## **Notice of Determination**

To: From:

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SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

State Clearinghouse Number: (if submitted to State Clearinghouse): 1999041035

Project Title: Prima Deshecha Landfill Zone 4 Expansion Project

Project Applicant: Orange County Waste & Recycling

Project Location (include county): Prima Deshecha Cañada and four unnamed tributaries to Prima Deshecha Cañada, within Prima Deshecha Landfill, Zone 4, in the County of Orange.

## **Project Description:**

CDFW is intending to execute a Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code (#1600-2016-0102-R5) to the project applicant, Orange County Waste & Recycling. The project proposes to impact 6.44 acres of streambed/lake, including 61 western sycamore trees, 5.53 acres of stream rehabilitation, and 14.68 acres of riparian buffer enhancement. Preservation of 920 existing sycamore trees will occur within the 51.06-acre Trabuco Creek Long Term Protection and Management Plan Area.

This is to advise that the CDFW acting as a (☐ Lead Agency / ☒ Responsible Agency) approved the above described project on 11 /23 /2020 and has made the following determinations regarding the above described project:

- 1. The project [⋈ will / □ will not] have a significant effect on the environment.
- 2. 

  An Environmental Impact Report (EIR) was prepared for this project pursuant to CEQA.
- 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 the provisions of CEQA.
- 7. Compliance with the environmental filing fee requirement at Fish and Game Code § 711.4 (check one):

□ Payment is submitted with this notice.

⋈ A copy of a receipt showing prior payment is on file with the CDFW.

Erinn Wilson-Olgin

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments, responses, and record of project approval is available to the General Public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency. CDFW's record of decision is available at the CDFW office above. DocuSigned by:

Signature (Public Agency):

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Title: Erinn Wilson-Olgin

**Environmental Program Manager** 

Date: _	11/24/2020 	Date Received for Filing at OPR:

Authority cited: Sections 21083, Public Resources Code. Reference Section 21000-21174, Public Resources Code.