**Initial Statement of Beneficial Ownership of Securities**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*
   
   **Risenmay Jeffrey E**
   
   (Last) (First) (Middle)
   
   C/O GLOBAL WATER RESOURCES, INC.
   
   21410 N 19TH AVENUE #220
   
   PHOENIX, AZ 85027

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement
   
   (Month/Day/Year)
   
   06/08/2017

3. Issuer Name andTicker or Trading Symbol
   
   **Global Water Resources, Inc. [ GWRS ]**

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
   
   (Check all applicable)
   
   Director
   
   X Officer (give title below)
   
   10% Owner
   
   Other (specify below)
   
   Vice President and Controller

5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed
   
   (Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing
   
   (Check Applicable Line)
   
   X Form filed by One Reporting Person
   
   X Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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<td>Stock Appreciation Right</td>
<td>(1) 02/11/2025</td>
<td>Common Stock 50,000</td>
<td>4.26 D</td>
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**Explanations of Responses:**

1. The reporting person was originally granted 50,000 shares of stock appreciation rights on February 11, 2015. The stock appreciation rights vest by calendar year over four calendar years, 25% per year, beginning January 1, 2015.

**Remarks:**

/s/ Joanne Ellsworth, attorney-in-fact 06/13/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person**

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

*If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).


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