INITIAL STUDY/NEGATIVE DECLARATION

[Pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21080(c) and California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Sections 15070-15071]

LEAD AGENCY: San Joaquin County Community Development Department

PROJECT APPLICANT: Jamail SinghTut

PROJECT TITLE/FILE NUMBER(S): PA-1900187(SA)

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: A Site Approval application to establish a parking facility for a maximum of forty-four (44) truck/trailer units on a 3.16-acre parcel (Use Type: Truck Sales & Services-Parking). The facility will be unmanned and accessible 24 hours per day, 7 days per week. No structures are proposed. An onsite well and an on-site wastewater treatment system (OWTS) are not required. A retention pond will be utilized for storm water. The project site is accessed from East French Camp Road.

This parcel is located on the southwest corner of East French Camp Road and South Harlan Road,, in French Camp.

ASSESSOR PARCEL NO.: 193-070-07

ACRES: 3.16

GENERAL PLAN: C/G

ZONING: I-L

POTENTIAL POPULATION, NUMBER OF DWELLING UNITS, OR SQUARE FOOTAGE OF USE(S):

The site contains one residence, one detached garage, and one unpermitted mobile home; proposed use is paved truck parking for 44 trucks/trailer units; No new dwelling units or structures proposed

SURROUNDING LAND USES:

NORTH: Industrial, Commercial, City of Stockton

SOUTH: Industrial, scattered residences, vacant land, women's shelter

EAST: Industrial, residential, livestock auction yard, Stockton Metropolitan Airport

WEST: Vacant land, Interstate 5/ County hospital

REFERENCES AND SOURCES FOR DETERMINING ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS:

Original source materials and maps on file in the Community Development Department including: all County and City general plans and community plans; assessor parcel books; various local and FEMA flood zone maps; service district maps; maps of geologic instability; maps and reports on endangered species such as the Natural Diversity Data Base; noise contour maps; specific roadway plans; maps and/or records of archeological/historic resources; soil reports and maps; etc.

Many of these original source materials have been collected from other public agencies or from previously prepared EIR's and other technical studies. Additional standard sources which should be specifically cited below include on-site visits by staff (note date); staff knowledge or experience; and independent environmental studies submitted to the County as part of the project application (Enter report name, date, and consultant.). Copies of these reports can be found by contacting the Community Development Department.

TRIBAL CULTURAL RESOURCES:

Have California Native American tribes traditionally and culturally affiliated with the project area requested consultation pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21080.3.1? If so, is there a plan for consultation that includes, for example, the determination of significance of impacts to tribal cultural resources, procedures regarding confidentiality, etc.?

No

GENERAL CONSIDERATIONS:

1.	Does it appear that any environmental feature of the project will generate significant public concern or controversy? Yes No
	Nature of concern(s): Enter concern(s).
2.	Will the project require approval or permits by agencies other than the County? ☐ Yes ☒ No
	Agency name(s): Enter agency name(s).
3.	Is the project within the Sphere of Influence, or within two miles, of any city? Yes No
	City: Stockton and Lathrop

ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS POTENTIALLY AFFECTED:

			uld be potentially affected by this probe the checklist on the following page		, involving at least one impact that is
	Aesthetics		Agriculture and Forestry Resources	\boxtimes	Air Quality
\boxtimes	Biological Resources		Cultural Resources		Energy
	Geology / Soils	\boxtimes	Greenhouse Gas Emissions		Hazards & Hazardous Materials
\times	Hydrology / Water Quality		Land Use / Planning		Mineral Resources
	Noise		Population / Housing		Public Services
	Recreation	\boxtimes	Transportation		Tribal Cultural Resources
	Utilities / Service Systems		Wildfire		Mandatory Findings of Significance
DETE	ERMINATION: (To be completed by	the	Lead Agency) On the basis of this in	itial	evaluation:
	find that the proposed project C ECLARATION will be prepared.	OUL	D NOT have a significant effect of	on tl	ne environment, and a NEGATIVE
е		s in	the project have been made by or		onment, there will not be a significant reed to by the project proponent. A
	find that the proposed project MAY EPORT is required.	have	e a significant effect on the environm	ent,	and an ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT
in a d	npact on the environment, but at lead oplicable legal standards, and 2)	ast or has	ne effect 1) has been adequately and been addressed by mitigation mea	alyze sure	tentially significant unless mitigated" of in an earlier document pursuant to be based on the earlier analysis as d, but it must analyze only the effects
e si a D	gnificant effects (a) have been an oplicable standards, and (b) hav	alyze /e b	ed adequately in an earlier EIR or een avoided or mitigated pursua	NEG int t	environment, because all potentially ATIVE DECLARATION pursuant to that earlier EIR or NEGATIVE the proposed project, nothing further
Signa	Resk Guff				1/22/25 Date

EVALUATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS:

