

Summary Form for Electronic Document Submittal

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SCH #: _____
Greater Los Angeles Area Council of Boy Scouts of America Trask Scout Reservation Water System Rehabilitation and Enhancement Project

Project Title: _____
City of Monrovia

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Project Location: _____
City County

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

The Greater Los Angeles Area Council of Boy Scouts of America (GLAAC-BSA or BSA) operates the Trask Scout Reservation (Trask), which is located in the City of Monrovia, within the Sawpit Canyons in the foothills south of the San Gabriel Mountains. On April 25, 2017, Trask was notified by the State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Drinking Water (DDW) to stop production of potable water until improvements have been made to meet DDW treatment regulations and standards. As such, the GLAAC-BSA proposes to rehabilitate the surface water treatment system to satisfy the current treatment regulations and standards, and to enhance the existing water distribution system at Trask.

The proposed Water System Rehabilitation and Enhancement Project would:

- repair the existing raw water collector and inlet structure, restore Sawpit Creek,
- grade the pad for and install a pre-made WTP unit,
- remove/abandon existing appurtenances that would interfere with the new facilities,
- install a prefabricated storage shed to house the new WTP,
- install a new booster pump within the existing clear well / pump house,
- install a new backup generator,
- remove the existing reservoir and install two new 50,000 gallon steel reservoirs, and
- install fire hydrants, water fountains, trail restoration, and upgrades to the electrical system

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

Mitigation is required to minimize impacts under Air Quality (reduction of exhaust emissions, minimizing fugitive dust impacts); Biological Resources (minimizing impacts to nesting birds, LVBI, and preparation and submittal of RWQCB 401 Certification, USACE 404 Permit, CDFW FCG 1602 LSA to protect jurisdictional waters); Cultural Resources (minimizing impacts to any unknown buried cultural resources); Energy (ensure equipment during construction is turned off when not in use); Geology and Soils (protection of foundations for water storage reservoirs, prevent soil erosion/instability, ensure paleontological resources are protected upon any accidental discovery); Hazards and Hazardous Materials (remediation in the event of accidental spills); Hydrology and Water Quality (reduce stormwater runoff impacts; drainage management); Transportation (prepare a construction traffic control plan); Tribal Cultural Resources (Implement monitoring and treatment plan, comply with Gabrieleno recommendations to protect tribal resources known to occur in the project area); and, Wildfire (ensure that the construction crew has fire prevention equipment accessible at all times to put out any accidental fires)

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.

The proposed WTP for Trask must adhere to the various water treatment regulations set forth by State and Federal agencies. These regulations include:

Safe Drinking Water Act

Surface Water Treatment Rule & Enhanced Surface Water Treatment Rule

Disinfection Byproduct Rule

The project will require silt removal from within Sawpit Creek. As such, any proposed permanent or temporary impacts to Sawpit Creek will likely require a Streambed Alteration Agreement from the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW), and Clean Water Act (CWA) Sections 401/404 permits from the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board (RWQCB) and United State Army Corps of Engineers (USACE), respectively.

The project will require grading and building permits from the City of Monrovia. However, the project does not require a General Construction National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit or a Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) because the project is less than one acre in size. No other permits are known to be required.

The City/GLAAC-BSA will circulate the Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration at the State Clearinghouse during a 30-day public review period. GLAAC-BSA must also update their permit with the USFS to operate Trask on the portion of the camp that lies on USFS owned land.