

**TABLE 22-A  
MPWMD Water Distribution System Permit Matrix**

No. of Parcels	Location			MPWMD Permit Process <sup>1,2</sup>									
	Non- MPWRS	W/in 1,000 ft. of MPWRS	MPWRS		Effect on MPWRS		Testing Required	Production History	Set Limit	CEQA Review	Exemption	WDS Permit	
			CVAA	SGB	None	Potential effect							
			< 5	> 5									
< 4	X				X		→					Exemption <sup>3</sup>	
< 4			X		X		→					Exemption <sup>3</sup>	Level 2 <sup>5</sup>
< 4		X			X		→					Exemption <sup>3</sup>	Level 1 <sup>4</sup>
< 4		X				X	Staff determination on testing, CEQA, limits						Level 3 <sup>6</sup>
< 4			X			X	X	If applicable	X	X			Level 3 <sup>6</sup>
< 4				X	X		Consult with Watermaster		X	X			Level 2 <sup>5</sup>
4 or more	X				X		→					X	Level 1 <sup>4</sup>
4 or more			X		X		→					X	Level 2 <sup>5</sup>
4 or more		X			X		→					X	Level 1 <sup>4</sup>
4 or more		X				X	Staff determination on testing, limit			X		Level 3 <sup>6</sup>	
4 or more			X			X	X	If applicable	X	X			Level 3 <sup>6</sup>
4 or more				X	X		Consult with Watermaster		X	X			Level 3 <sup>6</sup>

Notes

AFY      acre-feet per year

CEQA     California Environmental Quality Act

CVAA     Carmel Valley Alluvial Aquifer

MPWRS   Monterey Peninsula Water Resource System (CVAA + SGB)

SER       Sensitive Environmental Receptor (e.g., a stream)

SGB       Seaside Groundwater Basin

App       Application materials similar to existing application (map, property information, etc.)

1. Staff to review materials for location, hydrogeologic connection to MPWRS, potential title complications. Exemption recorded.

2. Counsel to review complicated property titles and all Permit materials for CEQA compliance.

3. Exemption - ministerial action, CEQA exemption, no production limit.

4. Level 1 Permit - staff assessment of hydrologic connectivity and adverse effects, no production limit if no adverse effects.

5. Level 2 Permit - for SGB only, production limits associated with Court and Watermaster determinations; CEQA addressed by Court.

6. Level 3 Permit - requires testing, CEQA determination, production limit.