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SCH #: 2018081060

Project Title: Integrated Vector Management Program

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Project Location: countywide San Diego

City *County*

Project Description (Proposed actions, location, and/or consequences).

The County of San Diego, Department of Environmental Health and Quality (DEHQ) Vector Control Program (VCP) protects the public from vector-borne disease and nuisance while protecting the environment through a coordinated set of activities collectively known as the Integrated Vector Management Program (IVMP). As the Proposed Project, the IVMP would continue to operate using a comprehensive approach by applying various techniques, including surveillance, source reduction (i.e., physical control), source treatment (i.e., biological and chemical control), public education, and outreach.

Identify the project's significant or potentially significant effects and briefly describe any proposed mitigation measures that would reduce or avoid that effect.

Significant but mitigable impacts would occur to Biological Resources, Cultural Resources, Geology and Soils, and Tribal Cultural Resources. In addition to the Mitigation Measures, the Proposed Project includes project design features in the form of best management practices (BMPs) applied prior to and during vector control activities. For a complete list of all BMPs (i.e., project design features), refer to the Program EIR Table 1-2 (IVMP Best Management Practices), which identifies the BMPs that are intended to minimize impacts associated with the Proposed Project implementation.

If applicable, describe any of the project's areas of controversy known to the Lead Agency, including issues raised by agencies and the public.

The County of San Diego, Department of Environmental Health and Quality, Vector Control Program issued a Notice of Preparation (NOP) for the Proposed Project on August 23, 2018, held a public scoping meeting in the community, and received 17 written communications from surrounding residents, agencies, and other organizations during the NOP comment period. Appendix A of the Program EIR contains the published NOP and comment letters received, which primarily address the following topics:

• Biological Resources: Some commenters expressed concerns regarding potential impacts and mitigation of protected animal and plant species and their habitats, wetlands, streambeds, lakes, and jurisdictional waters, including federal/State permits and Habitat Conservation Plans.

• Cultural/Tribal Cultural Resources: Some commenters wanted the VCP to ensure that the Proposed Project avoids inadvertent discoveries of protected resources, including those of Native American origin, such as sacred sites.

• Use of Pesticides for Vector Control: While some residents expressed a desire for increasing the use of pesticides to control mosquitoes, other respondents expressed concern regarding the use of such products and potential health effects.

Provide a list of the responsible or trustee agencies for the project.

In accordance with CEQA Guidelines Section 15205(c), the following agencies may have special expertise with regard to the environmental impacts involved and/or type of project.

Air Resources Board | Caltrans, District 11 - San Diego | Coastal Commission | Fish and Wildlife, Region 5 - South Coast, San Diego | Food and Agriculture, Department of | Historic Preservation, Office of | Native American Heritage Commission, California | Natural Resources Agency, California | Parks and Recreation, Department of | Pesticide Regulation, Department of | Regional Water Quality Control Board, Region 7 - Colorado River Basin, Palm Desert | Regional Water Quality Control Board, Region 9 - San Diego | SWRCB, Division of Water Quality | Toxic Substances Control, Department of | Water Resources, Department of