- 1) A brief explanation is required for all answers except "No Impact" answers that are adequately supported by the information sources a lead agency cites in the parentheses following each question. A "No Impact" answer is adequately supported if the referenced information sources show that the impact simply does not apply to projects like the one involved (e.g., the project falls outside a fault rupture zone). A "No Impact" answer should be explained where it is based on project-specific factors as well as general standards (e.g., the project will not expose sensitive receptors to pollutants, based on a project-specific screening analysis).
- 2) All answers must take account of the whole action involved, including off-site as well as on-site, cumulative as well as project-level, indirect as well as direct, and construction as well as operational impacts.
- Once the lead agency has determined that a particular physical impact may occur, then the checklist answers must indicate whether the impact is potentially significant, less than significant with mitigation, or less than significant. "Potentially Significant Impact" is appropriate if there is substantial evidence that an effect may be significant. If there are one or more "Potentially Significant Impact" entries when the determination is made, an EIR is required.
- "Negative Declaration: Less Than Significant With Mitigation Incorporated" applies where the incorporation of mitigation measures has reduced an effect from "Potentially Significant Impact" to a "Less Than Significant Impact." The lead agency must describe the mitigation measures, and briefly explain how they reduce the effect to a less than significant level (mitigation measures from "Earlier Analyses," as described in (5) below, may be crossreferenced).
- 5) Earlier analyses may be used where, pursuant to the tiering, program EIR, or other CEQA process, an effect has been adequately analyzed in an earlier EIR or negative declaration. Section 15063(c)(3)(D). In this case, a brief discussion should identify the following:
 - a) Earlier Analysis Used. Identify and state where they are available for review.
 - b) Impacts Adequately Addressed. Identify which effects from the above checklist were within the scope of and adequately analyzed in an earlier document pursuant to applicable legal standards, and state whether such effects were addressed by mitigation measures based on the earlier analysis.
 - c) Mitigation Measures. For effects that are "Less than Significant with Mitigation Measures Incorporated," describe the mitigation measures which were incorporated or refined from the earlier document and the extent to which they address site-specific conditions for the project.
- 6) Lead agencies are encouraged to incorporate into the checklist references to information sources for potential impacts (e.g., general plans, zoning ordinances). Reference to a previously prepared or outside document should, where appropriate, include a reference to the page or pages where the statement is substantiated.
- 7) Supporting Information Sources: A source list should be attached, and other sources used or individuals contacted should be cited in the discussion.
- 8) This is only a suggested form, and lead agencies are free to use different formats; however, lead agencies should normally address the questions from this checklist that are relevant to a project's environmental effects in whatever format is selected.
- 9) The explanation of each issue should identify:
 - a) the significance criteria or threshold, if any, used to evaluate each question; and
 - b) the mitigation measure identified, if any, to reduce the impact to less than significance.

		Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impac	Analyzed In The Prior EIR
I. AESTHE Except as would the	provided in Public Resources Code Section 21099,					
ALCO DESCRIPTION DESCRIPTION .	substantial adverse effect on a scenic vista?				\boxtimes	
limited	intially damage scenic resources, including, but not to, trees, rock outcroppings, and historic buildings a state scenic highway?				\boxtimes	
visual of surround experied the process of the proc	curbanized areas, substantially degrade the existing character or quality of public views of the site and its ndings? (Public views are those that are enced from publically accessible vantage point). If oject is in an urbanized area, would the project with applicable zoning and other regulations ing scenic quality?				\boxtimes	
	a new source of substantial light or glare which adversely affect day or nighttime views in the area?				\boxtimes	

a-d) The proposed project site is located on S. Harlan Road in the unincorporated, urban community of French Camp. Pursuant to San Joaquin County General Plan 2035 Natural and Cultural Resources Element Figure NCR-1 (page 3.4-13), this section of S. Harlan Road and S. El Dorado Street are not designated as a Scenic Route. Therefore the project will have no impact on a scenic vista.

In or signification of the control o	AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY RESOURCES. determining whether impacts to agricultural resources are nificant environmental effects, lead agencies may refer to California Agricultural Land Evaluation and Site sessment Model (1997) prepared by the California Dept. of inservation as an optional model to use in assessing pacts on agriculture and farmland. In determining whether exacts to forest resources, including timberland, are inficant environmental effects, lead agencies may refer to formation compiled by the California Department of Forestry define Protection regarding the state's inventory of forest defining the Forest and Range Assessment Project and Forest Legacy Assessment project; and forest carbon assurement methodology provided in Forest Protocols opted by the California Air Resources Board Would the riject:	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact	Analyzed In The Prior EIR
	Convert Prime Farmland, Unique Farmland, or Farmland of Statewide Importance (Farmland), as shown on the maps prepared pursuant to the Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program of the California Resources Agency, to nonagricultural use?				\boxtimes	
b)	Conflict with existing zoning for agricultural use, or a Williamson Act contract?				\boxtimes	
c)	Conflict with existing zoning for, or cause rezoning of, forest land (as defined in Public Resources Code section 12220(g)), timberland (as defined by Public Resources Code section 4526), or timberland zoned Timberland Production (as defined by Government Code section 51104(g))?				\boxtimes	
d)	Result in the loss of forest land or conversion of forest land to non-forest use?				\boxtimes	
e)	Involve other changes in the existing environment which, due to their location or nature, could result in conversion of Farmland, to non-agricultural use or conversion of forest land to non-forest use?				\boxtimes	

a-e) The subject property is not identified or designated as Prime or Unique Farmland or as Farmland of Statewide Importance on maps provided by the California Department of Conservation's Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program. The subject property is designated as Rural Residential Land (R) by the Department of Conservation, which is further described as Vacant or Disturbed Land (V) by the Department of Conservation's Rural Land Mapping Project. This is an infill parcel surrounded by urban uses. The subject property is zoned Limited Industrial (I-L) and is located within an existing industrial corridor. Therefore, the proposed project will not convert important farmland to non-agricultural use or forest land to non-forest use, conflict with agricultural or forestland zoning or a Williamson Act Contract, or result in loss of forest land.

