EXHIBIT 16-A

AMENDMENT 6 to M1W (formerly MRWPCA)-MPWMD GROUNDWATER REPLENISHMENT PROJECT COST SHARING AGREEMENT

This Amendment is entered into as of December _, 2021 (Effective Date), by and between the Monterey One Water, a joint powers authority ("M1W") and the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District, a California special act district ("MPWMD"), collectively the "Parties", based upon the following facts, intentions and understandings of the Parties.

Section II. A. 1 is amended to read as follows:

1.(d) Unreimbursed Construction Period Costs Defined

From December 1, 2021 through June 30, 2024, there may occur Pure Water Monterey expansion project related costs that are not allowed to be capitalized to the project and paid or reimbursed by State Revolving Fund Loans. Examples of those costs include, among others:

- 1. Facility Expansion Design and Engineering
- 2. Regulatory Proceedings
- 3. Expansion Environmental Scoping and Review
- 4. Expansion Permitting

1.(e) Financing of GWR Unreimbursed Construction Period Costs

MPWMD shall pay seventy-five percent (75%) of such costs, and M1W shall pay twenty-five percent (25%) of such costs.

Section II. F. is amended to read as follows:

14. Term

This Agreement shall remain in force and effect until June 30, 2024. The term of this Agreement may be extended with the mutual agreement of the Parties.

WHEREFORE, this Amendment 6 to the Cost Sharing Agreement was executed by the parties on the date first above written.

MONTEREY ONE WATER

MPWMD

By:	Date:	By:	Date:
Mary Ann Carbone, Board Chair		Alvin Edwards, Chair	
M1W Board of Directors		MPWMD Board of Directors	