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# NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Fresno County Clerk 2221 Kern Street Fresno, CA 93721–2198 FROM:

City of Kingsburg 1401 Draper Street Kingsburg, CA 93631 Alexander Henderson City Manager

COUNCIL MEMBERS

**PROJECT TITLE:** Bethel & Sierra Roundabout

**LOCATION:** Intersection of Bethel Avenue and Sierra Street (SR 201)

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:** The Project consists of the construction of a single-lane roundabout at the intersection of Sierra Street and Bethel Avenue to reduce collisions and increase safety.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: City of Kingsburg

EXEMPT STATUS: Categorical Exemption Class: 3; 14 CCR 15303

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:** This project falls under a Class 3 Categorical Exemption of construction of limited numbers of new, small facilities. The proposed facility is the construction of a roundabout.

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Date: December 21, 2020

# **Environmental Checklist Form**

### **City of Kingsburg**

#### Date: December 21, 2020

### PROJECT: Bethel Ave & Sierra St Roundabout

#### I. PROJECT INFORMATION

1. Project title:

Bethel & Sierra Roundabout

2. Lead agency name and address:

City of Kingsburg 1401 Draper Street Kingsburg, California 93631

3. Contact person and phone number:

David Peters, PE, TE - City Engineer (559) 299-1544

4. Project location:

Intersection of Bethel Avenue and Sierra Street (SR 201)

5. Project sponsor's name and address:

City of Kingsburg 1401 Draper Street Kingsburg, California 93631

- 6. General plan designation: Low density residential
- 7. Zoning:

The project is located in zones: R-1-7

8. Description of project: (Describe the whole action involved, including but not limited to physical characteristics, site, later phases of the project, and any secondary, support, or off- site features necessary for its implementation and site selection process. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

The project will construct a single-lane roundabout, including the construction of sidewalk, curb and gutter, and the installation of solar flashing beacons and street lighting. This project will improve safety for the existing and future residents of the planned developments at this intersection.

9. Surrounding land uses and environmental setting: Briefly describe the project's surroundings:

The intersection is located at the western edge of Kingsburg. An existing low density residential development is on the south east corner of the intersection. The future development areas to the north and west are in the City's sphere of influence, but are currently agriculture.

10. Have California Native American tribes traditionally and culturally affiliated with the project area requested consultation pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21080.1.1? if so, is there a plan for consultation that includes, for example, the determination of significance of impacts to tribal cultural resources, procedures regarding confidentiality, etc.?

The project is not located in a tribal land area and will not cause any impact on tribal cultural resources, procedures regarding confidentiality.

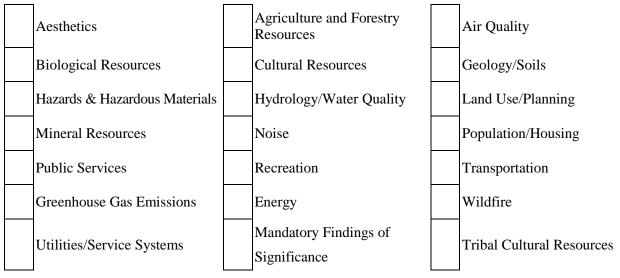
11. Discretionary approval authority and other public agencies whose approval is required (e.g., permits, financing approval, or participation agreement.)

City of Kingsburg encroachment permit will be required (construction equipment access and traffic control).

NOTE: Conducting consultation early in the CEQA process allows tribal governments, lead agencies, and project proponents to discuss the level of environmental review, identify and address potential adverse impacts to tribal cultural resources, and reduce the potential for delay and conflict in the environmental review process. (See Public Resources Code section 21080.3.2) Information may also be available from the California Native American Heritage Commission's Sacred Lands File per Public Resources Code section 5097.96 and the California Historical Resources Information System administered by the California Office of Historic Preservation. Please also note that Public Resources Code Section 21082.3(c) contains provisions specific to confidentiality.

