

EXHIBIT 19-A



United States Department of the Interior

U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY
California Water Science Center
6000 J Street
Sacramento, CA 95819

July 25, 2023

Mr. David Stoldt
General Manager
Monterey Peninsula Water Mgmt. Dist.
Post Office Box 85
Monterey, CA 93942-0085

Dear Mr. Stoldt:

Attached is the Joint Funding Agreement (JFA) 24ZGJFA03000021, signed by our agency, for your approval to enact the cost changes to the project(s) California Water Science Center Water Resources Investigations, during the period October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2024 in the amount of \$17,860 from your agency. U.S. Geological Survey contributions for this agreement are \$7,340 for a combined total of \$25,200. If you are in agreement with this proposed program, please return the fully executed signed copy to CAgagAdmin@usgs.gov (preferred) or send one fully executed paper copy to Cade Castro at the address in the letter head.

Federal law requires that we have a signed agreement before we start or continue work. Please return the signed agreement by **October 1, 2023**. If, for any reason, the agreement cannot be signed and returned by the date shown above, please contact Anthony Guerriero by phone number (831) 460-7494 or email aguerrie@usgs.gov to make alternative arrangements.

This is a fixed cost agreement to be billed annually via Down Payment Request (automated Form DI-1040). Please allow 30-days from the end of the billing period for issuance of the bill. If you experience any problems with your invoice(s), please contact Cade Castro at phone number (970) 462-2034 or email at ccastro@usgs.gov.

The results of all work performed under this agreement will be available for publication by the U.S. Geological Survey. We look forward to continuing this and future cooperative efforts in these mutually beneficial water resources studies.

Sincerely,

ANKE MUELLER-
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Anke Mueller-Solger
Director, USGS California Water Science Center

Enclosure
Detailed Summary

Form 9-1366
(May 2018)

U.S. Department of the Interior
U.S. Geological Survey
Joint Funding Agreement
FOR

Customer #: 6000000949
Agreement #: 24ZGJFA03000021
Project #: ZG00GZV
TIN #: 94-2535586

Water Resource Investigations

9. Billing for this agreement will be rendered annually. Invoices not paid within 60 days from the billing date will bear Interest, Penalties, and Administrative cost at the annual rate pursuant the Debt Collection Act of 1982, (codified at 31 U.S.C. § 3717) established by the U.S. Treasury.

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17:45:34 -07'00' Date: _____
Name: Anke Mueller-Solger
Title: Director, USGS California Water Science
Center

Signatures

By  Date: 7-28-23
Name: DAVID STOLDT
Title: GENERAL MANAGER

By _____ Date: _____
Name:
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