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September 1, 2020

Mr. Carl P. Holm, AICP
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Dear Mr. Holm:

This letter confirms discussions between our respective staffs, concerning the continuation of the cooperative water-resources between the Monterey County Water Resource Management Agency (MCRMA) and the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) for the period of January 1, 2016 to October 31, 2021.

The purpose of this amendment is to increase funding with Cooperative Matching Funds (CMF) contributed by the USGS by \$25,000. Total cost to the program to USGS over all fiscal years, including this amendment will be \$139,503. Total cost to customer over all fiscal years, including this amendment remains at \$1,266,571.

The additional CMF will be used towards the update of the “Salinas River Groundwater Basin Investigation, Salinas Valley, California.”

Enclosed are two signed originals of the Joint Funding Agreement (JFA) 16WSCA600466210_A4 for your approval. Work performed with funds from this agreement will be conducted on a reimbursable basis. If you are in agreement with this proposed program, please sign and return one of the originals to our San Diego Project office to Irene Rios. The second signed original of the JFA is for your files.

If you have any questions concerning the program described above, please contact Wes Henson (619) 225-6170 in our San Diego Office. If you have any administrative questions, please contact Irene Rios at iaros@usgs.gov (619) 225-6156.

Sincerely,

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Eric Reichard
Director, USGS CA Water Science Center

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Customer#: 6000004662
Project #: ZG00GD4
TIN #: 94-6000524
USGS DUNS #: 1761-38857
OPA Rev: 17-6079

Fixed Cost Agreement YES[] NO[X]

THIS AGREEMENT is entered into as of the 1st day of September, 2020, by the U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, California Water Science Center, UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, party of the first part, and the Monterey County Resource Management Agency, party of the second part.

1. The parties hereto agree that subject to the availability of appropriations and in accordance with their respective authorities there shall be maintained in cooperation for cooperative water resources investigations in the Salinas River Groundwater Basin Investigation, Valley California area, herein called the program. The USGS legal authority is 43 USC 36C; 43 USC 50, and 43 USC 50b.

2. The following amounts shall be contributed to cover all of the cost of the necessary field and analytical work directly related to this program. 2(b) include In-Kind-Services in the amount of \$0.00.

- (a) \$25,000.00 by the party of the first part during the period
January 1, 2016 to October 31, 2021
- (b) \$ 0.00 by the party of the second part during the period
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- (c) Contributions are provided by the party of the first part through other USGS regional or national programs, in the amount of : \$0.00

Description of the USGS regional/national program:
Not Applicable

- (d) Additional or reduced amounts by each party during the above period or succeeding periods as may be determined by mutual agreement and set forth in an exchange of letters between the parties.
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3. The costs of this program may be paid by either party in conformity with the laws and regulations respectively governing each party.

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6. During the course of this program, all field and analytical work of either party pertaining to this program shall be open to the inspection of the other party, and if the work is not being carried on in a mutually satisfactory manner, either party may terminate this agreement upon 60 days written notice to the other party.

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