## **III. ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS POTENTIALLY AFFECTED:**

The environmental factors checked below would be potentially affected by this project, involving at least one impact that is a "Potentially Significant Impact" as indicated by the checklist on the following pages.



## **IV. DETERMINATION: (To be completed by the Lead Agency)**

On the basis of the initial evaluation that follows:

X I find that the proposed project COULD NOT have a significant effect on the environment, and a NEGATIVE DECLARATION will be prepared.

I find that although the proposed project could have a significant effect on the environment, there will not be a significant effect in this case because revisions in the project have been made by or agreed to by the project proponent. A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION will be prepared.

I find that the proposed project MAY have a significant effect on the environment, and an ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT is required.

I find that the proposed project MAY have a "potentially significant impact" or "potentially significant unless mitigated" impact on the environment, but at least one effect 1) has been adequately analyzed in an earlier document pursuant to applicable legal standards, and 2) has been addressed by mitigation measures based on the earlier analysis as described on attached sheets. An ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT is required, but it must analyze only the effects that remain to be addressed.

I find that although the proposed project could have a significant effect on the environment, because all potentially significant effects (a) have been analyzed adequately in an earlier EIR or NEGATIVE DECLARATION pursuant to applicable standards, and (b) have been avoided or mitigated pursuant to that earlier EIR or NEGATIVE DECLARATION, including revisions or mitigation measures that are imposed upon the proposed project, no further environmental document is required. FINDINGS consistent with this determination will be prepared.

Manditor Signature Date 12/21/20

## **EVALUATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS:**

1) A brief explanation is required for all answers except "No Impact" answers that are adequately supported by the information sources a lead agency cites in the parentheses following each question. A "No Impact" answer is adequately supported if the referenced information sources show that the impact simply does not apply to projects like the one involved (e.g., the project falls outside a fault rupture zone). A "No Impact" answer should be explained where it is based on project-specific factors as well as general standards (e.g., the project will not expose sensitive receptors to pollutants, based on a project-specific screening analysis).

2) All answers must take account of the whole action involved, including off-site as well as on-site, cumulative as well as project-level, indirect as well as direct, and construction as well as operational impacts.

3) Once the lead agency has determined that a particular physical impact may occur, then the checklist answers must indicate whether the impact is potentially significant, less than significant with mitigation, or less than significant. "Potentially Significant Impact" is appropriate if there is substantial evidence that an effect may be significant. If there are one or more "Potentially Significant Impact" entries when the determination is made, an EIR is required.

4) "Negative Declaration: Less Than Significant With Mitigation Incorporated" applies where the incorporation of mitigation measures has reduced an effect from "Potentially Significant Impact" to a "Less Than Significant Impact." The lead agency must describe the mitigation measures, and briefly explain how they reduce the effect to a less than significant level (mitigation measures from "Earlier Analyses," as described in (5) below, may be cross-referenced).

- 5) Earlier analyses may be used where, pursuant to the tiering, program EIR, or other CEQA process, an effect has been adequately analyzed in an earlier EIR or negative declaration. Section 15063(c)(3)(D). In this case, a brief discussion should identify the following:
  - a. Earlier Analysis Used. Identify and state where they are available for review.
  - b. Impacts Adequately Addressed. Identify which effects from the above checklist were within the scope of and adequately analyzed in an earlier document pursuant to applicable legal standards, and state whether such effects were addressed by mitigation measures based on the earlier analysis.
  - c. Mitigation Measures. For effects that are "Less than Significant with Mitigation Measures Incorporated," describe the mitigation measures which were incorporated or refined from the earlier document and the extent to which they address site-specific conditions for the project.
- 6) Lead agencies are encouraged to incorporate into the checklist references to information sources for potential impacts (e.g., general plans, zoning ordinances). Reference to a previously prepared or outside document should, where appropriate, include a reference to the page or pages where the statement is substantiated.
- 7) Supporting Information Sources: A source list should be attached, and other sources used or individuals contacted should be cited in the discussion.
- 8) This is only a suggested form, and lead agencies are free to use different formats; however, lead agencies should normally address the questions from this checklist that are relevant to a project's environmental effects in whatever format is selected.
- 9) The explanation of each issue should identify:
  - a. the significance criteria or threshold, if any, used to evaluate each question; and
  - b. the mitigation measure identified, if any, to reduce the impact to less than significance

