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SCH #: _____

Project Title: Water Right Application A029381 of Treasury Wine Estates

Lead Agency: California State Water Resources Control Board: Division of Water Rights

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Project Location: near the city of Calistoga (*City*) Sonoma (*County*)

Project Description (Proposed actions, location, and/or consequences).

Application A029381 requests a permit for the diversion to storage of up to 30 acre-feet of water from Redwood Creek, tributary to Maacama Creek thence the Russian River, in Sonoma County. The point of diversion is a Ranney-type collector beneath the invert of Redwood Creek and the place of storage is an offstream reservoir. The requested purposes of use for water are irrigation and frost protection of 479 acres of vineyard. The proposed season of diversion is from December 15 of each year to March 31 of the succeeding year.

Identify the project's significant or potentially significant effects and briefly describe any proposed mitigation measures that would reduce or avoid that effect.

Application A029381 may have significant or potentially significant effects on the following environmental factors: biological resources, cultural resources, geology and soils, hydrology and water quality, and tribal cultural resources. Proposed mitigation measures that would reduce or avoid potential effects are as follows: (1) implementation of a minimum and maximum bypass flow during the diversion season to protect flows needed for fish, to protect the natural hydrograph, to prevent a significant cumulative reduction in the water supply downstream of the diversion, and to prevent a significant reduction in water supply, either on an annual or seasonal basis, to senior water right holders downstream of the diversion; (2) maintenance of setbacks around the Applicant's reservoir and the streams within the project site to protect habitat for special-status species, to protect riparian habitat, and to minimize substantial soil erosion or the loss of topsoil; (3) implementation of a non-native species eradication plan to reduce impacts to special-status species; (4) installation and maintenance of a fish screen at the point of diversion to protect special-status fish species; (5) protection measures for archaeological materials and human remains that could be uncovered as a result of project activities; and (6) compliance with all necessary permits or other approvals required by other agencies.

If applicable, describe any of the project's areas of controversy known to the Lead Agency, including issues raised by agencies and the public.

There are no pending protests on Application A029381.

Provide a list of the responsible or trustee agencies for the project.

-U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS)
-National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS)
-California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW)
-County of Sonoma
-North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board (RWQCB)
-U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE)