



EXHIBIT 16-A

**RESOLUTION NO. 2016-22
A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE
MONTEREY PENINSULA WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT REGARDING
AUTHORIZING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONTRACT**

The Board of Directors of the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District hereby adopts a Resolution Authorizing an Amendment to Contract between the Board of Administration California Public Employees' Retirement System and the Board of Directors Monterey Peninsula Water Management District.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the governing body of the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District does hereby give notice of authorization to amend the contract between said public agency and the Board of Administration of the Public Employees' Retirement System, a copy of said resolution being appended hereto as Attachment I and by this reference made a part hereof.

On motion of Director _____, and second by Director _____, the foregoing resolution is duly adopted this 12th day of December, 2016, by the following votes:

AYES:

NAYES:

ABSENT:

I, David J. Stoldt, Secretary of the Board of Directors of the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District, hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of a resolution duly adopted on the 12th day of December, 2016.

Witness my hand and seal of the Board of Directors, this _____ day of December, 2016.

David J. Stoldt, Secretary to the Board

MONTEREY PENINSULA WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

**RESOLUTION
AUTHORIZING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONTRACT**

No. 2016-22

WHEREAS, the Board of Administration of the California Public Employees' Retirement System and the Board of Directors of the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District entered into a contract effective on January 1, 1980 providing for the participation of said public agency in the California Public Employees' Retirement System; and

WHEREAS, it is now desirable to take advantage of certain benefits provided under said Retirement System and not included in said contract;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that said governing body authorized, and it does hereby authorize, an amendment to said contract, a copy of said amendment attached hereto and by such reference made a part hereof as though herein set out in full; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the presiding officer of said governing body is hereby authorized, empowered and directed to execute said amendment for and on behalf of said public agency.

Adopted this _____ day of _____, _____.

Presiding Officer

Attest:

Clerk/Secretary



California
Public Employees' Retirement System

AMENDMENT TO CONTRACT

**Between the
Board of Administration
California Public Employees' Retirement System
and the
Board of Directors
Monterey Peninsula Water Management District**

The Board of Administration, California Public Employees' Retirement System, hereinafter referred to as Board, and the governing body of the above public agency, hereinafter referred to as Public Agency, having entered into a contract effective January 1, 1980, and witnessed December 10, 1979, and as amended effective August 1, 1987, August 1, 1999, July 17, 2001 and July 1, 2008 which provides for participation of Public Agency in said System, Board and Public Agency hereby agree as follows:

- A. Paragraphs 1 through 11 are hereby stricken from said contract as executed effective July 1, 2008, and hereby replaced by the following paragraphs numbered 1 through 13 inclusive:
1. All words and terms used herein which are defined in the Public Employees' Retirement Law shall have the meaning as defined therein unless otherwise specifically provided. "Normal retirement age" shall mean age 55 for classic local miscellaneous members and age 62 for new local miscellaneous members.
 2. Public Agency shall participate in the Public Employees' Retirement System from and after January 1, 1980 making its employees as hereinafter provided, members of said System subject to all provisions of the Public Employees' Retirement Law except such as apply only on election of a contracting agency and are not provided for herein and to all amendments to said Law hereafter enacted except those, which by express provisions thereof, apply only on the election of a contracting agency.

3. Public Agency agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS) and its trustees, agents and employees, the CalPERS Board of Administration, and the California Public Employees' Retirement Fund from any claims, demands, actions, losses, liabilities, damages, judgments, expenses and costs, including but not limited to interest, penalties and attorney fees that may arise as a result of any of the following:
 - (a) Public Agency's election to provide retirement benefits, provisions or formulas under this Contract that are different than the retirement benefits, provisions or formulas provided under the Public Agency's prior non-CalPERS retirement program.
 - (b) Any dispute, disagreement, claim, or proceeding (including without limitation arbitration, administrative hearing, or litigation) between Public Agency and its employees (or their representatives) which relates to Public Agency's election to amend this Contract to provide retirement benefits, provisions or formulas that are different than such employees' existing retirement benefits, provisions or formulas.
 - (c) Public Agency's agreement with a third party other than CalPERS to provide retirement benefits, provisions, or formulas that are different than the retirement benefits, provisions or formulas provided under this Contract and provided for under the California Public Employees' Retirement Law.
4. Employees of Public Agency in the following classes shall become members of said Retirement System except such in each such class as are excluded by law or this agreement:
 - a. Employees other than local safety members (herein referred to as local miscellaneous members).
5. In addition to the classes of employees excluded from membership by said Retirement Law, the following classes of employees shall not become members of said Retirement System:
 - a. **ALL SAFETY EMPLOYEES.**
6. The percentage of final compensation to be provided for each year of credited prior and current service as a classic local miscellaneous member shall be determined in accordance with Section 21354 of said Retirement Law (2% at age 55 Full).
7. The percentage of final compensation to be provided for each year of credited prior and current service as a new local miscellaneous member shall be determined in accordance with Section 7522.20 of said Retirement Law (2% at age 62 Full).

