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Notice of Preparation

February 3, 2020

To: Reviewing Agencies
Re: Whitewater River Groundwater Replenishment Project
SCH# 2020020004

Attached for your review and comment is the Notice of Preparation (NOP) for the Whitewater River Groundwater Replenishment Project draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR).

Responsible agencies must transmit their comments on the scope and content of the NOP, focusing on specific information related to their own statutory responsibility, within 30 days of receipt of the NOP from the Lead Agency. This is a courtesy notice provided by the State Clearinghouse with a reminder for you to comment in a timely manner. We encourage other agencies to also respond to this notice and express their concerns early in the environmental review process.

Please direct your comments to:

**William Patterson
Coachella Valley Water District
75-515 Hovley Lane East
Palm Desert, CA 92211**

with a copy to the State Clearinghouse in the Office of Planning and Research at state.clearinghouse@opr.ca.gov. Please refer to the SCH number noted above in all correspondence concerning this project on our website: <https://ceqanet.opr.ca.gov/2020020004/2>.

If you have any questions about the environmental document review process, please call the State Clearinghouse at (916) 445-0613.

Sincerely,

Scott Morgan
Director, State Clearinghouse

cc: Lead Agency