#### ENVIRONMENTAL SIGNIFICANCE CHECKLIST

This checklist identifies physical, biological, social and economic factors that might be affected by the proposed project. In many cases, background studies performed in connection with the projects indicate no impacts. A NO IMPACT answer in the last column reflects this determination. Where there is a need for clarifying discussion, the discussion is included in Section VI following the checklist. The words "significant" and "significance" used throughout the following checklist are related to CEQA, not NEPA, impacts.

	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant With Mitigation Incorporation	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
<ul> <li><u>I. AESTHETICS</u> – Except as provided in Public Resources Code Section 21099, would the project:</li> <li>a) Have a substantial adverse effect on a scenic vista? <u>Clarification :</u> Project area is not located within a scenic vista?</li> </ul>				X
<ul> <li>b) Substantially damage scenic resources, including, but not limited to, trees, rock outcroppings, and historic buildings within a state scenic highway?</li> <li><u>Clarification</u>: Project area is not located within a scenic vision or other elements of aesthetic importance.</li> </ul>	ta			X
<ul> <li>c) In non-urbanized areas, substantially degrade the existing visual character or quality of public views of the site and its surroundings? (Public views are those that are experienced from publicly accessible vantage point). If the project is in an urbanized area, would the project conflict with applicable zoning and other regulations governing scenic quality?</li> <li><u>Clarification</u>: Project aesthetic are consist with similar improvements around the City and do not degrade the surroundings.</li> </ul>	1			X
<ul> <li>d) Create a new source of substantial light or glare which would adversely affect day or nighttime views in the area?</li> <li><u>Clarification</u>: The proposed improvements do not create a source of substantial light or glare.</li> </ul>				X
II. AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY RESOURCES In determining whether impacts to agricultural resources are significant environmental effects, lead agencies may refer to the California Agricultural Land Evaluation and Site Assessment Model (1997) prepared by the California Dept. of Conservation as an optional model to use in assessing impacts on agriculture and farmland. Would the project: a) Convert Prime Farmland, Unique Farmland, or Farmland of				
<ul> <li>a) Convert Prime Farmland, Unique Farmland, or Farmland of Statewide Importance (Farmland), as shown on the maps prepared pursuant to the Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program of the California Resources Agency, to non-agricultural use?</li> <li><u>Clarification:</u> The project will convert a minimal amount of prime farmland on the north east (5,262sqft), south west(2,821sqft), and north west(6,561sqft) corners.</li> </ul>			X	
b) Conflict with existing zoning for agricultural use, or a Williamson Act contract?				X

<u>Clarification :</u> The project will not affect any Williamson Act contracts.

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<ul> <li>c) Involve other changes in the existing environment which, due to their location or nature, could result in conversion of Farmland, to non-agricultural use?</li> <li><u>Clarification</u>: The project will convert a minimal amount of prime farmland on the north east (5,262sqft), south west(2,821sqft), and north west(6,561sqft) corners.</li> </ul>			X	
<u>III. AIR QUALITY</u> Where available, the significance criteria established by the applicable air quality management or air pollution control district may be relied upon to make the following determinations. Would the project: a) Conflict with or obstruct implementation of the applicable air quality plan? <u>Clarification : The project does not conflict with an air</u>				X
<ul> <li><i>quality plan.</i></li> <li>b) Result in a cumulatively considerable net increase of any criteria pollutant for which the project region is non- attainment under an applicable federal or state ambient air quality standard. <i>Clarification : The project is not capacity increasing.</i></li> </ul>				X
<ul> <li><i>Therefore it does not affect air quality.</i></li> <li>c) Expose sensitive receptors to substantial pollutant concentrations?</li> <li><u>Clarification :</u> The project is not capacity increasing.</li> </ul>				X
<ul> <li>Therefore it does not affect air quality.</li> <li>d) Result in other emissions (such as those leading to odors) adversely affecting a substantial number of people?</li> <li><u>Clarification :</u> The project will not produce an objectionable odor.</li> </ul>				X
<ul> <li><u>IV. BIOLOGICAL RESOURCES</u> Would the project:</li> <li>a) Have a substantial adverse effect, either directly or through habitat modifications, on any species identified as a candidate, sensitive, or special status species in local or regional plans, policies, or regulations, or by the California Department of Fish and Game or U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service?</li> <li><u>Clarification :</u> The project will not impact any sensitive wildle or vegetation.</li> </ul>	ife			X
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c) Have a substantial adverse effect on state or federally protected wetlands (including, but not limited to, marsh, vernal pool, coastal, etc.) through direct removal, filling, hydrological interruption, or other means?				X

