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NOTICE OF DETERMINATION
(CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT OF 1970)

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

1. The Board of Supervisors of the County of Kern has approved the following described project in the County of Kern, State of California:

- a. Applicant, or sponsoring agency or department: Kern County Public Health Service Department, Environmental Health Division (Lead Agency);
- b. Name of Project: Ridgecrest Burn Dump #1 Remediation Project, State Clearinghouse # 2020079015;
- c. Street Address/Cross-Street of Project: APN 511-020-03 in Ridgecrest, California (Section 31 of Township 27 South, Range 40 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian), two miles southwest of the City of Ridgecrest and 0.28 miles south of the Brown Road, China Lake Boulevard, and State Highway 395 convergence;

Map of Project (if no street address): Attached

- d. Description of Project: The Project will include covering the disposal trenches with a minimum of two feet of soil as cover, including the areas in between the burn trenches. The cover system will be comprised of clean soil excavated from the adjacent on-site borrow area; approximately 23,500 cubic yards of soil will be placed in the burn dump area. Surficial scatter, vegetation, and other residual materials will be collected and incorporated into the trench area prior to the placement of cover. Once construction is complete, areas will be revegetated through drill and hydroseeding. The objective of the Project is to reduce the potential for environmental and public health and safety risks associated with unstable slopes and exposed burn waste.

2. Approval – Summary of Proceedings:

Adoption date December 15, 2020, Item No. 47 9:00 a.m.

3. The Board of Supervisors of the County of Kern has determined that the project in its approved form will not have a significant effect on the environment.

4. A Mitigated Negative Declaration/Initial Study Checklist and a Mitigation Measure Monitoring Program were prepared pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act of 1970 (CEQA) and the State CEQA Guidelines and was received and considered by the Board and adopted as required by Section 15074 of the State CEQA Guidelines.

5. Mitigation measures and a Mitigation Measure Monitoring Program were made as conditions of approval of the project.

6. A copy of the Mitigated Negative Declaration may be examined by any interested person on the Kern County Public Health Services Department (KCPHSD) website at www.kernpublichealth.com (Telephone No. 661-862-8740).

Notice of Environmental Document
Posted by County Clerk on 12-22-2020
and for 30 days thereafter, Pursuant to
Section 21152(C), Public Resources Code

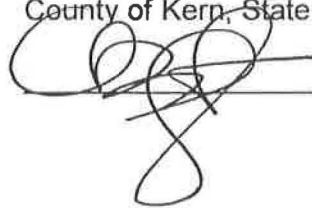
Dated this 21 day of December, 2020.

This Notice of Determination is filed on December 21, 2020

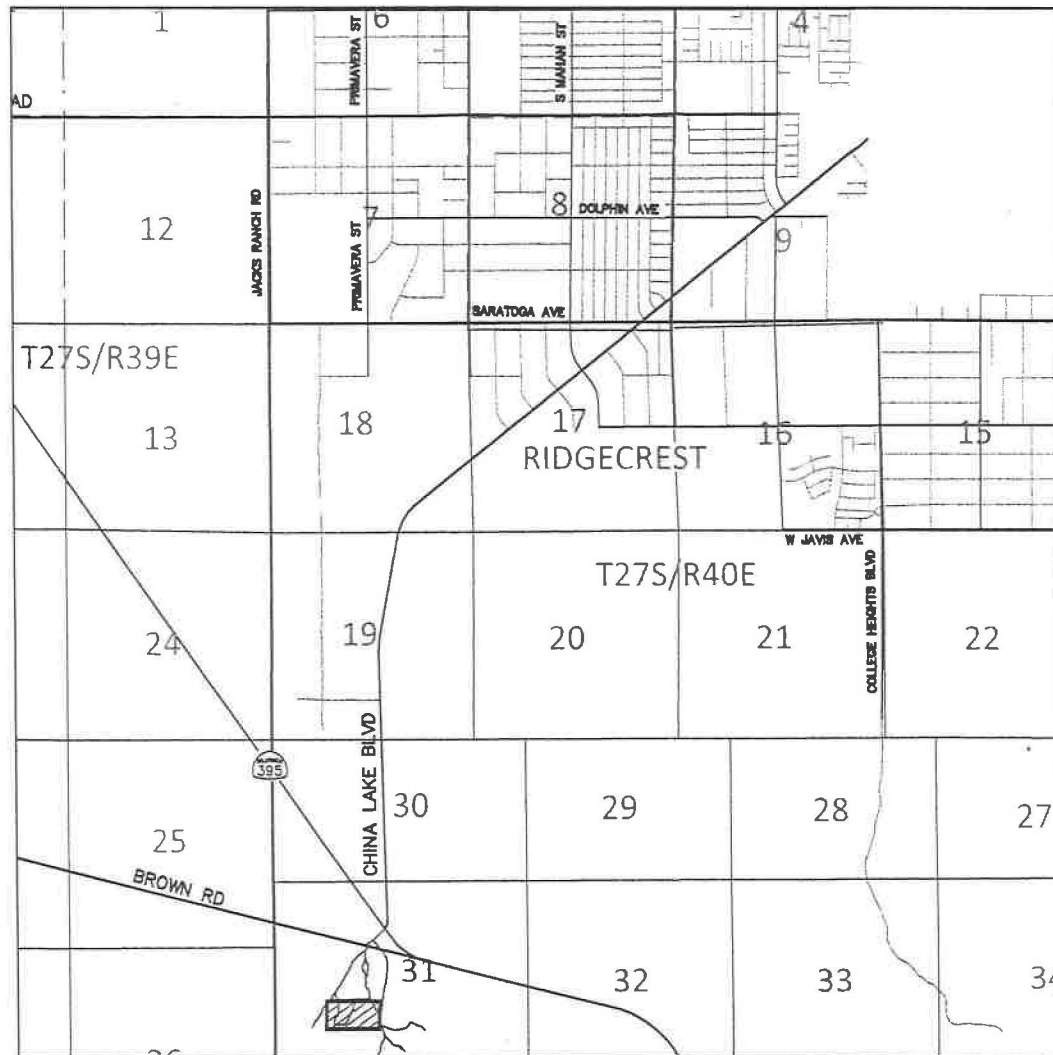
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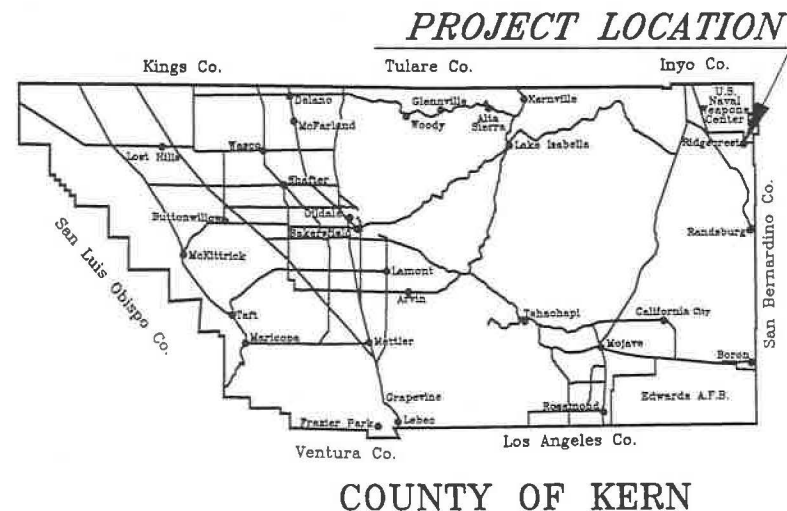
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BC:jm (12/18/20)



LOCATION MAP



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