## NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

TO:

Governor's Office of Planning and Research State Clearinghouse 1400 Tenth Street, Room 113 Sacramento, CA 95812 FROM:

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

**STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER: 2016112006** 

PROJECT NUMBER: 8286-110

PROJECT TITLE: Southeast Plant Headworks Replacement Project (Project)

**PROJECT LOCATION:** The Project is located in the Bayview District of the City and County of San Francisco, California. It will occur in the northwest corner of the Southeast Plant (SEP) near the intersection of Evans Avenue and Rankin Street, and on the Bruce Flynn Pump Station parcel bordered by Evans Avenue to the south, Quint Street to the east, Rankin Street to the west, and Davidson Avenue to the north.

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. The Project includes replacement of two aging facilities with a single headworks facility designed to: improve process performance (higher screenings and grit removal); minimize grit deposition in channels; handle a wide range of flow and load conditions (30 - 250 MGD); provide operational flexibility and reliability; contain odors within plant site; and provide an operation and maintenance friendly facility. Project components include: new influent junction area; new fine screens and screening handlings; new grit removal and grit handling systems; and a two-stage odor control system.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING PROJECT AND CARRYING OUT PROJECT: The State Water Board has approved SRF financing for the Project described above on March 16, 2021. The San Francisco Public Utilities Commission 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 not 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 Mitigated Negative Declaration was prepared and adopted/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.

**LEAD AGENCY:** San Francisco Public Utilities Agency

**LEAD AGENCY CONTACT PERSON:** Julie Moore

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A record of financing approval for the Project is available to the general public at the State Water Board, Division of Financial Assistance at 1001 I Street, 16<sup>th</sup> Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814. The Mitigated Negative Declaration is available from the Lead Agency.

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