<u>Clarification</u>: The project area is not located in a state or federally protected wetlands area.

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d) Interfere substantially with the movement of any native resident or migratory fish or wildlife species or with established native resident or migratory wildlife corridors, or impede the use of native wildlife nursery sites?				X
<u>Clarification :</u> The project area is not located near any bodi water.	es of			
e) Conflict with any local policies or ordinances protecting biological resources, such as a tree preservation policy or ordinance?				X
<u>Clarification :</u> The project will not affect biological resource	<i>es</i> .			
<ul> <li>f) Conflict with the provisions of an adopted Habitat</li> <li>Conservation Plan, Natural Community Conservation Plan, or</li> <li>other approved local, regional, or state habitat conservation plan?</li> <li><u>Clarification :</u> The project will not conflict with any of the additional states of the state of the state of the states of the state of the states of the state</li></ul>				X
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<u>V. CULTURAL RESOURCES</u> Would the project: a) Cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of a historical resource pursuant to in §15064.5?				X
<u>Clarification :</u> The project will not impact any historical or archeological resource.				
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<u>Clarification :</u> The project will not impact any historical or archeological resource.				
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VI. ENERGY Would the project:				
a) Result in potentially significant environmental impact due to wasteful, inefficient, or unnecessary consumption of energy resources, during project construction or operation?				X
<u>Clarification :</u> The project does not involve the use of wastef inefficient or unnecessary consumption of energy resources during project construction or operation.	ful			
b) Conflict with or obstruct a state or local plan for renewable energy or energy efficiency?				X
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<u>VIII. GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS</u> Would the project: a) Generate greenhouse gas emissions, either directly or				X
indirectly, that may have a significant impact on the environment? <u>Clarification :</u> The project does not generate greenhouse gas emissions.	,			
b) Conflict with an applicable plan, policy or regulation adopted for the purpose of reducing the emission of greenhouse gases?				X
<u>Clarification :</u> The project does not conflict with any applicable plan, policy or regulation.				
IX. HAZARDS AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS – Would the project:				
a) Create a significant hazard to the public or the environment through the routine transport, use, or disposal of hazardous materials?				X
<u>Clarification :</u> The project does not involve the use or dispos of hazardous materials.	al			
b) Create a significant hazard to the public or the environment through reasonably foreseeable upset and accident conditions involving the release of hazardous materials into the environment?				X
<u>Clarification :</u> The project does not involve the use or dispos of hazardous materials.	al			
c) Emit hazardous emissions or handle hazardous or acutely hazardous materials, substances, or waste within one-quarter mile of an existing or proposed school?				X
<u>Clarification :</u> The project does not involve the use or dispos of hazardous materials.	al			
d) Be located on a site which is included on a list of hazardous materials sites compiled pursuant to Government Code Section 65962.5 and, as a result, would it create a significant hazard to the public or the environment?				X
<u>Clarification :</u> The project area is not located on a hazardou materials site.	S			
e) For a project located within an airport land use plan or, where such a plan has not been adopted, within two miles of a public airport or public use airport, would the project result in a safety hazard or excessive noise for people residing or working in the project area?				X
<u>Clarification</u> : The project does not involve the use of equipn impacting air space nor is an airport located within the City.	ıent			
<ul> <li>f) Impair implementation of or physically interfere with an adopted emergency response plan or emergency evacuation plan?</li> <li><u>Clarification</u>: The project does not obstruct an emergency</li> </ul>				X
response or evacuation plan.				X

