



PUBLIC NOTICE
INTENT TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION
CITY OF SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA

Project Name: San José Family Camp Storm Damage Repair Project

City File Nos.: PP19-050, ER21-268

Description: The City of San José is proposing to repair San José Family Camp facilities that were damaged during storm events in February 2017. Excessive rains and high velocity flows in the Middle Fork of the Tuolumne River, as well as abundant debris lodged in the river channel, caused the river to overflow its banks and damage camp facilities. Facilities that were damaged include the Family Camp seasonal pool area's north and south side rock retaining walls as well as the concrete retaining wall adjacent to the Family Camp play area, which are all located within and along the banks of the Tuolumne River; the adjacent play area fort structure located outside of the river bank; and the shallow pool play area (including the associated shallow play area steps) located within a shallow section of the Tuolumne River along the north side retaining wall. The City is planning to repair and replace these facilities as part of the Proposed Project. In addition, the City would update these facilities to be ADA compliant.

Location: 11401 Cherry Lake Road, Groveland, California 95321

Assessor's Parcel No.: 068-130-012

Applicant Contact Information: Katherine Brown, Interim Assistant Director of Public Works, 200 East Santa Clara Street, 5th Floor, San José, CA 95113

The City has performed an environmental review of the project. The environmental review examines the nature and extent of any adverse effects on the environment that could occur if the project is approved and implemented. Based on the review, the City has prepared a Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) for this project. An MND is a statement by the City that the project will not have a significant effect on the environment because the project will include mitigation measures that will reduce identified project impacts to a less than significant level. The project site is not present on any list compiled pursuant to Section 65962.5 of the California Government Code.

The public is welcome to review and comment on the Draft MND. The public comment period for this Draft MND begins on **Friday, September 29, 2023, and ends on Monday, October 30, 2023**. The Draft MND, Initial Study, and reference documents are available online at: [Environmental Review Documents | City of San José \(sanjoseca.gov\)](https://www.sanjoseca.gov/environmental-review-documents).

The documents are also available for review with an appointment during normal business hours at the City of San Jose Department of Planning, Building and Code Enforcement, located at City Hall, 200 East Santa Clara Street, 3rd Floor (Tower); or during normal business hours at Groveland Branch Library located at 18990 CA-120, Groveland, CA 95321. Please contact Tina Garg at (408) 535-7895, or by e-mail at tina.garg@sanjoseca.gov for an appointment request or additional questions, comments, or concerns.

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September 25, 2023

Date

Tina Garg

Deputy