

**PUBLIC NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY (NOA) AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A MITIGATED
NEGATIVE DECLARATION**

**King City Waste Water Treatment Plant Improvements
Initial Study / Mitigated Negative Declaration**

CITY OF KING

LEAD AGENCY: City of King, CA
DATE: April 28, 2021
APPLICANT: City of King
PROJECT NAME: King City Waste Water Treatment Plant Improvements
LOCATION: Located north of the City limits, on the east side of Highway 101
(See: *Project Location Figure*).
PUBLIC REVIEW PERIOD: April 28, 2021 – May 27, 2021
**PLANNING COMMISSION HEARING
DATE:** June 15, 2021

INTRODUCTION

An Initial Study / Mitigated Negative Declaration ("**MND**") has been prepared in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act ("**CEQA**") of 1970 and its applicable Guidelines, as amended. It is an informational document prepared to inform the decision-makers and the general public of the potential environmental effects associated with the proposed project improvements of the King City Waste Water Treatment Plant.

The City of King will use the MND in its decision-making process on the proposed project. The conclusion of the MND is that the proposed project would not generate any significant direct or primary physical impacts on the environment.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION AND LOCATION

The proposed improvements will result in the construction of a new wastewater treatment facility intended to comply with new discharge requirements, produce unrestricted re-use quality recycled water and provide adequate treatment capacity for the next 20 years. Project construction will involve: 1) the construction of new wastewater treatment facilities which will provide 1.3 million gallons per day (mgd) of secondary treatment capacity after completion of Phase I of construction with an ultimate total facility capacity of 2.0 mgd. Current permitted capacity of the treatment plant is 1.2 mpd. As such, Phase I represents an increase of 0.1 mgd (or 100,000 gallons per day) of total facility capacity; 2) provision of tertiary treatment facilities which will produce recycled water for agricultural and landscape irrigation; 3) construction of a recycled water distribution system utilizing existing and future pipelines along San Antonio Drive with one branch along Spreckles Road and the second branch leading to the northeast industrial area of the City and 4) provision of effluent disposal facilities.

Project Location

The WWTP is located north of the City limits, on the east side of Highway 101.

DOCUMENT AVAILABILITY AND REVIEWING LOCATIONS:

The Initial Study / Mitigated Negative Declaration is available for public review on the City of King's website: www.kingcity.com.

Hard copies of the document are available for public review on **April 28, 2021** at the following location:

City Hall
Public Counter
212 So. Vanderhurst Ave.
King City, CA. 93930
Phone: (831) 385-3281
Mon –Fri: 9 AM to 5 PM

All documents referenced in the Initial Study / MND are also available on the city website www.kingcity.com.

If you would like an electronic copy please submit your request to the following email address: maguilar@kingcity.com .

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD:

The Initial Study / MND is being circulated for public review and comment for a 30-day period starting on **April 28, 2021** and ending on **May 27, 2021**. Comments are due no later than **May 27, 2021 at 5:00 PM** at the address noted below. Pursuant to State law, comments received after that date may not be considered. All comments must be in writing or via e-mail and should be directed to:

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