

Cross Streets:5th Street

Buena Vista Court

Rogers Court

4th Street3rd Street2nd Street

California Street

Bryant Street

Section/Township/Range:

Sec: 13 and 14 Twp: 2S Range: 2W

Schools:

Mesa Grande Academy Children's Center

Calimesa Elementary School

Project Description:

San Gorgonio Pass Water Agency (SGPWA) proposes to construct the County Line Road Recharge Basin and Turnout Project (Project). The Project is a collaborative effort between SGPWA as California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Lead Agency and San Bernardino Valley Municipal Water District (San Bernardino Valley) as Responsible Agency, to provide imported water to communities located within the Cities of Calimesa and Yucaipa, and the communities served by South Mesa Water Company.

The Project involves construction of a groundwater recharge basin south of County Line Road and west of 4th Street plus an additional approximately 956 linear feet of new pipeline along 4th Street to connect the recharge basin to the existing pipeline within County Line Road. The recharge basin will have a maximum excavation depth of 25-feet and 2.6-acres of infiltrating capacity on a 7-acre vacant site owned by SGPWA. A scientific groundwater monitoring well may be constructed adjacent to the recharge basin to a depth of up to 1,000 feet. The Project also includes an elevation control basin adjacent to the recharge basin in the event of the recharge basin overflowing. The elevation control basin has a surface area of 0.25-acre and storage capacity of 1.7 acre-feet. The Project will relocate an existing potable water pipeline from where it currently bisects the recharge basin property to the westerly property line. Buena Vista Court will also be repaved and improved with raised curbs and crown for a distance of approximately 600-feet. A Turnout Agreement between San Bernardino Valley and California Department of Water Resources, and an Operations Agreement between SGPWA and San Bernardino Valley are also part of the Project. Lastly, the Project also involves construction of a new turnout to connect the existing pipeline within County Line Road to the existing pipeline within Bryant Street (approximately 160 linear feet). The Project is depicted on the attached portions of the Yucaipa, California 7.5-minute U.S. Geological Survey quadrangle map.

Present Land Use/Zoning/General Plan Designation:

Project Component	Calimesa General Plan Land Use	Yucaipa General Plan Land Use
Turnout Facility at EBX Pipeline	RR – Residential Rural RES-LO – Residential Low	RS-10M – Multiple Residential
County Line Road Pipeline	RES-LM – Residential Low Medium RES-LO – Residential Low CN – Commercial Neighborhood CC – Commercial Community	CG – General Commercial RS-10M – Single Residential RM- 10M – Multiple Residential
4th Street Pipeline	CC – Commercial Community RES-LM – Residential Low Medium	RM- 10M – Multiple Residential
Recharge Basin and Elevation Control Basin	RES-LM – Residential Low Medium	N/A
Buena Vista Court Improvements	RES-LM – Residential Low Medium	N/A