Notice of Availability and Intent to Adopt an Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration

To: Public Agencies, Organizations and Other Interested Parties

From: Town of Hillsborough Public Works Department 1320 La Honda Road Hillsborough, California 94010

Subject: Sandra Hayne Storm Drain Replacement

& Creek Daylighting Project

Draft Initial Study and Mitigated Negative Declaration

Notice is hereby given that the Town of Hillsborough, acting as Lead Agency under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), is releasing for review and comment to all agencies, organizations and interested persons, a Draft Initial Study and Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND) for the Pleasanton Stream Maintenance Project (Project).

Public Review Period: The Draft IS/MND is being circulated for a 30-day review period beginning **August 24, 2020 to September 22, 2020** pursuant to Section 15105 of the CEQA Guidelines. Persons responding are urged to submit their comments in writing. Comments should be mailed or emailed to the City, at the addresses listed below, by no later than **5 p.m. on September 22nd**.

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Project Location: The Project Site is located in the Town of Hillsborough, San Mateo County, California at Assessor's Parcel Numbers (APNs) 030-272-010 and 030-273-010. Work would be completed on private properties at 85 Sandra Road, 1465 San Raymundo, and a private parcel on Hayne Road with no site address. Work would follow Cherry Creek and the surrounding creek bank near the intersection of Sandra Road and Hayne Road.

Project Description: The purpose of the Proposed Project is to: 1) replace a culvert that is creating downstream erosion, and 2) restore stream habitat downstream of the culvert. This would be accomplished by "daylighting" a portion of the stream that is currently conveyed through the existing culvert and implementing geomorphic channel stabilization design strategies.

Public Hearing Dates: A public hearing date for the Town of Hillsborough City Council to review the IS/MND and Project has been tentatively scheduled for **October 12, 2020 at 6pm**.

CEQA Project Status: A Draft Initial Study and Mitigated Negative Declaration have been prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA. The Draft IS/MND prepared for this Project demonstrates that the Project will not have any significant or unmitigable effects on the environment. As a result of the adoption of this document and the implementation of the proposed mitigation measures, the Project will not have any significant or unmitigable effects on the environment.

The Draft IS//MND and all related analysis are available online to the General Public on the Town's website at: https://www.hillsborough.net/290/Public-Notices