMED** by the Board of Directors of the Twentynine Palms Water District this 24<sup>th</sup> day of October 2007 by the following vote:

Ayes:	Directors Anthony, Carter, Cisneros, Moore and Yockey
Noes:	None

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Edith E. Carter, President  
Board Of Directors

Attest:

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Mike Wright, Board Secretary  
Twentynine Palms Water District