8. Public Agency elected and elects to be subject to the following optional provisions:
 - a. Section 21574 (Fourth Level of 1959 Survivor Benefits).
 - b. Section 20965 (Credit for Unused Sick Leave).
 - c. Section 20042 (One-Year Final Compensation) for classic members only.
 - d. Section 20516 (Employees Sharing Additional Cost):

From and after the effective date of this amendment to contract, 3% for classic local miscellaneous members.

The portion of the employer's contribution that the member agrees to contribute from his or her compensation, over and above the member's normal contribution ("Cost Sharing Percentage"), shall not exceed the Employer Normal Cost Rate, as that rate is defined in the CalPERS Actuarial Valuation for the relevant fiscal year. If the Cost Sharing Percentage will exceed the relevant Employer Normal Cost Rate, the Cost Sharing Percentage shall automatically be reduced to an amount equal to, and not to exceed, the Employer Normal Cost Rate for the relevant fiscal year.

9. Public Agency, in accordance with Government Code Section 20834, shall not be considered an "employer" for purposes of the Public Employees' Retirement Law. Contributions of the Public Agency shall be fixed and determined as provided in Government Code Section 20834, and such contributions hereafter made shall be held by the Board as provided in Government Code Section 20834.
10. Public Agency shall contribute to said Retirement System the contributions determined by actuarial valuations of prior and future service liability with respect to local miscellaneous members of said Retirement System.
11. Public Agency shall also contribute to said Retirement System as follows:
 - a. Contributions required per covered member on account of the 1959 Survivor Benefits provided under Section 21574 of said Retirement Law. (Subject to annual change.) In addition, all assets and liabilities of Public Agency and its employees shall be pooled in a single account, based on term insurance rates, for survivors of all local miscellaneous members.
 - b. A reasonable amount, as fixed by the Board, payable in one installment within 60 days of date of contract to cover the costs of administering said System as it affects the employees of Public Agency, not including the costs of special valuations or of the periodic investigation and valuations required by law.

- c. A reasonable amount, as fixed by the Board, payable in one installment as the occasions arise, to cover the costs of special valuations on account of employees of Public Agency, and costs of the periodic investigation and valuations required by law.
- 12. Contributions required of Public Agency and its employees shall be subject to adjustment by Board on account of amendments to the Public Employees' Retirement Law, and on account of the experience under the Retirement System as determined by the periodic investigation and valuation required by said Retirement Law.
- 13. Contributions required of Public Agency and its employees shall be paid by Public Agency to the Retirement System within fifteen days after the end of the period to which said contributions refer or as may be prescribed by Board regulation. If more or less than the correct amount of contributions is paid for any period, proper adjustment shall be made in connection with subsequent remittances. Adjustments on account of errors in contributions required of any employee may be made by direct payments between the employee and the Board.

B. This amendment shall be effective on the 19th day of December, 2016.

BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION
PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

BOARD OF DIRECTORS
MONTEREY PENINSULA WATER
MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

BY _____
CHERYL EASON
CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER
PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

BY _____
PRESIDING OFFICER

Witness Date

Attest:

Clerk

CALIFORNIA PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM
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**CERTIFICATION
OF
FINAL ACTION OF GOVERNING BODY**

I hereby certify that the _____ Board of Directors _____ of the
(governing body)
_____ Monterey Peninsula Water Management District _____
(public agency)

considered and adopted on December 12, 2016, by an affirmative vote of a
(date)

majority of the members of said Governing Body, **Ordinance / Resolution** No. 2016-22
approving the attached contractual agreement between the Governing Body of said Agency
and the Board of Administration of the California Public Employees' Retirement System, a
certified copy of said **Ordinance / Resolution** in the form furnished by said Board of
Administration being attached hereto.

Adoption of the retirement benefit increase/change was not placed on the consent
calendar.

Clerk/Secretary

General Manager
Title

Date _____