

Summary Form for Electronic Document Submittal

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SCH #: _____

Project Title: Collins Island Bridge Replacement Project

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Project Location: Newport Beach
City

Orange
County

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

The proposed project has three major components: 1) bridge replacement, 2) seawall improvements, and 3) future pump station accommodations. The proposed bridge would be designed to be a total of 20 feet and 6 inches in width to accommodate one vehicle travel lane, one sidewalk, and concrete barriers on each side to provide protection from projected sea level rise. The slope profile along the roadway and sidewalk bridge approaches would be adjusted to comply with ADA standards. Street, sidewalk, and landscaping improvements are also proposed on the Balboa Island side along the Bay Front sidewalk and Park Avenue. The proposed seawall improvements would be designed to have an increased top of wall coping elevation to mitigate sea level rise impacts. The City is currently in the process of designing a new storm water pump station on Park Avenue near the Collins Island Bridge as part of a separate project. Therefore, future pump station accommodations are also proposed to accommodate this separate project. Discretionary approvals include: Coastal Development Permit (City and California Coastal Commission), Section 10 and Section 404 (US Army Corps of Engineers), Section 401 and Construction General Permit (Santa Ana Regional Water Quality Control Board).

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

Environmental topical areas identified to have potentially significant impacts include: Biological Resources, Cultural Resources, Geology and Soils, Hazards and Hazardous Materials, Noise, Public Services, and Transportation. However, implementation of Mitigation Measures BIO-1 through BIO-3, CUL-1, GEO-1 and GEO-2, NOI-1, and TRA-1 would reduce potentially significant impacts to less than significant levels. No significant and unavoidable impacts would occur with project development.

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

None.

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

California Coastal Commission
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Santa Ana Regional Water Quality Control Board