

Notice of Availability of and Intent to Adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration

Date: August 21, 2024
Project Title Delta Diablo Secondary Process Improvements Project
Zoning Industrial/Light Industrial
Block/Lot: 2500 Pittsburg-Antioch Highway, Antioch
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This notice is to inform you of the availability of the environmental review document concerning the proposed project as described below. The document is a Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) containing information about the possible environmental effects of the proposed project. The preliminary Mitigated Negative Declaration documents the determination of the Delta Diablo (District) that the proposed project could not have a significant adverse effect on the environment. Preparation of a Mitigated Negative Declaration does not indicate a decision by the District to carry out or not to carry out the proposed project.

Project Description: The Secondary Process Improvements Project would include a new secondary clarifier, new aeration basin, new 42-inch air header, new return activated sludge pump station, improvements to the primary influent pump station and blower building, secondary clarifier splitter box, and pipelines. All construction activity would be conducted within the existing boundary of the Delta Diablo Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP); a vacant parcel owned by the District near the entrance to the WWTP would be used for staging, stockpiling of materials, and construction office trailers and parking. The site of the proposed project is not included on any lists of hazardous waste sites. The analysis assumes that all improvements would be constructed as a single project, however, the District may elect to strategically phase construction activities.

The project site is not on any lists enumerated under Section 65962.5 of the government code as a hazardous waste site.

If you would like a copy of the preliminary Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) or have questions concerning environmental review of the proposed project, contact the District staff contact listed above. The document is available at the District offices at 2500 Pittsburg-Antioch Highway, Antioch, CA 94509. The draft document is also available for download at:

<https://www.deltadiablo.org/key-capital-projects>

The review period of the proposed MND begins on August 21, 2024, and ends on September 20, 2024. Please send comments on the MND to Sean Williams at the address above. Delta Diablo will consider adoption of the MND and approval of the project at its special board meeting on November 6, 2024.