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## RESPONSES TO COMMENTS RECEIVED

One comment was received via email during the public review period.

Comment 1, by Dr. Erik Frost of the California Geological Survey:

1. Seismic Hazards

The MND states the project site is not located within a landslide hazard area, according to the City of Fremont General Plan. However, the PDF map of landslide hazard zones in the City's general plan does not appear to provide adequate resolution to support this conclusion. The Alameda County Water District should review landslide hazard zones as depicted in CGS's interactive earthquake zone of required investigation application, and reassess whether a landslide hazard zone intersects the project area:

<https://maps.conservation.ca.gov/cgs/EQZApp/app/>

Response:

Following reassessment, the District has determined that the east side of the perimeter road adjacent to the reservoir is located within a landslide hazard area identified by the California Geological Survey in 2004. The reservoir itself is not within a landslide hazard area. The Project design will reflect this by not permitting the long-term staging of materials or parking of vehicles within the landslide hazard area. With this design feature in place, the IS/MND's determination of a less-than-significant impact due to Landslides in Section 4.2.7: Geology and Soils remains unaltered.