

NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

TO:

Governor's Office of Planning and Research
State Clearinghouse
1400 Tenth Street, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812

FROM:

State Water Resources Control Board
Division of Financial Assistance
1001 I Street 16th Floor
Sacramento, CA 95814

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER: 2016022055

PROJECT NUMBER: 8264-110

PROJECT TITLE: Gravity Pipeline Project (Project)

PROJECT LOCATION: The regional wastewater treatment plant (WWTP) is located at the eastern end of Redwood Shores at 1400 Radio Road, Redwood City, California and related wastewater pumping and transmission facilities are located in the City of San Carlos and Bair Island area within San Mateo County.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) is a Responsible Agency for the Project. The State Water Board's Clean Water State Revolving Fund (SRF) Program is financing the Project. The Project includes 17,600 linear feet of new 11-foot diameter gravity pipeline that will be placed within a 16-foot outer diameter, concrete, segmental lined tunnel. The new pipeline will connect the existing 48-inch force main on Inner Bair Island to the wastewater treatment plant. The new pipeline will replace the existing 48-inch and 54-inch diameter reinforced concrete pipe force mains that are in poor condition. The Project includes two 40-ft deep shafts at the Bair Island location and the San Carlos Pump Station site with pipeline installed to connect these points to the new 11-foot diameter gravity pipeline.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING PROJECT AND CARRYING OUT PROJECT: The State Water Board has approved SRF financing for the Project described above on June 24, 2021. The Silicon Valley Clean Water will be carrying out the Project. The State Water Board has made the following California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) determinations regarding the Project:

1. The Project will not have a significant effect on the environment. The Project will not have a significant effect on water quality. This determination is limited to effects on water quality under the State Water Board's jurisdiction as a Responsible Agency.

2. An Environmental Impact Report was prepared and adopted/certified for the Project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures were made a condition of approval of the Project.
4. A mitigation monitoring and reporting plan/program was adopted for the Project.
5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations was not adopted for the Project.
6. Findings were made pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15091.

LEAD AGENCY: Silicon Valley Clean Water

LEAD AGENCY CONTACT PERSON: Kim Hackett

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A record of financing approval for the Project is available to the general public at the State Water Board, Division of Financial Assistance at 1001 I Street, 16th Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814. The Environmental Impact Report is available from the Lead Agency.

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