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SCH #: _____

Project Title: Vegetation Removal Project

Lead Agency: City of Half Moon Bay

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Project Location: Half Moon Bay, County of San Mateo
City *County*

Project Description (Proposed actions, location, and/or consequences).

Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) is seeking a Coastal Development Permit (CDP) in support of the Vegetation Removal Project (project) located in the City of Half Moon Bay, San Mateo County, California. The project involves vegetation maintenance (e.g., removing trees and brush) within PG&E's existing rights-of-way (ROW) that contain a high-pressure natural gas transmission pipeline. Tree and brush removal would be limited to specific vegetation that has been determined to pose a hazard to pipeline integrity due to close proximity, species, and size. Tree removal would be limited to within 14 feet from the edge of the pipeline and brush within 5 feet.

Identify the project's significant or potentially significant effects and briefly describe any proposed mitigation measures that would reduce or avoid that effect.

The project would have potentially significant impacts on Air Quality. Mitigation measures are provided to require implementation of airborne pollution control measures and Basic Construction Mitigation Measures. The project would have potentially significant impacts on Biological Resources. Mitigation measures are provided to require implementation of general control measures, biological monitoring, avoidance of nesting birds, and tree compensation. The project would have potentially significant impacts on Hazardous Materials. Mitigation measures are provided to limit equipment fueling to designated areas away from the water feature, require regular equipment inspections for leaks, and require cleanup kits to be maintained on-site. The project would have potentially significant impacts on Hydrology and Water Quality. Mitigation measures are provided to restrict vegetation removal and fueling activities to areas away from the water feature, require standard sediment and erosion control, and ensure that no silt or hazardous material enters the watercourse during the project. The project would have potentially significant impacts on Transportation. Mitigation measures are provided to require implementation of traffic control devices. The project would have potentially significant impacts on Wildfire. Mitigation measures are provided require that fire protection controls be maintained on-site and that all internal combustion engines be equipped with spark arrestors.

If applicable, describe any of the project's areas of controversy known to the Lead Agency, including issues raised by agencies and the public.

The project does not have any areas of controversy.

Provide a list of the responsible or trustee agencies for the project.

California Department of Fish and Wildlife
California Department of Transportation
California Coastal Commission