



Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

California Environmental Quality Act Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21008 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code

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From: California Regional Water Quality Control Board
Central Valley Region, Redding Office
364 Knollcrest Drive, Suite 205
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Date: 29 May 2024

State Clearinghouse Number:
2022020646

Project Title:
Sky View Water District Water Distribution System Project (Project) (5A52CR00237)

Project Location - Specific:
The Project area is located within and adjacent to the the Ponderosa Sky Ranch subdivision in Paynes Creek, CA. The Project coordinates are as follows:
Latitude: 40.344575° and Longitude: -121.758892°.

Project Location - County:
Tehama County

Name of Applicant:
Timothy Taylor
Sky View County Water District
33731 Ponderosa Way
Paynes Creek, CA 96075

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:
The purpose of the proposed project is to replace aging infrastructure, increase water storage, improve fire flows, reduce operational and maintenance costs, improve access for maintenance, and ensure a safe and reliable potable water supply for customers in the District's water service area. Impacts from the project are associated with the construction of a raw water transmission main crossing two ephemeral streams and

constructed ditches within the project boundaries resulting in 0.04 acre of temporary impacts.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project:

This is to advise that the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board, as a Responsible Agency, has approved the above-described project on 23 May 2024 and has made the following determinations regarding the above described project:

1. The Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board considered the Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration as prepared by the Sky View County Water District.
2. The Project will not have a significant effect on the environment.
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 not adopted for this project.
6. Findings were made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

The Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration is available to the general public at: 33731 Ponderosa Way, Paynes Creek, CA 96075.

The record of project approval is available to the general public at: [Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board's Adopted Orders Web page](https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/adopted_orders/401_wq_certs/) (https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/adopted_orders/401_wq_certs/).

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