MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE LINDSAY-STRATHMORE IRRIGATION DISTRICT

COUNTY CLERK COUNTY OF TULARE

The project hereafter described will, in our evaluation, have no significant effect on the environment and does not, therefore, require the filing of an Environmental Impact Report.

> Board of Directors Lindsay-Strathmore Irrigation District

By: Craig Wallace, General Manager

Dated: 2/14/24

Project Location:

See Figure 1, attached.

Brief description of project:

Tonyville Water Distribution System Rehabilitation and Reliability Project

The Project consists of the installation of approximately 5,700 linear feet of 8-inch diameter water pipeline, water services, fire hydrants and water pipeline appurtenances to replace the existing water distribution system in the unincorporated community of Tonyville. The Project also includes an emergency standby engine generator to be installed at the District's surface water treatment plant that serves the water system.

Reason(s) for mitigated negative declaration finding:

The Project will result in no adverse long-term environmental impacts. Short-term construction related potential impacts will be mitigated to a less than significant level by use of construction specifications requiring defined mitigation measures.

Initial study prepared by:

Dennis R. Keller, Consulting Civil Engineer for Lindsay-Strathmore Irrigation District

Initial study available at:

Lindsay-Strathmore Irrigation District 23260 Round Valley Drive Lindsay, CA 93247

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