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Schedule No. CA-Temp California American Water CAW Construction and Temporary Service Tariff

Sheet 1

APPLICABILITY

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Applicable to all temporary water service furnished for customers engaged in construction and temporary activities within the utility service area. Note that construction meters may also be referred to as hydrant meters.

TERRITORY

This Schedule is applicable to the entire service territory served by the Utility.

RATES

Customers engaged in construction and temporary activities within all service areas except for the Monterey Service Area tariff area will be billed monthly at the non-residential quantity rate.

Customers engaged in construction and temporary activities within in the Monterey service area tariff area will be billed monthly according to Schedule No. MO-1O.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS

- 1. Where it is necessary to obtain a temporary or construction meter, the customer will be required to sign an agreement and deposit \$3,000 for a construction meter.
- 2. If hardware is lost, stolen, damaged beyond repair, the customer will forfeit their entire deposit. If the meter is returned damaged, but can be repaired, the utility will return to the customer their deposit, less the cost of any repairs other than those due to normal depreciation.
- 3. If the utility requires the customer to provide the reading each month through approved communication method, it is the customer's responsibility to do so each month. Customers that do not communicate the meter reading each month will have their usage estimated.
- 4. Any outstanding balance must be paid in full before deposit is returned. Balance cannot be deducted from deposit.
- 5. In the event of failure to provide a meter read for a period of:
 - a. Two months, meter may be removed, and agreement revoked (if utility is unable to contact customer).
 - b. Six months, the meter will be considered abandoned, and deposit forfeited.
- 6. Meter can only be used in locations approved by the local fire department and utility; and meter cannot be relocated without utility approval. Persons found using water from a utility hydrant from an unapproved utility location will receive a warning letter and citation. A second citation may result in the suspension of all hydrant use permits issued to that customer for a period of six months.
- 7. Once water passes through meter it is no longer potable unless otherwise deemed potable by water utility.
- 8. Water taken from a utility hydrant may not be transported out of the utility's designated service area unless authorized by California American Water in writing.
- 9. Meter must be inspected annually by utility. Customer must make the meter available for inspection upon request.

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SPECIAL CONDITIONS (Continued)

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- 10. Any BPA provided by customer must be approved by the utility and tested according to requirements set forth by the Division of Drinking Water by a certified backflow specialist. Fee for testing is the responsibility of customer.
- 11. Utility will require customer to apply for a permanent service to obtain potable water to a premise. This tariff gives customer no implied rights for obtaining building permits and permanent extensions to serve customers are to be made under Rule 15.
- 12. Meter is not to be used for fire protection such as fire sprinkler or on-site fire hydrants. This tariff does not imply that any fire protection standards required by local or state authorities are met.
- 13. It is the customer's duty to notify the local fire protection agency of any connection to a fire hydrant and to disclose the intended use of water.
- 14. Failure of a customer to use proper spanner wrenches on the utility's fire hydrant operating nut, or any damage to the water distribution system by the customer, can result in the immediate termination of service and use of the meter. The costs for making repairs to the damaged facilities shall be borne by the customer.
- 15. Water used without a meter is water theft and customer can be held accountable in accordance with California Penal Code 498. Persons found using water from a utility hydrant location without the use of proper metering equipment will receive a warning letter and citation. A second citation may result in the suspension of all hydrant use permits issued to that customer for a period of six months. Additionally, copies of the citations will be sent to the local law enforcement authorities and the fire department will be notified that all hydrant use permits have been revoked.

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