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<ul> <li>g) Expose people or structures, either directly or indirectly, to a significant risk of loss, injury or death involving wildland fires.</li> <li><u>Clarification</u>: The project area is not located within areas the would be exposed to wildfire.</li> </ul>	at			
X. HYDROLOGY AND WATER QUALITY Would the project:				
a) Violate any water quality standards or waste discharge requirements or otherwise substantially degrade surface or ground water quality?				X
<u>Clarification :</u> The project will not violate any water quality standards or waste discharge requirements or degrade surfact or ground water quality.	re			
b) Substantially decrease groundwater supplies or interfere substantially with groundwater recharge such that the project may impede sustainable groundwater management of the basin?	lias			X
<u>Clarification :</u> The project will not deplete groundwater support or interfere with groundwater recharge.	lles			
c) Substantially alter the existing drainage pattern of the site or area, including through the alteration of the course of a stream or river or through the addition of impervious surfaces, in a manner which would:				X
<u>Clarification :</u> The project area is not located in a drainage swale, stream, or other surface runoff pattern.				
<ul> <li>i) result in substantial erosion or siltation on- or off-site;</li> <li><u>Clarification</u>: The project area is not located in a drainage swale, stream, or other surface runoff pattern.</li> </ul>				X
<ul> <li>ii) substantially increase the rate or amount of surface runoff in a manner which would result in flooding on- or offsite;</li> <li><u>Clarification</u>: The project area is not located in a drainage swale, stream, or other surface runoff pattern.</li> </ul>				X
<ul> <li>iii) create or contribute runoff water which would exceed the capacity of existing or planned stormwater drainage systems or provide substantial additional sources of polluted runoff; or         <u>Clarification :</u> The project does not create areas that would generate storm water runoff that would increase pre-existing storm water runoff conditions.</li> </ul>				X
iv) impede or redirect flood flows? <u>Clarification</u> : The project is not within a floodway or draina pattern.				X
<ul> <li>d) In flood hazard, tsunami, or seiche zones, risk release of pollutants due to project inundation?</li> <li><u>Clarification</u>: The project is not within a floodway or draina pattern.</li> </ul>	lige			X

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e) Conflict with or obstruct implementation of a water quality control plan or sustainable groundwater management plan? <u>Clarification :</u> The project does not create areas that would generate storm water runoff that would increase pre-existing storm water runoff conditions.				X
<ul> <li><u>XI. LAND USE AND PLANNING</u> - Would the project:</li> <li>a) Physically divide an established community? <u>Clarification :</u> The project will not divide a community.</li> </ul>				X
<ul> <li>b) Cause a significant environmental impact due to a conflict with any land use plan, policy, or regulation adopted for the purpose of avoiding or mitigating an environmental effect?</li> <li><u>Clarification</u>: The project is owned by the City and is approby the City Planning and Development Department.</li> </ul>	ved			X
XII. MINERAL RESOURCES Would the project: a) Result in the loss of availability of a known mineral resource that would be of value to the region and the residents of the state? <u>Clarification :</u> The project will not result in known mineral la because there are no known mineral resource sites in the pro- area.	oss			X
<ul> <li>b) Result in the loss of availability of a locally-important mineral resource recovery site delineated on a local general plan, specific plan or other land use plan?</li> <li><u>Clarification</u>: The project will not result in known mineral lebecause there are no known mineral resource sites in the project area.</li> </ul>	oss			X
<ul> <li><u>XIII. NOISE</u> – Would the project result in:</li> <li>a) Generation of a substantial temporary or permanent increase in ambient noise levels in the vicinity of the project in excess of standards established in the local general plan or noise ordinance, or applicable standards of other agencies?</li> <li><u>Clarification :</u> There will be a temporary increase in noise levels will the project. Upon completion of the project noise levels will</li> </ul>	vels			X
<ul> <li>b) Generation of excessive groundborne vibration or groundborne noise levels?</li> <li><u>Clarification</u>: The project will not generate ground vibration noise.</li> </ul>				X
c) For a project located within the vicinity of a private airstrip or an airport land use plan or, where such a plan has not been adopted, within two miles of a public airport or public use airport, would the project expose people residing or working in the project area to excessive noise levels?				X