		Potentially Significant Impact	Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact	Analyzed In The Prior EIR
Wh app dis	AIR QUALITY. here available, the significance criteria established by the blicable air quality management or air pollution control trict may be relied upon to make the following terminations. Would the project:		,	·	·	
a)	Conflict with or obstruct implementation of the applicable air quality plan?		\boxtimes			
b)	Result in a cumulatively considerable net increase of any criteria pollutant for which the project region is non-attainment under an applicable federal or state ambient air quality standard?			\boxtimes		
c)	Expose sensitive receptors to substantial pollutant concentrations?			\boxtimes		
d)	Result in substantial emissions (such as those leading to odors) adversely affecting a substantial number of people?			\boxtimes		

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Impact Discussion:

a-d) The project site is located in the San Joaquin Valley Air Basin, which is regulated by the San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District (SJVAPCD). SJVAPCD is the lead air quality regulatory agency for San Joaquin. This project was referred to the SJVAPCD for review on September 20, 2019. In a letter dated October 7, 2019, SJVAPCD responded that an Air Impact Assessment survey be submitted to SJVAPCD by the applicant. The applicant has submitted the AIA and the SJVAPCD responded in a memo that we received on December 2, 2019. SJVAPCD approved the AIA. SJVAPCD recommends the installation of electric vehicle chargers. SJVAPCD included a Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Schedule that will be recommended as conditions of approval. The applicant will be required to meet existing requirements for emissions and dust control as established by Rule 9510 from SJVAPCD. Therefore, any impacts to air quality will be reduced to less than significant.

		Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No	Analyzed In The Prior EIR
	BIOLOGICAL RESOURCES: ould the project: Have a substantial adverse effect, either directly or through	,		serie (Pr. Astronom	d two a to secure o	
,	habitat modifications, on any species identified as a candidate, sensitive, or special status species in local or regional plans, policies, or regulations, or by the California Department of Fish and Game or U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service?			\boxtimes		
b)	Have a substantial adverse effect on any riparian habitat or other sensitive natural community identified in local or regional plans, policies, regulations or by the California Department of Fish and Game or US Fish and Wildlife Service?			\boxtimes		
c)	Have a substantial adverse effect on state or federally protected wetlands (including, but not limited to, marsh, vernal pool, coastal, etc.) through direct removal, filling, hydrological interruption, or other means?				\boxtimes	
d)	Interfere substantially with the movement of any native resident or migratory fish or wildlife species or with established native resident or migratory wildlife corridors, or impede the use of native wildlife nursery sites?			\boxtimes		
e)	Conflict with any local policies or ordinances protecting biological resources, such as a tree preservation policy or ordinance?					
f)	Conflict with the provisions of an adopted Habitat Conservation Plan, Natural Community Conservation Plan, or other approved local, regional, or state habitat conservation plan?		\boxtimes			

a) The California Department of Fish and Wildlife Natural Diversity Database does not list any rare, endangered, or threatened species or habitat located on or near the site for the proposed project. Referrals have been sent to the San Joaquin Council of Governments (SJCOG), the agency responsible for verifying the correct implementation of the San Joaquin County Multi-Species Habitat Conservation and Open Space Plan (SJMSCP), which provides compensation for the conversion of Open Space to non-Open Space uses which affect the plant, fish and wildlife species covered by the Plan. Pursuant to the Final EIR/EIS for SJMSCP, dated November 15, 2000, and certified by SJCOG on December 7, 2000, implementation of the SJMSCP will reduce the impact to biological resources to a level of less than significant.

A referral was sent to SJCOG on September 20, 2019. The SJMSCP responded in a letter dated October 28, 2019, that the project is subject to the SJMSCP. The applicant has agreed to participate. The project will not conflict with the provisions of an adopted Habitat Conservation Plan, natural Community Conservation Plan, or other approved local, regional, or state habitat conservation plan in the vicinity. Therefore, Implementation of the SJMSCP will reduce the impact to biological resources to less than significant.

		Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact	Analyzed In The t Prior EIR
	CULTURAL RESOURCES. ould the project:					
a)	Cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of a historical resource pursuant to § 15064.5?				\boxtimes	
b)	Cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of an archaeological resource pursuant to § 15064.5?				\boxtimes	
c)	Disturb any human remains, including those interred outside of dedicated cemeteries?			\boxtimes		
lm	pact Discussion:					
a-b)	There are no known Native American sites of historical sig on a local register, the California Register of Historic Place				eligible	e for listing
	On September 20, 2019, a referral was sent to the Californ Heritage Commission, the California Valley Miwok Tribe, th Community for review. No responses were received before	ne North Vall	ley Yokuts Tribe,			
d)	In the event human remains are encountered during any p shall be no further excavation or disturbance of the site or remains until the coroner of the county has determined concerning the treatment and disposition of the human reexcavation (California Health and Safety Code - Section reduce the impact on cultural resources to less than signific	any nearby manner an emains have 7050.5). Imp	area reasonably d cause of deat been made to t	suspected to h, and the i he person re	o overlie recomm esponsil	e adjacent nendations ble for the

		Potentially Significant Impact	Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact	Analyzed In The Prior EIR
VI.	ENERGY.	,	•			
	uld the project:					
a)	Result in a potentially significant environmental impact due to wasteful, inefficient, or unnecessary consumption of energy, or wasteful use of energy resources, during project construction or operation?				\boxtimes	
b)	Conflict with or obstruct a state or local plan for renewable energy or energy efficiency?				\boxtimes	

a-b) There is one residence and one detached garage on the project site that will not be a part of the project. There is an unpermitted mobile home on the property that will require a demolition permit. No new structures are proposed for this project. The project does not conflict with state or local plans for energy efficiency and renewable energy. Therefore, the impact on energy. will be less than significant.

