

Notice of Determination

Appendix D

To:

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Public Agency: Monterey-Salinas Transit Dist.
Address: 19 Upper Ragsdale Drive, Suite 200 Monterey, CA 93940
Contact: Michelle Overmeyer
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Lead Agency (if different from above):
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SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

State Clearinghouse Number (if submitted to State Clearinghouse): 2020080199

Project Title: SURF! Busway and Bus Rapid Transit Project

Project Applicant: Monterey-Salinas Transit District

Project Location (include county): Streets and rail corridor from Marina to Sand City, Monterey County

Project Description:

6 mile long busway
See attached description and location map

This is to advise that the Monterey-Salinas Transit District has approved the above (Lead Agency or Responsible Agency)

described project on July 12, 2021 and has made the following determinations regarding the above described project.

- 1. The project will not have a significant effect on the environment.
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 were made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan was adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations was adopted for this project.
6. Findings were made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, or the negative Declaration, is available to the General Public at:

https://mst.org/about-mst/planning-development/surf/

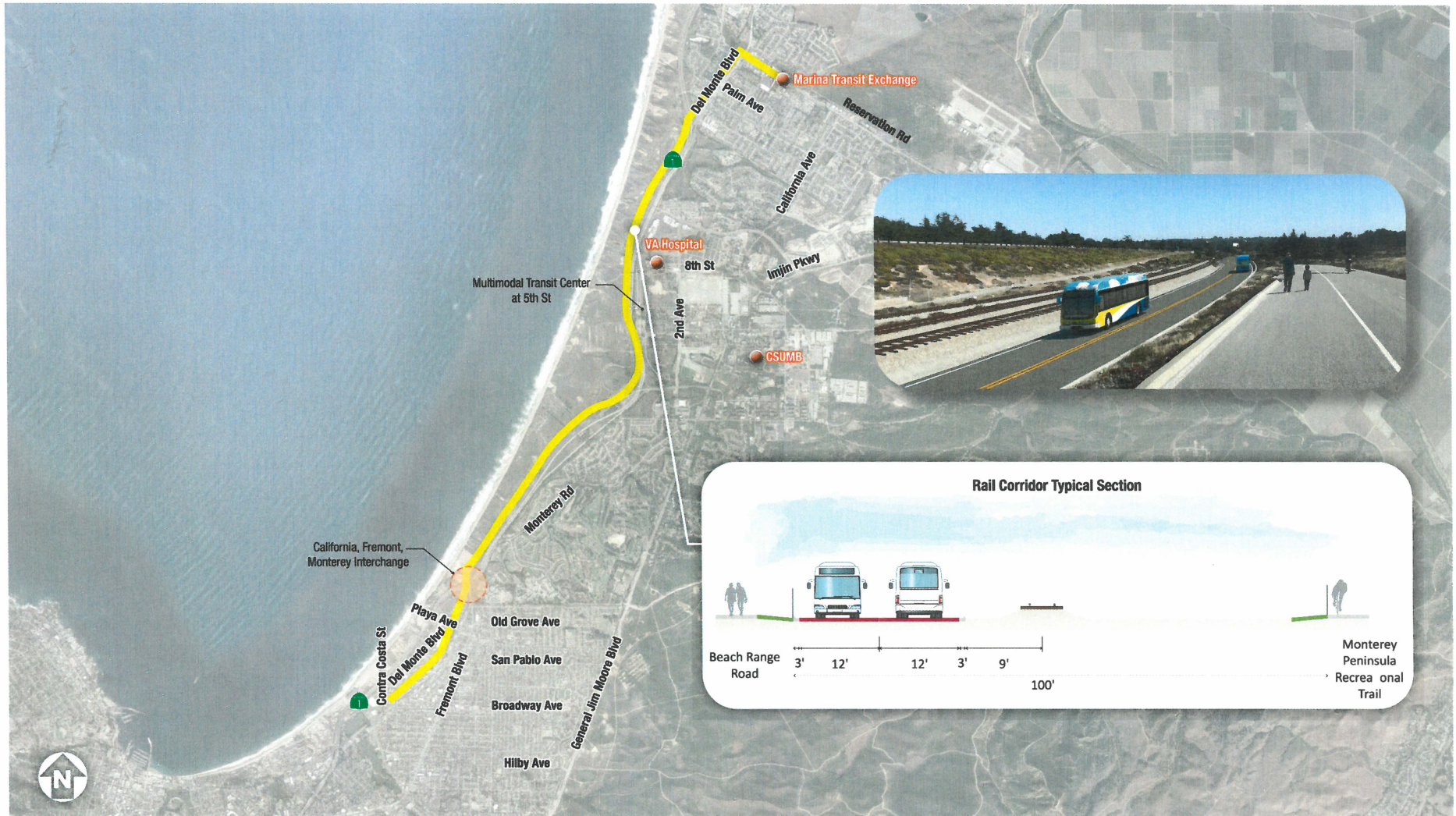
Signature (Public Agency): [Signature] Title: Director of Planning & Innovation

Date: 7-12-2021 Date Received for filing at OPR:

**SURF! Busway and Bus Rapid Transit Project
Monterey-Salinas Transit District**

Project Location:

The project is a 6-mile express busway between the cities of Marina and Sand City. The busway route uses public roadways at the north and south ends but is located primarily within the TAMC-owned railroad corridor between Marina and Sand City. The busway includes dedicated express busway lanes, platforms, a new station at 5th Street on the former Fort Ord, and related infrastructure. The project will relieve congestion and support more frequent public transit services for people traveling within the corridor and beyond.



Source: Kimley Horn, 2020

Figure 3-2: General Project Location
MST SURF! Busway and Bus Rapid Transit Project



July 12, 2021

On June 14, 2021 MST filed the original Notice of Determination for the SURF! Busway and Bus Rapid Transit Project Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND). At that time, the California Fish & Wildlife review fee was paid. The IS/MND has not changed, despite MST posting another Notice of Determination. For that reason, MST is requesting a waiver on paying a second review fee.

For questions, please contact:

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