<u>Clarification</u>: The project is not located within airport land use nor is an airport located within the City.

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<u>XIV. POPULATION AND HOUSING</u> Would the project: a) Induce substantial unplanned population growth in an area, either directly (for example, by proposing new homes and businesses) or indirectly (for example, through extension of roads or other infrastructure)? <u>Clarification :</u> The project will not induce substantial growth				X
b) Displace substantial numbers of existing people or housing, necessitating the construction of replacement housing elsewhere? <u>Clarification :</u> The project will not displace housing.				X
XV. PUBLIC SERVICES a) Would the project result in substantial adverse physical impacts associated with the provision of new or physically altered governmental facilities, need for new or physically altered governmental facilities, the construction of which could cause significant environmental impacts, in order to maintain acceptable service ratios, response times or other performance objectives for any of the public services: Fire protection?				
<u>Clarification</u> : The project will not impact fire protection				X
Police protection? <u>Clarification</u> : The project will not impact police operations.				X
Schools? <u>Clarification :</u> The project will not impact school operations.				X
Parks?				X
<u>Clarification :</u> The project will not impact park operations. Other public facilities? <u>Clarification :</u> The project will not impact other public facility	ties.			X
<u>XVI. RECREATION</u> – a) Would the project increase the use of existing neighborhood and regional parks or other recreational facilities such that substantial physical deterioration of the facility would occur or be accelerated?				X
<u>Clarification</u> : The project will not impact park operations. b) Does the project include recreational facilities or require the construction or expansion of recreational facilities which might have an adverse physical effect on the environment?				X
<u>Clarification</u> : The project does not involve construction of recreational facilities.				
XVII. TRANSPORTATION Would the project: a) Conflict with a program, plan, ordinance or policy addressing the circulation system, including transit, roadway, bicycle and pedestrian facilities?				X
<u>Clarification :</u> The project does not impact alternative transportation.				

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<ul> <li>b) Would the project conflict or be inconsistent with CEQA</li> <li>Guidelines section 15064.3, subdivision (b)?</li> <li><u>Clarification :</u> The project will not cause any conflict or be inconsistent with CEQA Guidelines section 15064.3, subdivis (b).</li> </ul>	sion			X
<ul> <li>c) Substantially increase hazards due to a geometric design feature (e.g., sharp curves or dangerous intersections) or incompatible uses (e.g., farm equipment)?</li> <li><u>Clarification :</u> The project does not increase hazards to exist design features.</li> </ul>	sting			X
<ul> <li>d) Result in inadequate emergency access?</li> <li><u>Clarification</u>: The project is not located in a emergency acc route.</li> </ul>	cess			X
XVIII. TRIBAL CULTURAL RESOURCES – Would the project cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of a tribal cultural resource, defined in Public Resources Code section 21074 as either a site, feature, place, cultural landscape that is geographically defined in terms of the size and scope of the landscape, sacred place, or object with cultural value to a California Native American tribe, and that is:				
a) Listed or eligible for listing in the California Register of Historical Resources, or in a local register of historical resources as defined in Public Resources Code section 5020.1(k), or <u>Clarification</u> : The project is not located in a tribal area and will not impact tribal cultural resource				X
<ul> <li>b) A resource determined by the lead agency, in its discretion an supported by substantial evidence, to be significant pursuant to criteria set forth in subdivision (c) of Public Resources Code Section 5024.1. In applying the criteria set forth in subdivision (c) of Public Resources Code Section 5024.1, the lead agency shall consider the significance of the resource to a California Native American tribe.</li> <li><u>Clarification :</u> The project is not located in a tribal area and will not impact tribal cultural resource</li> </ul>	() ()			X
XIX. UTILITIES AND SERVICE SYSTEMS – Would the project: a) Require or result in the relocation or construction of new or expanded water, wastewater treatment or storm water drainage, electric power, natural gas, or telecommunications facilities, the construction or relocation of which could cause significant environmental effects?				X
<u>Clarification :</u> The project does not result in the constructio new water or wastewater treatment facilities.	n of			
b) Have sufficient water supplies available to serve the project and reasonably foreseeable future development during normal, dry and multiple dry years?				X