VII	GF	OLOGY AND SOILS.	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impac	Analyzed In The t Prior EIR
	ould Dire	the project: ectly or indirectly cause potential substantial adverse ects, including the risk of loss, injury, or death involving:				\boxtimes	
	i)	Rupture of a known earthquake fault, as delineated on the most recent Alquist-Priolo Earthquake Fault Zoning Map issued by the State Geologist for the area or based on other substantial evidence of a known fault? Refer to Division of Mines and Geology Special Publication 42.					
	ii)	Strong seismic ground shaking?				\boxtimes	
	iii)	Seismic-related ground failure, including liquefaction?				\boxtimes	
	iv)	Landslides?				\boxtimes	
b)	Re	sult in substantial soil erosion or the loss of topsoil?				\boxtimes	
c)	wor pot	located on a geologic unit or soil that is unstable, or that uld become unstable as a result of the project, and entially result in on- or off-site landslide, lateral eading, subsidence, liquefaction or collapse?				\boxtimes	
d)		located on expansive soil and create direct or indirect as to life or property?				\boxtimes	
e)	sep whe	ve soils incapable of adequately supporting the use of otic tanks or alternative waste water disposal systems ere sewers are not available for the disposal of waste ter?				\boxtimes	
f)		ectly or indirectly destroy a unique paleontological ource or site or unique geologic feature?				\boxtimes	

a) The project site is flat and at the same elevation as the surrounding properties. No structures are proposed. There are no public services available. The residence utilizes an existing septic tank and an onsite well. The site will require a grading permit for the parking and maneuvering area and the retention pond. The grading will be done under permit and inspection by the San Joaquin County Community Development Department's Building Division.

For any future construction, the Environmental Health Department will require a soil suitability/nitrate loading study and a percolation test that meets absorption rates of the manual of septic tank practice or E.P.A. Design Manual for onsite wastewater treatment and disposal.

If there are known significant historic or prehistoric archeological artifacts that could be disturbed by project construction n the vicinity, the San Joaquin County General Plan 2035 requires an archeological report prepared by a qualified cultural resource specialist.

With these ordinance requirements in place, the impact to significant historic or prehistoric archeological artifacts will be less than significant.

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VIII.	GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS.					
Wou	ld the project:					
į	Generate greenhouse gas emissions, either directly or ndirectly, that may have a significant impact on the environment?			\boxtimes		
, a	Conflict with an applicable plan, policy or regulation adopted for the purpose of reducing the emissions of greenhouse gases?			\boxtimes		

a-b) Emissions of GHGs contributing to global climate change are attributable in large part to human activities associated with the industrial/manufacturing, utility, transportation, residential, and agricultural sectors. Therefore, the cumulative global emissions of GHGs contributing to global climate change can be attributed to every nation, region, and city, and virtually every individual on earth. An individual project's GHG emissions are at a micro-scale level relative to global emissions and effects to global climate change; however, an individual project could result in a cumulatively considerable incremental contribution to a significant cumulative macro-scale impact. As such, impacts related to emissions of GHG are inherently considered cumulative impacts.

Implementation of the proposed project would cumulatively contribute to increases of GHG emissions. Estimated GHG emissions attributable to future development would be primarily associated with increases of carbon dioxide (CO_2) and, to a lesser extent, other GHG pollutants, such as methane (CH_4) and nitrous oxide (N_2O) associated with area sources, mobile sources or vehicles, utilities (electricity and natural gas), water usage, wastewater generation, and the generation of solid waste. The primary source of GHG emissions for the project would be mobile source emissions. The common unit of measurement for GHG is expressed in terms of annual metric tons of CO_2 equivalents ($MTCO_2e/yr$).

Neither the SJVAPCD nor the County provide project-level thresholds for construction-related GHG emissions. Construction GHG emissions are a one-time release and are, therefore, not typically expected to generate a significant contribution to global climate change. As such, the analysis herein is limited to discussion of long-term operational GHG emissions.

The proposed project will be subject to the rules and regulations of the SJVAPCD. The SJVAPCD has adopted the Guidance for Valley Land- use Agencies in Addressing GHG Emission Impacts for New Projects under CEQA and the District Policy – Addressing GHG Emission Impacts for Stationary Source Projects Under CEQA When Serving as the Lead Agency.11 The guidance and policy rely on the use of performance-based standards, otherwise known as Best Performance Standards (BPS) to assess significance of project specific greenhouse gas emissions on global climate change during the environmental review process, as required by CEQA. To be determined to have a less-thansignificant individual and cumulative impact with regard to GHG emissions, projects must include BPS sufficient to reduce GHG emissions by 29 percent when compared to Business As Usual (BAU) GHG emissions. Per the SJVAPCD. BAU is defined as projected emissions for the 2002-2004 baseline period. Projects which do not achieve a 29 percent reduction from BAU levels with BPS alone are required to quantify additional project-specific reductions demonstrating a combined reduction of 29 percent. Potential mitigation measures may include, but not limited to: on-site renewable energy (e.g. solar photovoltaic systems), electric vehicle charging stations, the use of alternative-fueled vehicles, exceeding Title 24 energy efficiency standards, the installation of energy-efficient lighting and control systems, the installation of energy-efficient mechanical systems, the installation of drought-tolerant landscaping, efficient irrigation systems, and the use of low-flow plumbing fixtures. This will reduce the impact of GHG emissions to a level of less than significant.

¹¹ San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District. Guidance for Valley Land-use Agencies in Addressing GHG Emission Impacts for New Projects under CEQA. December 17, 2009. San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District. District Policy Addressing GHG Emission Impacts for Stationary Source Projects Under CEQA When Serving as the Lead Agency. December 17, 2009.

