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SCH #

Project Title: Big Tujunga Reservoir Restoration Project

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 City: Alhambra Zip: 91802-1460 County: Los Angeles

Project Location: County: Los Angeles City/Nearest Community: La Crescenta-Montrose, Sunland

Cross Streets: Big Tujunga Canyon Road/Angeles Forest Highway Zip Code: 91501

Longitude/Latitude (degrees, minutes and seconds): 34°17'48" N/118°11'09" W Total Acres: 45 (BTR)
29 (SPS)

Assessor's Parcel No.: _____ Section: 1 (BTR) Twp: 2N Range: 13W (BTR) Base: Condor
1 & 6 (SPS) 13W & 12W (SPS) Peak

Within 2 Miles: State Hwy. #: SR-2 Waterways: Big Tujunga Canyon Creek

Airports: None Railways: None Schools: None

Document Type:

CEQA: NOP Draft EIR NEPA: NOI Other: Joint Document
 Early Cons Supplement/Subsequent EIR EA Final Document
 Neg Dec (Prior SCH No.) Draft EIS Other: _____
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Local Action Type:

General Plan Update Specific Plan Rezone Annexation
 General Plan Amendment Master Plan Prezone Redevelopment
 General Plan Element Planned Unit Development Use Permit Coastal Permit
 Community Plan Site Plan Land Division (subdivision, etc.) Other: Sediment Removal

Development Type:

Residential: Units _____ Acres _____
 Office: Sq.ft. _____ Acres _____ Employees _____ Transportation: Type _____
 Commercial: Sq.ft. _____ Acres _____ Employees _____ Mining: Mineral _____
 Industrial: Sq.ft. _____ Acres _____ Employees _____ Power: Type _____ MW _____
 Educational _____ Waste Treatment: Type _____ MGD _____
 Recreational _____ Hazardous Waste: Type _____
 Water Facilities: Type _____ MGD _____ Other: Sediment Removal

Project Issues Discussed in Document:

Aesthetics/Visual Flood Plain/Flooding Recreation/Parks Tribal Cultural Resources
 Agricultural Land Forest Land/Fire Hazard Schools/Universities Vegetation
 Air Quality Geologic/Seismic Septic Systems Water Quality
 Archaeological/Historical Greenhouse Gas Emissions Sewer Capacity Water Supply/Groundwater
 Biological Resources Minerals Soil Erosion/Compaction/Grading Wetland/Riparian
 Coastal Zone Noise Solid Waste Growth Inducement
 Drainage/Absorption Population/Housing Balance Toxic/Hazardous Land Use
 Economic/Jobs Public Services/Facilities Traffic/Circulation Cumulative Effects
 Fiscal Other: Energy

Present Land Use/Zoning/General Plan Designation:

Big Tujunga Reservoir (BTR) and Maple Canyon Sediment Placement Site (SPS); Open Space (OS) zoning; O-NF (National Forest) designation

Project Description: (please use a separate page if necessary)

The proposed Project involves the removal of sediment from the Big Tujunga Reservoir (BTR) and placement of the sediment in the adjacent Maple Canyon Sediment Placement Site (SPS), which is located approximately 1.9 miles (when traveling via existing access roads) from BTR to the upper reach of Maple Canyon SPS. Maple Canyon SPS can accommodate approximately 4.4 million cubic yards (mcy) of additional sediment, which would bring the SPS to its ultimate planned sediment capacity. The Project involves the use of trucks and equipment to remove sediment and restore capacity to the BTR, and to allow it to adequately perform its main functions of flood control and water conservation. The following minor activities would occur in conjunction with the proposed sediment removal: (1) hydroblasting to flush a stilling well on the dam crest; (2) repairing the hydraulic sluiceway; (3) paving the unpaved sections of the north access road and repairing the culvert crossing; (4) incorporating slope protection measures adjacent to the spillway; (5) rehabilitating the northern reservoir access ramp to safely access the Reservoir bottom; (6) installing a boat dock at the dam face; and (7) performing minor coring on existing dam riser and installing a slide gate to facilitate dewatering. Pursuant to Section 15367 of the State CEQA Guidelines, the LACFCD, now administered by the Los Angeles County Public Works (Public Works), is the Lead Agency for the Project.

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<input type="checkbox"/> California Highway Patrol	<input type="checkbox"/> Pesticide Regulation, Department of
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Local Public Review Period (to be filled in by lead agency)

Starting Date: September 24, 2021

Ending Date: October 25, 2021

Lead Agency (Complete if applicable):

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