

ORLAND-ARTOIS WATER DISTRICT

NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A NEGATIVE DECLARATION FOR THE DUNNIGAN,
WILDWOOD, ZAMORA, AND FRUTO NE ANNEXATIONS PROJECT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Orland-Artois Water District (District) plans to adopt negative declaration for the proposed Sphere of Influence and service boundary expansion. The public hearing is expected to be held by the Board of Directors on January 21st, 2020 at 1:30pm, at the District Office, 6505 County Road 27, Orland, CA 95963.

The project proposes to annex approximately 612 acres into the District, southwest of the intersection of County Roads C and 30 in Glenn County, approximately 85 miles northwest Sacramento, more specifically on Assessor's Parcel Numbers 024-220-020 and 024-220-023.

The project also proposes to expand the Dunnigan Water District Sphere of Influence and annex approximately 837 acres of farmland, located west of the community of Dunnigan in Yolo County, northern California, approximately 33 miles northwest of Sacramento, more specifically on Assessor's Parcel Numbers 051-140-035, 051-140-037, 052-010-006, 052-100-004, 052-110-001, and 054-020-014.

Pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), an Initial Study/Negative Declaration has been prepared, describing the degree of potential environmental impacts of the proposed project. The District has assessed the potential environmental impacts of this proposed project and has determined that they will be less than significant. Copies of the Initial Study and proposed Negative Declaration are on file and available for public review at the District Office, 6505 County Road 27, Orland, CA 95963. The public review period during which the District will receive comments on the proposed Negative Declaration will begin on December 21, 2019 and end on January 20, 2020. Comments should be in writing, if possible, and addressed to Dawn E. Marple at Provost & Pritchard, 130 North Garden Street, Visalia, CA 93291, or at dmarple@ppeng.com.

The site has been reviewed in accordance with Government Code Section 65962.5 and is not listed as hazardous waste or materials site.