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	HAZARDS AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS.	•	ļ		•	
a)	ould the project: Create a significant hazard to the public or the environment through the routine transport, use, or disposal of hazardous materials?			\boxtimes		
b)	Create a significant hazard to the public or the environment through reasonably foreseeable upset and accident conditions involving the release of hazardous materials into the environment?			\boxtimes		
c)	Emit hazardous emissions or handle hazardous or acutely hazardous materials, substances, or waste within one-quarter mile of an existing or proposed school?				\boxtimes	
d)	Be located on a site which is included on a list of hazardous materials sites compiled pursuant to Government Code Section 65962.5 and, as a result, would it create a significant hazard to the public or the environment?				\boxtimes	
e)	For a project located within an airport land use plan or, where such a plan has not been adopted, within two miles of a public airport or public use airport, would the project result in a safety hazard or excessive noise for people residing or working in the project area?				\boxtimes	
f)	Impair implementation of or physically interfere with an adopted emergency response plan or emergency evacuation plan?				\boxtimes	
g)	Expose people or structures, either directly or indirectly, to a significant risk of loss, injury or death involving wildland fires, including where wildlands are adjacent to urbanized areas or where residences are intermixed with wildlands?				\boxtimes	

- a-c) The proposed project is a truck parking facility. There is no storage permitted on-site except within the trailers. The nearest school is 0.3 mile from the proposed project site. The project site is not included on the California Department of Toxic Substances Control EnviroStor database map, compiled pursuant to Government Code 65962.5. The project would not result in, create or induce hazards and associated risks to the public. There may be hazardous materials within the trailer if a driver parks on-site between the time he picks up a load and the time he drops off the load. Operational activities would be subject to federal, state, and local laws and requirements designed to minimize and avoid potential health and safety risks associated with hazardous materials. No significant impacts are anticipated related to the transport, use, or storage of hazardous materials during construction activities.
 - e) The project site is located in the Traffic Pattern Zone 7a (TPZ) of the comprehensive Airport Land Use Plan boundaries for the Stockton Metropolitan Airport. The project site is located approximately 1.6 miles southwest of the nearest runway. The project shall abide by the applicable Airport Land Use Plan for the Stockton Metropolitan Airport. A referral was sent to the Airport Land Use Commission and the Stockton Metropolitan Airport on September 20, 2019 for review. The ALUC responded in a memo dated October 17, 2019. The project is subject to the Airport Land Use Commission's rules and regulations for design and construction. The ALUC recommends that the proposed retention pond be reclassified as a detention pond to allow a maximum 48-hour detention period for the design storm. The terminal drainage system that is required for a detention pond does not exist. Neither the County nor the City of Stockton have plans to bring terminal drainage to the French Camp area. The runway of the Stockton Airport runs northwest to southeast. The project is located 1.6 miles to the southwest.

g)	g) The scope of the proposed project indicates that no additional emergency services will be required to provide for safe evacuation and adequate access to emergency equipment. As such, the project will not impair implementation of, or interfere with, County-adopted emergency response plans.						
			Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact	Analyzed In The Prior EIR
		DROLOGY AND WATER QUALITY. the project:					
	Vic rec	plate any water quality standards or waste discharge purements or otherwise substantially degrade surface or bund water quality?			\boxtimes		
b)	sul pro	bstantially decrease groundwater supplies or interfere ostantially with groundwater recharge such that the bject may impede sustainable groundwater inagement of the basin?			\boxtimes		
c)	or stre	bstantially alter the existing drainage pattern of the site area, including through the alteration of the course of a eam or river or through the addition of impervious faces, in a manner which would:			\boxtimes		
	i)	result in substantial erosion or siltation on- or off-site;			\boxtimes		
	ii)	substantially increase the rate or amount of surface runoff in a manner which would result in flooding on- or off-site;			\boxtimes		
	iii)	create or contribute runoff water which would exceed the capacity of existing or planned stormwater drainage systems or provide substantial additional sources of polluted runoff; or			\boxtimes		
	iv)	impede or redirect flood flows?			\boxtimes		
d)		flood hazard, tsunami, or seiche zones, risk release of lutants due to project inundation?				\boxtimes	
e)		nflict with or obstruct implementation of a water quality ntrol plan or sustainable groundwater management n?			\boxtimes		
lm	act	Discussion:					
b)	Mit the and uni	e San Joaquin County Department of Public Works will rigation Fee. The Water Impact Mitigation Fee Program construction cost for the New Melones Water Conveyand surface water depletion resulting from new developmentated area of the County within the SEWD and Cohin one-half mile north of the SEWD boundary along Eight	was establisce Project, wo ppment with entral San Jo	shed to finance S hich is intended to in the fee area paquin Water Con	an Joaquin o mitigate the The fee a servation Di	County' e impac irea ind strict an	s share of t of ground cludes the d the area

c-e) The proposed project does not propose any substantial alteration to a drainage pattern, stream or river. Any necessary drainage improvements onsite will be required as conditions of approval for the project. The project will not result in substantial soil erosion because the site is flat and will be paved and landscaped subject to building code and Development Title requirements.

The proposed project's impact on ground and surface water will be mitigated with the required Water Supply Facilities Impact Mitigation Fee, which will reduce any impact the project has on ground and surface water to less than significant.

Development Title Section 9-1135.2 requires all development projects to provide drainage facilities within and downstream from the development project. Storm water runoff shall be conveyed into a terminal drain or may be retained in a retention basin. The Department of Public Works requires that drainage facilities be provided in accordance with the San Joaquin County Development Standards. The proposed project plans call for storm water to be retained in an on-site retention pond. The Department of Public Works will determine the feasibility of the proposed retention pond.

The project falls within the definition of a Regulated Project as defined in either the County Post-Construction Standards Manual or the County Phase II National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and must comply with the following conditions:

- 1) A registered professional engineer shall design a system or combination of systems to infiltrate, treat, and/or filter the 85th percentile storm drainage as defined in the County's 2009 "Storm Water Quality Control Criteria Plan" (SWQCCP) or in the "California Association of Stormwater Quality Agencies" (CASQA) publications and comply with the conditions of the County Phase II National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit. Standard "Best management Practices" for the type of development proposed shall be incorporated into the system design. Plans and/or calculations of the proposed system shall be submitted to the County for review and approval.
- 2) A "Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan" (SWPPP) must be submitted to Public Works for review. The post construction chapter of the SWPPP must identify expected pollutants and how they will be prevented from entering the storm system. The chapter shall also contain a maintenance plan, a spill plan, and a training plan for all employees on proper use, handling and disposal of potential pollutants.
- 3) Permit Registration Documents (PRD's) shall be filed with the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) to comply with the State "General Permit for Storm Water Discharges Associated with Construction Activity". Coverage under the SWRCB General Construction Permit Order 2009-0009-DWQ shall be maintained throughout the duration of all phases of the project.
- 4) An annual report of operation and maintenance of any system shall be provided to the County as well as an annual system inspection fee.
- 5) A Maintenance Plan shall be submitted and the execution of a Maintenance Agreement with San Joaquin County shall be required for the owner/operator of stormwater controls prior to the release of the building permit.
- 6) Standard Best Management Practices, for the type of development proposed, shall be incorporated into the site storm drainage design.
- 7) A State Central Valley Flood Protection Board's Encroachment Permit shall be obtained for work done on French Camp Slough's channel and within 30 feet from the top of its banks.

With these conditions from the Department of Public Works, the impact on storm water runoff will be less than significant.

The proposed project site is not in a tsunami or seiche zone. The site is located in the X(levee) flood zone, which is defined as areas of 0.2% annual chance (500-year) flood; or areas of 1% annual chance (100-year) flood with average depths of less than 1 foot or with drainage areas less than 1 square mile. Therefore, there is no risk of release of pollutants due to inundation.

VI	LAND USE AND PLANNING.	Potentially Significant Impact	Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impac	Analyzed In The t Prior EIR
	buld the project:					
	Physically divide an established community?					
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b)	Cause a significant environmental impact due to a conflict with any land use plan, policy, or regulation adopted for the purpose of avoiding or mitigating an environmental effect?				\boxtimes	

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Impact Discussion:

- a) The approval and operation of the proposed project will not physically divide an established community. The project is an orderly extension of the industrial development that is established within the industrial corridor in the urban community of French Camp and the project is an industrial use adjacent to properties zoned for industrial and commercial use. Therefore, the project's impact on an established community will be less than significant.
- b) The proposed project will not result in conflicts between existing and proposed on-site or off-site land uses because the proposed project, truck parking, is consistent with all land use policies and regulations of the County Development Code and 2035 General Plan. Surrounding parcels are zoned commercial or industrial. Further to the north are industrial developments. There is a women's shelter to the southeast. The project parcel is zoned Limited Industrial (I-L). The Truck Sales and Service Parking use type may be conditionally permitted in the I-L zone with an approved Site Approval application.

		Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impac	Analyzed In The Prior EIR
XII.	MINERAL RESOURCES.	·	•			
Wo	ould the project:					
a)	Result in the loss of availability of a known mineral resource that would be of value to the region and the residents of the state?				\boxtimes	
b)	Result in the loss of availability of a locally-important mineral resource recovery site delineated on a local general plan, specific plan or other land use plan?				\boxtimes	

a-b) The project will not result in the loss of availability of a known mineral resource of a resource recovery site because the site does not contain a known mineral resource or minerals of significance. San Joaquin County applies a mineral resource zone (MRZ) designation to land that meets the significant mineral deposits definition by the State Division of Mines and Geology. The project site in French Camp has been classified as MRZ-1. The 2035 General Plan Volume II, Chapter 10-Mineral Resources, Table 10-7, defines MRZ-1 as "Areas where adequate information indicates that no significant mineral deposits are present, or where it is judged that little likelihood exists for their presence." Therefore, the project will have less than a significant impact on the availability of mineral resources or mineral resource recovery sites within the region.

		Potentially Significant Impact	Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact	Analyzed In The t Prior EIR
Wo	NOISE. Solid the project result in: Generation of a substantial temporary or permanent			- ,	·	
	increase in ambient noise levels in the vicinity of the project in excess of standards established in the local general plan or noise ordinance, or applicable standards of other agencies?			\boxtimes		
b)	Generation of excessive groundborne vibration or groundborne noise levels?				\boxtimes	
c)	For a project within the vicinity of a private airstrip or an airport land use plan, or where such a plan has not been adopted, within two miles of a public airport or public use airport, would the project expose people residing or working in the project area to excessive noise levels?			\boxtimes		

- a) The project site is surrounded by commercially and industrially zoned properties and is located 1,000 feet east of Interstate 5. There are no noise-sensitive uses in the area. The nearest noise sensitive receptor is a single family residence that is located approximately 750 feet southeast of the project site, on the east side of French Camp Road. The proposed operation is a parking lot with no structures. Therefore, noise impacts from the proposed project will be less than significant.
- b) Development Title Section 9-1025.5 Vibration states that no use shall cause any perceptible displacement at any lot line abutting any zone except an I-G zone. There are two exceptions. This Section does not apply to operations involved in the construction or demolition of structures or infrastructure or to vibration caused by motor vehicles or trains. Except for grading the project site and the ingress and egress of trucks and trailers, the project does not include any operations that would result in excessive ground-borne vibrations or other noise levels. Therefore, the project will have a less than significant impact on vibrations or other noise levels.
- c) The project site is located in the Traffic Pattern Zone 7a (TPZ) of the comprehensive Airport Land Use Plan boundaries for the Stockton Metropolitan Airport. The project site is located approximately 1.6 miles southwest of the nearest runway. The project shall abide by the applicable Airport Land Use Plan for the Stockton Metropolitan Airport. A referral was sent to the Airport Land Use Commission and the Stockton Metropolitan Airport on September 20, 2019 for review. A response from the Airport Land Use Commission was received on October 17, 2019. The project will be subject to the Airport Land Use Commission's rules and regulations. As a result, impacts to people in the project area are expected to be less than significant.

