

Notice of Determination

Appendix D

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From:

Public Agency: Silicon Valley Power
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SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

State Clearinghouse Number (if submitted to State Clearinghouse): 2023040719

Project Title: Kifer Receiving Station Battery Energy Storage System Project

Project Applicant: City of Santa Clara, Silicon Valley Power

Project Location (include county): City of Santa Clara, Santa Clara County

Project Description:

SVP is proposing to construct and operate a 50-megawatt (MW) BESS, with a four-hour duration, which would be interconnected to SVP's Kenneth (KEN) Substation, via a new SVP-owned 60 kilovolt (kV) interconnection to the existing KEN-OKJ 60 kV line. Construction is estimated to take approximately 16 months, and begin in December 2023.

This is to advise that the City of Santa Clara has approved the above (Lead Agency or Responsible Agency)

described project on August 29, 2023 and has made the following determinations regarding the above described project.

- 1. The project will not have a significant effect on the environment.
2. A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
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 adopted for this project.
6. Findings were made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, or the negative Declaration, is available to the General Public at: https://www.santaclaraca.gov/our-city/departments-a-f/community-development/planning-division/envirc

Signature (Public Agency): Paulo Apolinario Title: Project Manager

Date: August 30, 2023 Date Received for filing at OPR: