Notice of Determination

Environmental Document No. 2018-76

To: ✓ Office of Planning and Research

PO Box 3044, 1400 Tenth Street, Room 222

Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

From: Lead Agency City of Visalia

> 315 E. Acequia Avenue Visalia. CA 93291

County of Tulare

County Civic Center, Rm 105

Visalia, CA 93291

Subject: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

Project Title: Department of Water Resources Recharge Basins Grant Funded Project

SCH2019011060

State Clearinghouse Number

City of Visalia

(559) 713-4359

Lead Agency

Area Code/Telephone/Extension

Project Location: Tulare County. The project sites are located at five locations (three basins, two stockpile areas) ranging from a maximum of 10 miles east of the City of Visalia, near the City of Woodlake, to the western city limits of the City of Visalia adjacent to the unincorporated community of Goshen:

Peoples Basin:

112-080-002 por. - existing basin

112-070-008 por. - stockpile Oakes Basin:

103-070-008 - existing basin

103-080-081 - existing basin

103-100-047 - existing basin

103-110-012 - existing basin

103-100-052 – basin expansion (Andrade)

103-100-051 - basin expansion (Mattos)

103-500-001 por. - pipeline

103-500-003 por. – pipeline

103-490-071 - stockpile

103-510-004 - stockpile

103-520-039 - stockpile

Goshen Basin:

073-160-001 - existing basin

073-160-034 por. - pipeline

073-190-011 por. - pipeline

073-210-004 por. - pipeline

081-060-013 por. - stockpile

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BY:

Project Description:

The project consists of the development or expansion of three basin sites within the Lower Kaweah River system area where the City of Visalia is located. The primary goals of the project are reducing flood risk for the City of Visalia through increased transitory flood storage capacity and incorporating wildlife habitat enhancement at the basin sites. The project has a secondary goal of increased groundwater recharge at the three basin sites.

	Name, Address,	and Phone	Number	of Project	Applicant/L	ead Agency:
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City of Visalia

Attn: Paul Scheibel, AICP, Environmental Coordinator

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This is to advise that the Environmental Coordinator has approved the Notice of Determination for the Mitigated Negative Declaration for the above described project on 10-1-19, and has made the following determinations regarding the above described project:

1	The project	□will ⊠will	not have a	significant	effect on	the environment.
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- 2.
 An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
 - ⊠A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
- 3. Mitigation measures (\(\subseteq \text{were } \subseteq \text{were not} \) made a condition of the approval of the project.
- 4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan (⊠was □was not) adopted for this project.
- 5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations (☐was ☐was not) adopted for this project.
- 6. Findings (⊠were □were not) made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This certifies that the final environmental document with comments, responses, and record of project approval is available to the General Public at the City of Visalia Planning Dept. located at 315 E. Acequia Ave., Visalia.

Paúl Scheibel, AICP

City of Visalia Environmental Coordinator

Date

Date received for filing at OPR: