



NOTICE OF INTENT
TO ADOPT AN INITIAL STUDY/MITIGATED NEGATIVE
DECLARATION (SCH. No. 2023100105)

In accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the City of Livermore is the Lead Agency and has prepared a draft Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration for the below-mentioned project. The purpose of this Notice of Intent (NOI) is to solicit comments on the environmental analysis contained in the draft Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND). Pursuant to Section 15073.5 and 15072 of the State CEQA Guidelines and in consideration of additional information regarding details related to the project description and updated design information, the City has elected to revise the previously circulated IS/MND in its entirety and recirculate the entire IS/MND for public comment.

Project Description

A revised and recirculated IS/MND has been prepared for the Springtown Trunkline Sewer Replacement Project (proposed project). The proposed project includes approximately 1.5 lineal acres of sewer pipeline located primarily within undeveloped grazing land north of Interstate 580 (I-580) and Las Colinas Road and extending northeast to Redwood Road. An existing 33-inch diameter gravity underground sewer pipeline traverses the project site and is located in a 20-foot public utility easement that crosses the Arroyo Seco drainage, just east of the confluence of the Arroyo Seco and Arroyo Las Positas drainages. The project site is not located on the Cortese list of hazardous sites.

The existing sewer pipeline is oversized, resulting in inefficient operation and requiring high levels of maintenance. The proposed project would include abandoning the existing 33-inch diameter gravity sewer pipeline and installing a new 24-inch diameter gravity sewer pipeline east of the current alignment. Ground disturbance would occur along the entire proposed alignment, approximately 2,990 lineal feet, and within the City of Livermore's 20-foot-wide sewer easement as well as within additional areas for staging and access. All disturbed areas along the proposed project's alignment would be backfilled and restored to existing conditions upon project completion.

- Location: Las Colinas Road and extending northeast to Redwood Road
- Project Site Area: 1.5 lineal acres
- Zoning: Open Space (OS-A)
- General Plan: Limited Agriculture (LDAG)
- Historic Status: None
- Public Improvements: New 24-inch diameter gravity sewer pipeline extending approximately 3,800 lineal feet.
- CEQA: An Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration prepared under the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) will be considered.
- Project Planner: Andy Ross, Economic Development Director

There is a 30-day review period for the Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration referenced above, beginning on October 11, 2023, and ending on November 9, 2023.

Please submit written comments to:

City of Livermore

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Copies of the environmental document and vicinity maps are available for review at the City of Livermore Planning Division, 1052 South Livermore Avenue, Livermore, CA 94550. The environmental document is also available for review at the Livermore Public Library, 1188 South Livermore Avenue, Livermore, CA 94550, and on the City's website: <https://www.livermoreca.gov/departments/community-development/planning/environmental-documents>

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