

Summary Form for Electronic Document Submittal

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SCH #: _____

Project Title: Sonora Regional Wastewater Treatment Facility Improvements Project

Lead Agency: Tuolumne Utilities District

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Project Location: Sonora, Tuolumne County

City

County

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

The Sonora Regional Wastewater Treatment Facility (SRWWTF) Improvements Project (proposed Project) is located in the City of Sonora in Tuolumne County, California at the existing District SRWWTF. The proposed Project will provide replacement of existing polishing ponds with a new activated sludge treatment facility. A new administration and electrical building (Building A) will be constructed adjacent to the treatment facility. A new Building B will contain headworks and sludge dewatering systems. The existing digestion building will be a renovated Building C. Existing septage receiving station, headworks, primary clarifiers, trickling filters, and secondary clarifiers will be demolished as part of the project. The existing Emergency Storage Basin Pond A will be lined and reused in the proposed Project. The new facilities will be constructed in the location of the existing polishing ponds. The land area will be reclaimed by draining and filling the ponds with approximately 90,000 cubic yards of fill material to be generated onsite.

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

No significant impacts were identified for the proposed Project. The following mitigation measures were identified to reduce potentially significant impacts to a less than significant level:

Air Quality: Mitigation Measure (MM) Air 1- Dust Control Plan, MM AIR 2- Implement BMPs to Reduce Impacts on Air Quality from Construction Equipment Emissions;
 Biological Resources: MM BIO 1- Pre-Construction Environmental Awareness Training, MM BIO 2- Avoid Disturbance to Roosting Bat Species, MM BIO 3- Avoid Disturbance to Nesting Raptors and Nesting Migratory Birds;
 Cultural and Tribal Cultural Resources: MM CUL 1- Unanticipated Discovery of Cultural or Tribal Cultural Resources, MM CUL 2- Unanticipated Discovery of Human Remains;
 Geology and Soils: MM GEO 1- Sedimentation and Erosion Control Measures;
 Hazards and Hazardous Materials: MM HAZ 1- Develop or use current Spill Prevention Control Countermeasure Plan, MM HAZ 2- Fire Suppression and Control;
 Hydrology and Water Quality: MM GEO 1- Sedimentation and Erosion Control Measures, MM HAZ 1- Develop or use current Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasure Plan

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

Not applicable.

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

State Water Resources Control Board
City of Sonora