



**NOTICE OF INTENT  
TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION**

In accordance with Section 15072 of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines, this notice is to inform the general public that Reclamation District No. 2028 has completed an Initial Study and Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND) for the Bacon Island Levee Rehabilitation Project (SCH #2022030744) and intends to adopt the Mitigated Negative Declaration for the project:

**Project Title:** The Bacon Island Levee Rehabilitation Project

**Project Location:** Bacon Island, San Joaquin County

**Project Description:** Reclamation District No. 2028 plans to rehabilitate the north and south sides of Bacon Island's levee system (Connection Slough and Santa Fe Cut), approximately 3.5 miles in length total, to sustainably achieve the minimum requirements of Bulletin 192-82 standard. Levee rehabilitation consists of widening and raising the levee crest, armoring the raised portion of the levee crest, flattening the landside levee slope, and placing an all-weather surface on the finished levee crest. Soil fill material may be sourced from within Bacon Island (on-site borrow) or as import from regional off-site commercial locations. Existing levee encroachments or penetrations such as siphon pipes, drain pipes, and unused structures or remnants of structures may be removed or relocated to facilitate the levee rehabilitation.

**Findings:** Reclamation District No. 2028 has determined that the Project, including mitigation measures included in the Project design, will not have significant effects on the environment.

**Comment Period:** March 30, 2022 to April 28, 2022

**Lead Agency:** Reclamation District No. 2028

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The IS/MND is available in PDF upon request and for public viewing at the following location:

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Please submit any comments on the IS/MND to Brian Janowiak at the MBK Engineers' address listed above before 5:00 p.m. on April 28, 2022.