NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

TO:

Governor's Office of Planning and Research State Clearinghouse 1400 Tenth Street, Room 113 Sacramento, CA 95812 FROM:

State Water Resources Control Board Division of Financial Assistance 1001 I Street 16th Floor Sacramento, CA 95814

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER: 2020070034

PROJECT NUMBER: C-06-8593-110

PROJECT TITLE: Rexland Acres Sewer Connection Project (Rexland Acres Sewer

Expansion Project) (Project)

PROJECT LOCATION: Rexland Acres neighborhood of Bakersfield, Kern County

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) is a Responsible Agency for the Project. The State Water Board's Clean Water State Revolving Fund (SRF) Program is financing the Project. The Project includes the construction of additional sewer lines within the rural community of Rexland Acres for collection and delivery of wastewater to the Kern Sanitation Authority Wastewater Treatment Plant. The Project includes the following components: construction of 620 linear feet (LF) of 12-inch polyvinyl chloride (PVC) sewer main, 16,140 LF of 8-inch PVC sewer main, 182 sewer laterals ranging from 20 to 200 feet long each, 43 manholes, three sewer clean outs, a connection to the existing Rexland Acres sewer system, modification to existing lift stations, and abandonment of 182 septic tanks.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING PROJECT AND CARRYING OUT PROJECT: The State Water Board has approved SRF financing for the Project described above on March 14, 2024. The County of Kern will be carrying out the Project. The State Water Board has made the following California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) determinations regarding the Project:

- 1. The Project will not have a significant effect on the environment. The Project will not have a significant effect on water quality impacts. This determination is limited to effects on water quality under the State Water Board's jurisdiction as a Responsible Agency.
- 2. A Mitigated Negative Declaration was prepared and adopted for the Project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
- 3. Mitigation measures were made a condition of approval of the Project.

4. A mitigation monitoring and reporting plan was adopted for the Project.

LEAD AGENCY: County of Kern

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A record of financing approval for the Project is available to the general public at the State Water Board, Division of Financial Assistance at 1001 I Street, 16th Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814. The Mitigated Negative Declaration is available from the Lead Agency.

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