

Summary Form for Electronic Document Submittal

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SCH #: _____

Project Title: Lost Canyon 2A and Sand Canyon Groundwater Treatment Improvements Project

Lead Agency: Santa Clarita Valley Water Agency (SCV Water)

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Project Location: Santa Clarita Los Angeles County

City

County

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

The project involves construction of a centralized per- and polyfluoroalkyl (PFAS) groundwater treatment facility, improvements to the existing Sand Canyon and Lost Canyon 2A wells, replacement of an approximately 1,700 feet of 14-inch pipeline along Lost Canyon Road, decommissioning of the existing Mitchell 5B and Lost Canyon 2 wells, and various site improvements including electrical, piping, and access upgrades. The project would restore the use of the Lost Canyon 2A and Sand Canyon wells and would reduce SCV Water's dependency on imported water. Construction would occur between approximately May 2026 and May 2028. The groundwater treatment and disinfection facility would operate 24 hours per day, 365 days per year. Maintenance activities would include daily maintenance staff visits, weekly chemical deliveries, and resin media replacement approximately every 9 to 12 months.

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

The project would result in potentially significant effects to biological resources, cultural resources, hazards and hazardous materials, hydrology and water quality, noise, transportation, tribal cultural resources, and wildfire. However, implementation of the following mitigation measures was determined in the IS-MND to reduce these project effects to less-than-significant levels:

- BIO-1 (Worker Environmental Awareness Program)
- BIO-2 (Construction Site Best Management Practices)
- BIO-3 (Pre-Activity Surveys)
- BIO-4 (Nesting Bird Surveys)
- BIO-5 (Restoration and Revegetation for Temporary Impacts to Jurisdictional Waters)
- BIO-6 (Compensatory Mitigation for Permanent Impacts to Jurisdictional Waters)
- CR-1 (Unexpected Discovery of Archaeological Resources)
- HAZ-1 (Traffic Control Plan)
- HAZ-2 (Fire Hazards Measures)
- HYD-1 (Hazardous Materials Management and Spill Control Plan)
- NOI-1 (Nighttime Construction Noise Reduction Measures)
- TRA-1 (Transportation Congestion Conflict Reduction Measures)
- TCR -1 (Native American Monitoring)

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

No areas of controversy are known to SCV Water at the time.

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

- City of Santa Clarita
- State Water Resources Control Board
- California Occupational Safety and Health Administration