

**Notice of Determination****- 1 -**

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**SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21108**

**State Clearinghouse Number:** 2019011019

**Project Title:** Summer Flow Augmentation of Malibu Creek Project  
(Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. LAN-21764-R5)

**Project Location:** The Project is located at Malibu Creek, in the County of Los Angeles, State of California; Latitude 34.08095, Longitude -118.704108; located in the Santa Monica Mountains in an unincorporated portion of southwestern Los Angeles County adjacent to and crossing Malibu Creek at its intersection with Malibu Canyon Road, just south of Piuma Road; Assessors Parcel Number 4462-032-901.

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed a Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number LAN-21764-R5, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, Las Virgenes Municipal Water District. The Project is limited to extension of an existing potable water pipeline across Malibu Creek. The extension will begin from an existing pipeline at intersection of Las Virgenes Road and Piuma Road. Along Malibu Canyon Road to the north of Malibu Creek the extension will be installed along Malibu Canyon Road via an open trench within the footprint of the west lane. At the bridge crossing Malibu Creek, the pipeline will be mounted using pipe hangers on the underside of the bridge. South of the bridge crossing the pipe will be installed via an open trench within the footprint of the west lane.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the above-described project on 12/6/2021 and has made the following determinations regarding the project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (i):

1. The project  will /  will not have a significant effect on the environment. This determination is limited to effects within CDFW's permitting jurisdiction as a Responsible Agency.
2. CDFW considered the environmental impact report prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
3. Mitigation measures  were /  were not made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan  was /  was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
5. A statement of overriding considerations  was /  was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
6. Findings  were /  were not made by CDFW pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15091.

The  mitigated negative declaration /  negative declaration prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency. CDFW's record of project approval as Responsible Agency is available at CDFW's regional office.

**Signature** 

**Date:** 12/6/2021

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