

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: 2016081016

PROJECT NUMBER: C-06-8419-110

PROJECT TITLE: Pure Water North City Morena Blvd Pump Station Project (Project)

PROJECT LOCATION: The Project is located throughout San Diego County. Majority of the proposed Project occurs within developed land and/or along existing paved streets. A new Pure Water Facility and three pump stations would be located within the City of San Diego. Pipelines would traverse a number of local jurisdictions, including the City of San Diego; the City of Santee; the community of Lakeside and other areas in unincorporated San Diego County; and federal lands within Marine Corps Air Station Miramar. Specifically, the Miramar Reservoir Alternative is within the Poway, La Jolla, and Del Mar U.S. Geological Survey 7.5-minute quadrangle maps.

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 the construction of the North City Morena Blvd Pump Station that is designed to convey 32 million gallons per day (MGD) of wastewater to a 10.8-mile force main to convey wastewater to the North City Water Reclamation Plant. The Project will install five dual stage pumps and includes one standby pump. The new pump station also includes a screening facility, high purity oxygenation system, and large diameter piping for influent and overflows. Construction of the pump station will occur on a parcel that was purchased from the San Diego Humane Society. The parcel had infrastructure on it from the previous owner that is now demolished. Staging for the Project will be on the facility property and in the right-of-way.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING PROJECT AND CARRYING OUT PROJECT: The State Water Board has approved SRF financing for the Project described above on April 05, 2022. The City of San Diego 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 have a significant effect on the environment. The Project will not have a significant effect on water quality impacts. 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 adopted for the Project.
6. Findings were made pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15091.

LEAD AGENCY: City of San Diego

LEAD AGENCY CONTACT PERSON: Kevin Werner

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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.

Signature: _____ Date: April 06, 2022

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