## Notice of Determination

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

## State Clearinghouse Number: 2002041161

Project Title: West Parcel Solar Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2015-0022-R5)

**Project Location (include county):** The project is located at two unnamed tributaries to Snow Creek. The project is located within the City of Walnut in the County of Los Angeles on a roughly triangular footprint abutted to the northeast by North Grand Avenue between its intersections with West Temple Avenue and Stonybrook Drive, west of Regal Canyon, and north of Stony Brook Drive just south of the main Mt. San Antonio College Campus.

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed an Amendment to Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2015-0022-R5, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, Mt. San Antonio College, as represented by Ms. Mikaela Klein.

The project is limited to the grading of two, unimproved, and unnamed ephemeral streambeds that are tributaries to Snow Creek. The purpose of the grading is to accommodate future access and a building pad for the approximately two (2) megawatt photovoltaic solar project on approximately 17.22 acres. The Amendment is limited to a 0.62-acre area of the coastal sage scrub restoration located adjacent to the western boundary and one of the unnamed ephemeral streambeds that will be moved to the southeast due to erosion issues at the previous site.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the above described project on  $\frac{5/14/2021}{2021}$  and has made the following determinations regarding the project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (i):

- 1. The project i will / i 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 final environmental impact report 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	Erinn Wilson-Olgin

*Date:* 5/14/2021

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Date Received for filing at OPR:

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