SECOND AMENDMENT TO THE MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN THE LOS ANGELES GATEWAY REGION INTEGRATED REGIONAL
WATER MANAGEMENT JOINT POWERS AUTHORITY AND
THE CITIES OF BELL, BELL GARDENS, COMMERCE, CUDAHY, HUNTINGTON PARK,
MAYWOOD, VERNON, AND THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY FLOOD CONTROL DISTRICT
TO

EXTEND THE MOU'S TERM IN ORDER TO UPDATE AND CONTINUE IMPLEMENTING A WATERSHED MANAGEMENT PROGRAM ("WMP") and COORDINATED INTEGRATED MONITORING PROGRAM ("CIMP") AS REQUIRED BY THE REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD, LOS ANGELES REGION, NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM MUNICIPAL SEPARATE STORM SEWER SYSTEM PERMIT ORDER NO. R4-2012-0175 MUNICIPAL SEPARATE STORM SEWER SYSTEM, AS AMENDED ("MS4 PERMIT")

This **SECOND AMENDMENT** to the memorandum of understanding ("MOU") is made and entered into as of the date of the last signature set forth below, by and between the Los Angeles Gateway Region Integrated Regional Water Management Joint Powers Authority ("GWMA"), a California Joint Powers Authority, and the Cities of Bell, Bell Gardens, Commerce, Cudahy, Huntington Park, Maywood, Vernon ("Cities"), and the Los Angeles Flood Control District ("LACFCD"):

- **1. Recitals.** This **SECOND AMENDMENT** is made with the respect to the following facts and purposes:
- A. For the purposes of this Second Amendment, the term "Watershed Permittees" shall mean the Cities of Bell, Bell Gardens, Commerce, Cudahy, Huntington Park, Maywood, Vernon, and the Los Angeles County Flood Control District; and
- B. The Watershed Permittees and GWMA are collectively referred to as the "PARTIES"; and
- C. On August 19, 2013, the PARTIES entered into a Memorandum of Understanding for Administration and Cost Sharing to Prepare a Watershed Management Program ("WMP") and Coordinated Integrated Monitoring Program ("CIMP"), collectively the "Plans," as required by the Regional Water Quality Control Board, Los Angeles Region, National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System Permit, Order No. R4-2012-0175 Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System, as amended ("MOU"); and
- D. The Watershed Permittees prepared and submitted the Plans to the Regional Board in compliance with certain elements of the MS4 Permit; and

- E. On November 17, 2014, the PARTIES approved a First Amendment to the MOU to: (1) add implementation of the Plans to the scope and purpose of the MOU; and (2) provide a separate cost-share formula for the implementation of the Plans, subject to annual budget approval, in accordance with each PARTY'S cost share allocation; and
- F. The GWMA, on behalf of the Parties, has hired a consultant to implement the Plans for the benefit of the Parties; and
 - G. The MOU is currently scheduled to expire on December 31, 2019.
- H. The Parties wish to extend the MOU's term in order to maintain their existing beneficial relationship and cooperatively implement the Plans to comply with the MS4 Permit requirements with the support of GWMA's consultant, including the process of updating the WMP and CIMP through adaptive management.

The PARTIES agree that the following provisions of the MOU shall be amended as follows:

- **1.** Section 6 of the MOU entitled "Term" is hereby amended to read as follows:
- "Section 6. <u>Term</u>. This MOU shall remain and continue in effect until December 31, 2024, unless sooner terminated as provided herein."
- **2.** Except for the changes specifically set forth herein, all other terms and conditions of the MOU and First Amendment shall remain in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this **SECOND AMENDMENT** to be executed on their behalf, respectively, as follows:

DATE:	LOS ANGELES GATEWAY REGION INTEGRATED REGIONAL WATER MANAGEMENT JOINT POWERS AUTHORITY
	Lisa Rapp GWMA Chair

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this SECOND AMENDMENT to be executed on their behalf, respectively, as follows:

DATE:	CITY OF COMMERCE Mr. Edgar Cisneros City Manager 2535 Commerce Way Commerce, CA 90040
	Edgar Cisneros, City Manager
ATTEST:	APPROVED AS TO FORM:
City Clerk	City Attorney