

Notice of Determination

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SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21108

State Clearinghouse Number: 2020040181

Project Title: City of Del Mar Sand Compatibility and Opportunistic Use Program (Streambed Alteration Agreement No. EPIMS-SDO-25923-R5)

Project Location (San Diego County): The project is located within the bed, channel, and bank of the San Dieguito River west of the railroad track, in the City of Del Mar, County of San Diego, County of San Diego; Latitude 32.970047, Longitude - 117.269848; Assessor's Parcel Number 299-030-09-01.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS-SDO-25923-R5, pursuant to Fish and Game Code section 1602, the project Applicant, City of Del Mar. The proposed project includes the excavation or dredging of accumulated material from the San Dieguito River within historically maintained channel areas already approved for Southern California Edison under SAA 1600-2020-0184-R5. The project will be constructed using equipment such as a dredge, excavators, trucks, booster pump, and grading equipment. Earthmoving equipment will be used to excavate sand from unvegetated areas of the channel within sand bar deposits in the channel excavation envelope. Recently accumulated sand is anticipated to be removed using an excavator and either directly placed in the bed of a rear dump truck or placed in a stockpile that a front end loader would use to scoop and place it into a dump truck. The trucks will then transport the sand to the beach placement site and place the sand.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the project described above on 7/17/2023 and has made the following determinations regarding the project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (i):

1. The project will not have a significant effect on the environment. This determination is limited to effects within CDFW's permitting jurisdiction as a Responsible Agency.
2. CDFW considered the Mitigated Negative Declaration prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
3. Mitigation measures were made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
4. A Mitigation Reporting or Monitoring Plan was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
6. Findings were not made by CDFW pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15091.

The Mitigated Negative Declaration prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency. CDFW's record of project approval as a Responsible Agency is available at CDFW's regional office.

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Signature: _____ **Date:** 7/17/2023
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 Erinn Wilson-Olgin, Environmental Program Manager

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____