

Notice of Determination

Appendix D

To:

[X] Office of Planning and Research
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Street Address: 1400 Tenth St., Rm 113 Sacramento, CA 95814

[X] County Clerk
County of: Stanislaus
Address: 1021 I Street, Suite 101 Modesto, CA 95354

From:

Public Agency: SRWA
Address: 156 South Broadway, Suite 270 Turlock, CA 95307
Contact: Robert Granberg
Phone: (209) 538-5758

Lead Agency (if different from above):
Address:
Contact:
Phone:

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): 2017022077

Project Title: Surface Water Supply Project

Project Applicant: Stanislaus Regional Water Authority

Project Location (include county): Stanislaus County, incl. portions of Ceres and Turlock

Project Description:

SRWA certified an EIR in August 2018 and approved the Surface Water Supply Project to operate an existing infiltration gallery to withdraw up to 30,000 acre-feet per year (AFY) in Phase 1 (up to 50,400 AFY at buildout) of water from the Tuolumne River; convey it to a water treatment plant; and convey the treated water to storage facilities in Ceres and Turlock. SRWA has approved Addendum No. 2 to the EIR and determined that adding pre-1914 water rights to the water sales agreement between SRWA and TID, as evaluated in Addendum No. 2, does not involve new significant environmental effects or a substantial increase in the severity of previously identified significant effects.

This is to advise that the Stanislaus Regional Water Authority has approved the above (X) Lead Agency or () Responsible Agency)

described project on April 16, 2020 and has made the following determinations regarding the above (date)

described project.

- 1. The project (X) will () will not] have a significant effect on the environment.
2. (X) An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA. () A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures (X) were () were not] made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan (X) was () was not] adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations (X) was () was not] adopted for this project.
6. Findings (X) were () were not] made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, or the negative Declaration, is available to the General Public at:

SRWA offices, 156 South Broadway, Suite 270, Turlock, CA 95380

Signature (Public Agency): [Signature] Title: General Manager

Date: April 16, 2020 Date Received for filing at OPR: April 20, 2020

Governor's Office of Planning & Research

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

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