State Water Infrastructure Authority Meeting Date: December 13, 2017 Agenda Item J – Reconsideration of Project Funding Due to Substantive Scope and Budget Changes

Division of Water Infrastructure Staff Report

Applications that are determined as eligible to receive funding by the Authority are increasingly changing scope and escalating in costs during planning and design. The Division would like to discuss with the Authority when it needs to review a project to determine whether it is still consistent with the application originally determined to be eligible.

Example situations include:

- Substantial scope changes that may or may not match the original purpose and need of the application;
- Substantial increases in funding that impact availability of future rounds; and
- Changes in funding program or type to meet project needs.