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<u> </u>	/. POPULATION AND HOUSING.					
Wc	ould the project:					
a)	Induce substantial unplanned population growth in an area, either directly (for example, by proposing new homes and businesses) or indirectly (for example, through extension of roads or other infrastructure)?				\boxtimes	
b)	Displace substantial numbers of existing people or housing, necessitating the construction of replacement housing elsewhere?				\boxtimes	

a-c) The proposed project will not induce substantial population growth in the area either directly or indirectly because the project site is in an industrial zone and surrounding properties are zoned commercial and industrial. The proposed project would not displace substantial numbers of people or existing housing, necessitating the construction of replacement housing elsewhere. There is one non-conforming residence on the project parcel that is not a part of the project. The residence will remain. Therefore, the impact on population and housing will be less than significant.

	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact	Analyzed In The Prior EIR
 Would the project result in substantial adverse physical impacts associated with the provision of new or physically altered governmental facilities, need for new or physically altered governmental facilities, the construction of which could cause significant environmental impacts, in order to maintain acceptable service ratios, response times or other performance objectives for any of the public services:				\boxtimes	
Fire protection?				\boxtimes	
Police protection?				\boxtimes	
Schools?				\boxtimes	
Parks?				\boxtimes	
Other public facilities?				\boxtimes	

a) The proposed project is a truck parking facility. There are no proposed structures. The project site is located in the French Camp McKinley Fire District and the Manteca Unified School District. Both districts were sent a referral on September 20, 2019. No response was received from either district. There will be minimal on-site activity, therefore there is no need for extra public services. The project site is served by the San Joaquin County Sheriff's Office. A referral was sent on September 20, 2019. No response was received. As proposed, the project will have a less than significant impact on public services.

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<u>X</u> \	VI. RECREATION.					
a)	Would the project increase the use of existing neighborhood and regional parks or other recreational facilities such that substantial physical deterioration of the facility would occur or be accelerated?				\boxtimes	
b)	Does the project include recreational facilities or require the construction or expansion of recreational facilities which might have an adverse physical effect on the environment?				\boxtimes	

a-b) This project will not increase the use of existing neighborhood and regional parks or other recreational facilities such that substantial physical deterioration of the facility would occur or be accelerated, because the project will not generate any new residential units. There are no parks or recreational facilities in the vicinity that may be visited by employees. This project does not include recreational facilities or require the construction or expansion of recreational facilities. The project will not result in an increased demand for recreational facilities. Therefore, there will be a less than significant impact on recreation facilities.

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ΧV	II. TRANSPORTATION.	that are a work of the	mana rasan telifia ana sesenanana	·	·	
Wo	uld the project:					
a)	Conflict with a program plan, ordinance, or policy addressing the circulation system, including transit, roadways, bicycle, and pedestrian facilities?			\boxtimes		
b)	Would the project conflict or be inconsistent with CEQA Guidelines section 15064.3, subdivision (b)?				\boxtimes	
c)	Substantially increase hazards due to a geometric design feature (e.g., sharp curves or dangerous intersections) or incompatible uses (e.g., farm equipment)?				\boxtimes	
d)	Result in inadequate emergency access?			\boxtimes		

- a) The proposed project will have no impact on transit. An encroachment permit from Public Works for construction work within the public right-of-way will be required. A referral was sent to the San Joaquin County Department of Public Works on September 20, 2019. The Department responded in a letter dated October 28, 2019. No traffic study is required. A Traffic Impact Mitigation Fee and a Regional Transportation Impact Fee will be required as a condition of approval to ensure the impact on traffic will be less than significant.
- b) Projects that decrease vehicle miles traveled in the project area have a less than significant transportation impact.
- c) The proposed project has direct access from S. Harlan Road and S. El Dorado Street that provide for adequate access for emergency equipment. Development Title Section 9-1145.5 requires that egress shall be designed to prevent encroachment onto opposing lanes of traffic. Pursuant to Development Title Section 9-1015.5(h)(1), access driveways shall have a width of no less than twenty-five (25) feet for two-way aisles and sixteen (16) feet for one-way aisles, except that in no case shall driveways designated as fire department access be less than twenty (20) feet wide. With these required improvements, the project's impact on emergency access will be less than significant.

<u>XV</u> a)	Wo the Pul fea def sac	RIBAL CULTURAL RESOURCES. Fulld the project cause a substantial adverse change in significance of a tribal cultural resource, defined in polic Resources Code section 21074 as either a site, ture, place, cultural landscape that is geographically ined in terms of the size and scope of the landscape, pred place, or object with cultural value to a California tive American tribe, and that is:	Potentially Significant Impact	Less I nan Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact	Analyzed In The Prior EIR
	i)	Listed or eligible for listing in the California Register of Historical Resources, or in a local register of historical resources as defined in Public Resources Code section 5020.1(k), or	_			\boxtimes	
	ii)	A resource determined by the lead agency, in its discretion and supported by substantial evidence, to be significant pursuant to criteria set forth in subdivision (c) of Public Resources Code Section 5024.1. In applying the criteria set forth in subdivision (c) of Public Resource Code Section 5024.1, the lead agency shall consider the significance of the resource to a California Native American tribe.				\boxtimes	

This project is located in the Urban community of French Camp, one-quarter mile west of French Camp Slough. French Camp Slough is a seven-mile waterway in an agricultural watershed in San Joaquin County, formed by the confluence of two tributaries, Littlejohns Creek and Lone Tree Creek, terminating in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta. There are no known significant tribal cultural resources in the vicinity.

A project referral was sent to the California Tribal TANF Partnership, the California Native American Heritage Commission, the California Valley Miwok Tribe, the North Valley Yokuts Tribe, and the United Auburn Indian Community for review. No responses were received before or after the review period.

