



NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Chino is considering a recommendation that the project herein identified will have no significant environmental impact in compliance with Section 15070 of the State CEQA guidelines. A copy of the **MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION** and the **ENVIRONMENTAL CHECKLIST**, which supports the proposed findings, are on file at the City of Chino.

Project Title: Well 11 Pipeline Alignment Project

State Clearinghouse Number: To be assigned

Project Applicant: City of Chino Public Works Department

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Project Location: The subject Well 11 is located in San Bernardino County in the City of Chino, west of San Antonio Avenue and south of the State Route (SR) 60 Freeway. The pipeline alignment is generally from the Well 11 site, east to San Antonio Avenue, south on San Antonio Avenue to Walnut Avenue, west on Walnut Avenue to Cypress Avenue, south on Cypress Avenue to Chino Avenue to tie into an existing pipeline at the intersection of Chino Avenue/Cypress Avenue which continues to the Eastside Water Treatment Facility (EWTF) located at 7537 Schaefer Avenue, Ontario, CA. The Project is located within existing public right-of-way and is surrounded on all sides by low-density residential land uses. The Project site is not included on any list of hazardous materials sites compiled pursuant to Government Code Section 65962.5.

Project Description: The City proposes installation of a new 16-inch raw water transmission pipeline which would convey groundwater from the City's Well 11 to the City's EWTF to remove 1,2,3 trichloropropane (TCP) and nitrate from the groundwater. The new pipeline would tie into an existing 18-inch raw water transmission pipeline on Chino Avenue. The existing 18-inch pipe would further convey the raw water to the EWTF for treatment. Project construction would consist of excavation, backfill, pipeline installation, and repaving. The pipeline would be installed a minimum of 48-inches below ground level. Streets affected by construction would be repaired and repainted.

Information Available: The **INITIAL STUDY/MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION** for the Project and supporting environmental documentation is also available on the City's website at <http://cityofchino.org/government-services/community-development/environmental-documents>.

Comments on the Mitigated Negative Declaration: The City of Chino requests your written comments on the Mitigated Negative Declaration during a **30-day review period** which begins **Saturday, December 4, 2021**, and ends **Tuesday, January 4, 2022**. Please direct your comments or questions to Natalie Ávila, Associate Engineer, 13220 Central Avenue, Chino, California 91710 or navila@cityofchino.org.

Notice Date: December 4, 2021

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