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c) Result in a determination by the wastewater treatment provider which serves or may serve the project that it has adequate capacity to serve the project's projected demand in addition to the provider's existing commitments? <u>Clarification</u> : The project does not affect existing capacities	y L			X
<ul> <li>d) Generate solid waste in excess of State or local standards, or in excess of the capacity of local infrastructure, or otherwise impair the attainment of solid waste reduction goals?</li> <li><u>Clarification</u>: The project does not generate solid waste.</li> </ul>	n			X
<ul> <li>e) Comply with federal, state, and local management and reduction statutes and regulations related to solid waste?</li> <li><u>Clarification</u>: The project does not involve solid waste disposed or production.</li> </ul>	<b>D</b> sal			X
<u>XX. WILDFIRE</u> If located in or near state responsibility areas or lands classified as very high fire hazard severity zones, would the project:				
<ul> <li>a) Substantially impair an adopted emergency response plan or emergency evacuation plan?</li> <li><u>Clarification</u>: The project is not located in a state responsib areas or lands classified as very high fire hazard severity zon</li> </ul>				X
b) Due to slope, prevailing winds, and other factors, exacerbate wildfire risks, and thereby expose project occupants to, pollutant concentrations from a wildfire or the uncontrolled spread of a wildfire? <u>Clarification</u> : The project is not located in a state responsib				X
<i>areas or lands classified as very high fire hazard severity zon</i> c) Require the installation or maintenance of associated infrastructure (such as roads, fuel breaks, emergency water sources, power lines or other utilities) that may exacerbate fire risk or that may result in temporary or ongoing impacts to the environment?	es.			X
<u>Clarification :</u> The project is not located in a state responsib areas or lands classified as very high fire hazard severity zon	•			
d) Expose people or structures to significant risks, including downslope or downstream flooding or landslides, as a result of runoff, post-fire slope instability, or drainage changes? <u>Clarification</u> : The project is not located in a state responsib	ility			X

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XXI. MANDATORY FINDINGS OF SIGNIFICANCE – a) Does the project have the potential to substantially degrade the quality of the environment, substantially reduce the habitat of a fish or wildlife species, cause a fish or wildlife population to drop below self-sustaining levels, threaten to eliminate a plant or animal community, substantially reduce the number or restrict the range of a rare or endangered plant or animal or eliminate important examples of the major periods of California history or prehistory?				X
<ul> <li><u>Clarification</u>: The project is not adjacent to any natural waterway or part of any sensitive wildlife habitat.</li> <li>b) Does the project have impacts that are individually limited, bu cumulatively considerable? ("Cumulatively considerable" means that the incremental effects of a project are considerable when viewed in connection with the effects of past projects, the effects of other current projects, and the effects of probable future projects)?</li> </ul>				X
<ul><li><u>Clarification</u>: The project does not have cumulative impacts</li><li>c) Does the project have environmental effects which will cause substantial adverse effects on human beings, either directly or indirectly?</li></ul>				X

<u>Clarification</u>: The project does not have effects that will be adverse to humans.