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STATE CLEARINGHOUSE

MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION FOR TENTATIVE PARCEL MAP
(TPM21-0008 – DAVID WOODS) – DATED MARCH 3, 2022
(STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER: 2022030174)

Dear Mr. Michelena:

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) received a Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) for the Tentative Parcel Map (TPM21-0008 – David Woods (Project)). The Lead Agency is receiving this notice from DTSC because the Project includes work on or in close proximity to an agricultural or former agricultural site.

DTSC recommends that the following issue be evaluated in the Hazards and Hazardous Materials section of the MND:

1. If any sites included as part of the proposed project have been used for agricultural, weed abatement or related activities, proper investigation for organochlorinated pesticides should be discussed in the MND. DTSC recommends the current and former agricultural lands be evaluated in accordance with DTSC's 2008 [Interim Guidance for Sampling Agricultural Properties \(Third Revision\)](#).

DTSC appreciates the opportunity to comment on the MND. Should you need any assistance with an environmental investigation, please visit DTSC's [Site Mitigation and Restoration Program](#) page to apply for lead agency oversight. Additional information regarding voluntary agreements with DTSC can be found at [DTSC's Brownfield website](#).

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If you have any questions, please contact me at (916) 255-3710 or via email at Gavin.McCreary@dtsc.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Gavin McCreary". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Gavin" being more prominent than the last name "McCreary".

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