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ITEM: INFORMATIONAL ITEM/STAFF REPORT

21. MONTHLY WATER SUPPLY AND CALIFORNIA AMERICAN WATER PRODUCTION REPORT

Meeting Date:	**October 19, 2026**	**Budgeted:**	**N/A**
From:	**David J. Stoldt, General Manager**	**Program/ Line Item No.:**	**N/A**
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General Counsel Review: N/A
Committee Recommendation: N/A
CEQA Compliance: Exempt from environmental review per SWRCB Order Nos. 95-10 and 2016-0016, and the Seaside Basin Groundwater Basin adjudication decision, as amended and Section 15268 of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines, as a ministerial project; Exempt from Section 15307, Actions by Regulatory Agencies for Protection of Natural Resources.

Exhibit 21-A shows the water supply status for the Monterey Peninsula Water Resources System (MPWRS) as of **October 1, 2026**. This system includes the surface water resources in the Carmel River Basin, the groundwater resources in the Carmel Valley Alluvial Aquifer and the Seaside Groundwater Basin. **Exhibit 21-A** is for Water Year (WY) 2026 and focuses on three factors: rainfall, runoff, and storage. The rainfall and Streamflow values are based on measurements in the upper Carmel River Basin at Sleepy Hollow Weir.

Water Supply Status: Rainfall through **September** 2026 totaled 0.00 **inches** and brings the cumulative rainfall total for WY 2026 to **24.30 inches,** which is **115%** of the long-term average through **September**. Estimated unimpaired runoff through **September** totaled **405 acre-feet (AF)** and brings the cumulative runoff total for WY 2026 to **56,719 AF,** which is **83%** of the long-term average through **September**. Usable storage for the MRWPRS was **26,880 acre-feet**, which is **96%** of average through **September,** and equates to **81**% of system capacity.

Production Compliance: Under State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) Cease and Desist Order No. 2016-0016 (CDO), California American Water (Cal-Am) is allowed to produce no more than 3,376 AF of water from the Carmel River in WY 2026. Through **September**, using the CDO accounting method, Cal-Am has produced **3,371AF** from the Carmel River (excluding **241 AF** of Table 13 and **86 AF** of Mal Paso.) In addition, under the Seaside Basin Decision, Cal-Am is allowed to produce 1,474 AF of water from the Coastal Subareas and 0 AF from the Laguna Seca Subarea of the Seaside Basin in WY 2026. Through **September**, Cal-Am has produced **783 AF** from the Seaside Groundwater Basin. Through **September**, **916 AF** of Carmel River Basin groundwater have been diverted for Seaside Basin injection; **0 AF** have been recovered for customer use, **275 AF** have been diverted under Table 13 water rights, and **4,779 AF** of Pure Water Monterey recovered. Cal-Am has produced **9,350 AF** for customer use from all sources through **September**. **Exhibit 21-B** shows production by source. Some of the values in this report may be revised in the future as Cal-Am finalizes their production values.

EXHIBITS
21-A Water Supply Status: **October 1, 2026**
21-B Monthly Cal-Am production by source: WY 2026

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Monterey Peninsula Water Management District
Water Supply Status
October 1, 2026

Factor	Oct – Sep 2026	Average To Date	Percent of Average	Oct – Sep 2025
Rainfall (Inches)	24.30	21.07	115%	16.68
Runoff (Acre-Feet)	56,719	68,680	83%	34,178
Storage [5] (Acre-Feet)	26,680	27,890	96%	27,120

Notes:

1. Rainfall and runoff estimates are based on measurements at San Clemente Dam. Annual rainfall and runoff at Sleepy Hollow Weir average 21.22 inches and 67,246 acre-feet, respectively. Annual values are based on the water year that runs from October 1 to September 30 of the following calendar year. The rainfall and runoff averages at the Sleepy Hollow Weir site are based on records for the 1922-2024 and 1902-2024 periods respectively.

2. The rainfall and runoff totals are based on measurements through the dates referenced in the table.

3. Storage estimates refer to usable storage in the Monterey Peninsula Water Resources System (MPWRS) that includes surface water in Los Padres and San Clemente Reservoirs and ground water in the Carmel Valley Alluvial Aquifer and in the Coastal Subareas of the Seaside Groundwater Basin. The storage averages are end-of-month values and are based on records for the 1989-2025 period. The storage estimates are end-of-month values for the dates referenced in the table.

4. The maximum storage capacity for the MPWRS is currently 33,130 acre-feet.

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Production vs. CDO and Adjudication to Date: WY 2026

(All values in Acre-Feet)

Year-to-Date Values	MPWRS					Water Projects and Rights				
	Carmel River Basin [2, 6]	Seaside Groundwater Basin			MPWRS Total					
		Coastal	Laguna Seca	Ajudication Compliance		ASR Recovery	PWM Recovery	Table 13 [7]	Sand City [3]	Water Projects and Rights Total
Target	3,716	900	0	900	**4,616**	0	4,025	138	300	**4,463**
Actual [4]	3,371	674	109	783	**4,154**	0	4,779	275	57	**5,111**
Difference	345	226	-109	117	**462**	0	-754	-137	243	**-648**
WY 2025 Actual	3,291	1,564	120	1,684	**4,976**	0	3,680	182	164	**4,025**

1. This table is current through the date of this report
2. For CDO compliance, ASR, Mal Paso, and Table 13 diversions are included in River production per State Boar
3. Sand City Desal, Table 13, and ASR recovery are also tracked as water resources project
4. To date, 916 AF and 275 AF have been produced from the River for ASR and Table 13 respectively
5. All values are rounded to the nearest Acre-Foot
6. For CDO Tracking Purposes, ASR production for injection is capped at 600 AFY
7. Table 13 diversions are reported under water rights but counted as production from the River for CDO trackin

Monthly Production from all Sources for Customer Service: WY 2026

(All values in Acre-Feet)

	Carmel River Basin	Table 13	Mal Paso	Seaside Basin	ASR Recovery	PWM Recovery	Sand City	Total
Oct-25	232	0	7	124	0	413	14	790
Nov-25	129	0	7	38	0	489	3	666
Dec-25	103	29	7	32	0	473	12	657
Jan-26	86	75	8	32	0	428	20	648
Feb-26	112	58	8	26	0	389	8	602
Mar-26	240	77	9	29	0	435	0	790
Apr-26	331	35	8	29	0	358	0	762
May-26	457	0	9	42	0	314	0	821
Jun-26	462	0	4	94	0	295	0	855
Jul-26	399	0	7	82	0	439	0	927
Aug-26	470	0	7	32	0	430	0	938
Sep-26	348	0	6	223	0	316	0	893
Total	**3,371**	**275**	**86**	**783**	**0**	**4,779**	**57**	**9,350**
WY 2025	**3,291**	**182**	**91**	**1,684**	**0**	**3,680**	**164**	**9,092**

1. This table is produced as a proxy for customer demand
2. Numbers are provisional and are subject to update