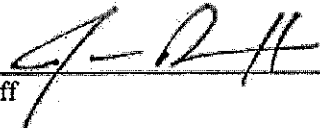


NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

Notice is hereby given that the public agency named below has completed an Initial Study of the following described project at the following location:		
Public Agency:	Elsinore Valley Municipal Water District (EVMWD)	
Project Name:	Diamond Regional Sewer Lift Station and Dual Force Mains Project	
Project Description:	The proposed project would replace the first phase of the existing B-Series Interceptor sewer system, to include the B1 Lift Station, Summerly Interim Lift Station, and Back Basin Groundwater Treatment Plant Lift Station. The project would collect raw wastewater and then pump the sewage through a parallel 24-inch-diameter and 16-inch-diameter force mains to an existing junction structure near the corner of East Lakeshore Drive and Elm Street.	
Project Location – Identify street address and cross streets or attach a map showing project site (preferably a USGS 15' or 7 1/2' topographical map identified by quadrangle name):	The proposed project is located east of Lake Elsinore, south of State Route 74, and southwest of Interstate 15 (I-15) in western Riverside County, California. More specifically, the project site is located south of East Lakeshore Drive and west of Diamond Drive. See attached map.	
This Initial Study was completed in accordance with the Lead Agency's Guidelines for Implementing the California Environmental Quality Act. This Initial Study was undertaken for the purpose of deciding whether the project may have a significant effect on the environment. On the basis of such Initial Study, the Lead Agency's Staff has concluded that the project will not have a significant effect on the environment and has therefore prepared a Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration. The Initial Study reflects the independent judgment of the Lead Agency.		
<input type="checkbox"/> The Project site IS on a list compiled pursuant to Government Code section 65962.5.		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Project site IS NOT on a list compiled pursuant to Government Code section 65962.5.		
<input type="checkbox"/> The proposed project IS considered a project of statewide, regional or areawide significance.		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The proposed project IS NOT considered a project of statewide, regional or areawide significance.		
<input type="checkbox"/> The proposed project WILL affect highways or other facilities under the jurisdiction of the State Department of Transportation.		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The proposed project WILL NOT affect highways or other facilities under the jurisdiction of the State Department of Transportation.		
<input type="checkbox"/> A scoping meeting WILL be held by the Lead Agency.		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A scoping meeting WILL NOT be held by the Lead Agency.		
If the project meets the criteria requiring the scoping meeting, or if the agency voluntarily elects to hold such a meeting, the date, time and location of the scoping meeting are as follows:		
Date:	Time:	Location:
Copies of the Initial Study and Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration are on file and are available for public review at the Lead Agency's office, located at: 31315 Chaney Street, Lake Elsinore, CA 92530		
The proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration can be obtained in electronic format by the following method:		
Lead Agency address:	31315 Chaney Street, Lake Elsinore, CA 92530	
Comments will be received from 4/4/19 to 5/6/19.		
Any person wishing to comment on this matter must submit such comments, in writing, to the Lead Agency prior to May 6, 2019. Comments of all Responsible Agencies are also requested.		

The Lead Agency will consider the project and the Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration at its meeting on:	
Date: 6/13/19	Time: 4:00 PM
If the Lead Agency finds that the project will not have a significant effect on the environment, it may adopt the Mitigated Negative Declaration. This means that the Lead Agency may proceed to consider the project without the preparation of an Environmental Impact Report.	

Date Received
for Filing: _____


Staff

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DIRECTOR OF ENV. & NATR. RESOURCES.
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