The project must comply with state and federal laws regarding any resources or remains found during construction. If, in the course of development, concentrations of prehistoric or historic-period materials are encountered, all work in the vicinity of the find must be halted until an archaeologist can evaluate the materials and make recommendations for further action. If human remains are encountered, all work must halt in the vicinity and the County Coroner shall be notified immediately. At the same time, a qualified archaeologist shall be contacted to evaluate the finds. If Human burials are found to be of Native American origin, steps shall be taken pursuant to Section 15064.5(e) of Guidelines for California Environmental Quality Act.

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vvo a)	uld the project: Require or result in the relocation or construction of new					
,	or expanded water, wastewater treatment, or storm water drainage, electric power, natural gas, or telecommunications facilities, the construction or relocation of which could cause significant environmental effects?				\boxtimes	
b)	Have sufficient water supplies available to serve the project and reasonably foreseeable future development during normal, dry and multiple dry years?				\boxtimes	
c)	Result in a determination by the wastewater treatment provider which serves or may serve the project that it has adequate capacity to serve the project's projected demand in addition to the provider's existing commitments?				\boxtimes	
d)	Generate solid waste in excess of State or local standards, or in excess of the capacity of local infrastructure, or otherwise impair the attainment of solid waste reduction goals?				\boxtimes	
e)	Comply with federal, state, and local management and reduction statutes and regulations related to solid waste?				\boxtimes	
lm	nact Discussion:					

- a) The project will not require new public facilities and no new structures are proposed. The existing residence will continue to utilize the onsite well, private septic system and retention pond.
- d-e) The proposed project is a truck parking facility for parking 44 truck/trailer units. As proposed, the project will not generate solid waste in excess of State and local standards.

		Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact	Analyzed In The Prior EIR
If cla	L. WILDFIRE. located in or near state responsibility areas or lands ssified as very high fire hazard severity zones, would the oject: Substantially impair an adopted emergency response plan or emergency evacuation plan?				\boxtimes	
b)	Due to slope, prevailing winds, and other factors, exacerbate wildfire risks, and thereby expose project occupants to pollutant concentrations from a wildfire or the uncontrolled spread of a wildfire?				\boxtimes	
c)	Require the installation or maintenance of associated infrastructure (such as roads, fuel breaks, emergency water sources, power lines or other utilities) that may exacerbate fire risk or that may result in temporary or ongoing impacts to the environment?				\boxtimes	
d)	Expose people or structures to significant risks, including downslope or downstream flooding or landslides, as a result of runoff, post-fire slope instability, or drainage changes?				\boxtimes	

a-d) The project is a truck parking lot. The project location is in the urban community of French Camp, CA, which is not identified as a Community at Risk from Wildfire by Cal Fire's "Fire Risk Assessment Program". Communities at Risk from Wildfire are those places within 1.5 miles of areas of High or Very High wildfire threat as determined from CDF-FRAP fuels and hazard data. Therefore, the impact of wildfires on the project are less than significant.

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	Ones the project have the potential to substantially degrade the quality of the environment, substantially reduce the habitat of a fish or wildlife species, cause a fish or wildlife population to drop below self-sustaining levels, threaten to eliminate a plant or animal community, substantially reduce the number or restrict the range of a rare or endangered plant or animal or eliminate important examples of the major periods of California history or prehistory?			past		
b)	Does the project have impacts that are individually limited, but cumulatively considerable? ("Cumulatively considerable" means that the incremental effects of a project are considerable when viewed in connection with the effects of past projects, the effects of other current projects, and the effects of probable future projects)?			\boxtimes		
c)	Does the project have environmental effects which will cause substantial adverse effects on human beings, either directly or indirectly?			\boxtimes		
lm	pact Discussion:					
a)	The proposed project does not appear to have the potential environment, or substantially reduce the habitat of a fish or below self-sustaining levels, threaten to eliminate a plant or of a rare or endangered plant or animal or eliminate imporprehistory. There are no identified historic or prehistoric paleontological resources have been identified in the project	wildlife sper animal comi tant example resources	cies, cause a fish munity, reduce th es of the major p	n or wildlife p e number or periods of Ca	oopulation restrict alifornia	on to drop the range history or
	The applicant has chosen to participate in the San Joaquin CPlan (SJMSCP), which provides compensation for the converte plant, fish and wildlife species covered by the Plant consistent with the SJMSCP. Therefore, any impacts to biomitigated to less-than-significant.	ersion of Ope With the ap	en Space to non- plicant's participa	Open Space ation, the pr	uses w oposed	hich affect project is
b)	The project is not expected to have cumulatively considerable with an approved Site Approval application in the Limited In an industrial corridor within 1600 feet of Interstate 5 on and Plan 2035. In addition, by providing truck parking for independent that the potential to reduce the total amount of miles driven than significant.	dustrial zone off ramps. T ndent drivers	e. The project loca he project will be s in an area of hig	ation is on ar in conforma gh truck volu	n STAA nce with me, the	route in General project
c)	With the recommended mitigation measures for air quality, be will become conditions of approval, the project does not have effects on human beings.	oiological res ve environme	ources, storm dra ental effects that v	ainage,and tr vill cause su	ansport bstantia	ation that Il adverse

Note: Authority cited: Sections 21083, 21083.05, Public Resources Code. Reference: Section 65088.4, Gov. Code; Sections 21080, 21083.05, 21095, Pub. Resources Code; Eureka Citizens for Responsible Govt. v. City of Eureka (2007) 147 Cal.App.4th 357; Protect the Historic Amador Waterways v. Amador Water Agency (2004) 116 Cal.App.4th at 1109; San Franciscans Upholding the Downtown Plan v. City and County of San Francisco (2002) 102 Cal.App.4th 656.

ATTACHMENT: (MAP[S] OR PROJECT SITE PLAN(S)

