

NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

TO:

Governor's Office of Planning and Research
State Clearinghouse
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FROM:

State Water Resources Control Board
Division of Financial Assistance
1001 I Street 16th Floor
Sacramento, CA 95814

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER: 2015062037

PROJECT NUMBER: 8483-110

DOCUMENT TITLE: Sunnyvale Water Pollution Control Plant Secondary Treatment and Dewatering Facilities Project (Project)

PROJECT LOCATION: The Project is located at the Water Pollution Control Plant (WPCP), 1444 Borregas Avenue in Sunnyvale, Santa Clara County, California.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) is a Responsible Agency for the Project. The State Water Board's Clean Water State Revolving Fund (SRF) Program is financing the Project referred to internally as Secondary Treatment and Dewatering Facilities. The Project will replace the City's current secondary treatment process at the WPCP with new conventional activated sludge facilities and will include a thickening and dewatering facility, maintenance building, support facilities, and a flood wall. The new secondary treatment and dewatering facilities would operate in parallel with the existing secondary treatment facilities for about ten years until full replacement on the secondary treatment process is completed.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING PROJECT AND CARRYING OUT PROJECT: The State Water Board has approved SRF financing for the Project described above on November 16, 2022. The City of Sunnyvale will be carrying out the Project. The State Water Board has made the following California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) determinations regarding the Project:

1. The Project will have a significant effect on the environment. The Project will not have a significant effect on water quality impacts. This determination is limited to effects on water quality under the State Water Board's jurisdiction as a Responsible Agency.
2. A Environmental Impact Report was prepared and certified for the Project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

3. Mitigation measures were made a condition of approval of the Project.
4. A mitigation monitoring and reporting plan/program was adopted for the Project.
5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations was adopted for the Project.
6. Findings were made pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15091.

LEAD AGENCY: City of Sunnyvale

LEAD AGENCY CONTACT PERSON: Jennifer Ng

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Records of the financing approval for the Project is available to the general public at the State Water Board, Division of Financial Assistance at 1001 I Street, 16th Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814. The Environmental Impact Report is available from the Lead Agency.

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