

## PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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March 29, 2023

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Dear Mr. Morse,

The Water Division of the California Public Utilities Commission has approved California-American Water Company's Advice Letter No. 1401, filed on December 23, 2022, regarding Pure Water Monterey (PWM) Expansion – MPWSP Phase 1 Memo Account – Subaccount for PWM Project Costs for the Monterey Service Area.

Enclosed are copies of the following revised tariff sheets, effective December 23, 2022, for the utility's files:

<b>P.U.C.</b>	
<b>Sheet No.</b>	<b>Title of Sheet</b>
10733-W	Preliminary Statement, Summary Table, Sheet 2
10734-W	Preliminary Statement (Continued), AV. MPWSP Phase 1 Project Cost Memorandum Account, Sheet 1
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Please contact Bradley Leong at [BL4@cpuc.ca.gov](mailto:BL4@cpuc.ca.gov) or 415-703-2307, if you have any questions.

Thank you.

Enclosures



December 23, 2022

ADVICE LETTER NO. 1401

TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

California-American Water Company (U210W) (California American Water) submits this advice letter applicable to its Monterey Main service area customers.

**Purpose:**

By this advice letter, California American Water complies with Ordering Paragraphs 8 and 9 of Decision (“D.”) 22-12-001 to request a subaccount within its existing Monterey Peninsula Water Supply Project (“MPWSP”) Phase 1 Memorandum Account for the purposes of tracking costs related to the Pure Water Monterey (“PWM”) Expansion Project.

**Background:**

On December 5, 2022, the Public Utilities Commission issued D.22-12-001. D.22-12-001 authorized, among other items, the construction of four Company-related facilities under cost caps for certain facilities necessary for the PWM Expansion Project. The facilities included (1) extraction wells EW-1 and EW-2, and the chemical treatment facility; (2) extraction wells EW-3 and EW-4, and the associated piping; (3) the Carmel Valley Pump Station; and (4) the General Jim Moor Parallel Pipeline.

Based on its findings, the Commission ordered California American Water to file this Tier 1 advice letter as follows:

8. California-American Water Company is authorized to track direct costs for the four Company-related facilities, including the allowance for funds used during construction, in a subaccount of the Monterey Peninsula Water Supply Project Phase 1 Costs Memorandum Account called the “PWM Expansion Project Costs Memorandum Account.”
9. California-American Water Company shall submit a Tier 1 Advice Letter to the Commission’s Water Division within 30

days of the date of issuance of this decision requesting to establish the PWM Expansion Project Costs Memorandum Account for the purpose of tracking PWM Expansion Project costs.

**Request:**

To establish a subaccount to track PWM Expansion Project costs within California American Water's existing MPWSP Phase 1 Project Cost Memorandum Account.

**Tier Designation:**

This advice letter is submitted pursuant to General Order No. 96-B and D.22-12-001 and is designated as a Tier 1 filing.

**Effective Date:**

California American Water requests the advice letter be made effective following a resolution from the CPUC.

**Notice:**

Pursuant to Section 4.3 of General Order No. 96-B, a copy of this advice letter is being provided to those entities listed in the attached "SERVICE LIST PURSUANT TO SECTION 4.3 OF G.O. NO. 96-B." Per guidance from the California Public Utilities Commission's Water Division, during the COVID-19 pandemic, advice letters will only be delivered electronically to the service list.

**RESPONSE OR PROTEST<sup>1</sup>**

Anyone may submit a response or protest for this AL. When submitting a response or protest, **please include the utility name and advice letter number in the subject line.**

A **response** supports the filing and may contain information that proves useful to the Commission in evaluating the AL. A **protest** objects to the AL in whole or in part and must set forth the specific grounds on which it is based. These grounds<sup>2</sup> are:

- (1) The utility did not properly serve or give notice of the AL;
- (2) The relief requested in the AL would violate statute or Commission order, or is not authorized by statute or Commission order on which the utility relies;
- (3) The analysis, calculations, or data in the AL contain material error or omissions;

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<sup>1</sup> G.O. 96-B, General Rule 7.4.1

<sup>2</sup> G.O. 96-B, General Rule 7.4.2

- (4) The relief requested in the AL is pending before the Commission in a formal proceeding; or
- (5) The relief requested in the AL requires consideration in a formal hearing, or is otherwise inappropriate for the AL process; or
- (6) The relief requested in the AL is unjust, unreasonable, or discriminatory, provided that such a protest may not be made where it would require relitigating a prior order of the Commission.

A protest may not rely on policy objections to an AL where the relief requested in the AL follows rules or directions established by statute or Commission order applicable to the utility. A protest shall provide citations or proofs where available to allow staff to properly consider the protest.

DWA must receive a response or protest via email (or postal mail) within 20 days of the date the AL is filed. When submitting a response or protest, **please include the utility name and advice letter number in the subject line.**

The addresses for submitting a response or protest are:

<b>Email Address:</b> <a href="mailto:Water.Division@cpuc.ca.gov">Water.Division@cpuc.ca.gov</a>	<b>Mailing Address:</b> CA Public Utilities Commission Division of Water and Audits 505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco, CA 94102
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On the same day the response or protest is submitted to DWA, the respondent or protestant shall send a copy of the protest to California American Water at:

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Cities and counties that need Board of Supervisors or Board of Commissioners approval to protest should inform DWA, within the 20 day protest period, so that a late filed protest can be entertained. The informing document should include an estimate of the date the proposed protest might be voted on.



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