INITIAL STUDY/MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

[Pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21080(c) and California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Sections 15070-15071]

LEAD AGENCY: San Joaquin County Community Development Department

PROJECT APPLICANT: River Maid Land Company/ Mike Smith Engineering

PROJECT TITLE/FILE NUMBER(S): PA-2200090 (GP)/PA-2100295 (UP)

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: This project is comprised of two components:

General Plan Map Amendment Application No. PA-2200090 proposes to change the land use designation of a 17.3acre parcel from I/T (Truck Terminal) to A/G (General Agriculture) for consistency with the existing AG-40 zoning and to accommodate the underlying project for an agricultural processing facility.

Conditional Use Permit Application No. PA-2100295 proposes to establish a new stand-alone agricultural processing facility by constructing a 96,959 square foot two-story agricultural processing building. The first floor includes 80,000 square feet for agricultural processing, packing, storage, and distribution with a 12,400 square foot roof overhang. The second floor includes 4,559 square feet of storage space. 8-acres of the project site will be used as a process wastewater pond under permit from the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (CVRWQCB) for this facility and the adjacent fruit processing facility. The project proposes access from East Pine Street. The project will utilize a new on-site septic system for wastewater, an existing well for water, and a new onsite retention pond for storm drainage. The project proposes a parking modification for 40 parking spaces. This project is not under a Williamson Act Contract. (Use Type: Industry-Agricultural)

The project site is located north side of East Pine Street, 2,580 feet east of North Guild Avenue, east of Lodi.

ASSESSOR PARCEL NO.: 049-120-04, 049-120-67 (Portion)

ACRES: 17.3-ac

GENERAL PLAN: I/T

ZONING: AG-40

POTENTIAL POPULATION, NUMBER OF DWELLING UNITS, OR SQUARE FOOTAGE OF USE(S): An agricultural processing facility with one building containing a total of 96,959 square feet at full buildout.

SURROUNDING LAND USES:

NORTH: Agricultural with Scattered Residences

SOUTH: Agricultural with Scattered Residences

EAST: Agricultural with scattered residences

WEST: Industrial/City of Lodi

REFERENCES AND SOURCES FOR DETERMINING ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS:

Original source materials and maps on file in the Community Development Department including: all County and City general plans and community plans; assessor parcel books; various local and FEMA flood zone maps; service district maps; maps of geologic instability; maps and reports on endangered species such as the Natural Diversity Data Base; noise contour maps; specific roadway plans; maps and/or records of archeological/historic resources; soil reports and maps; etc.

Many of these original source materials have been collected from other public agencies or from previously prepared EIR's and other technical studies. Additional standard sources which should be specifically cited below include on-site visits by staff (San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District Air Impact Assessment approval dated August 30, 2022); staff knowledge or experience; and independent environmental studies submitted to the County as part of the project application (. Copies of these reports can be found by contacting the Community Development Department.

TRIBAL CULTURAL RESOURCES:

Have California Native American tribes traditionally and culturally affiliated with the project area requested consultation pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21080.3.1? 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.?

<u>No</u>

GENERAL CONSIDERATIONS:

Does it appear that any environmental feature of the project will generate significant public concern or controversy?
Yes X No

Nature of concern(s): Enter concern(s).

2. Will the project require approval or permits by agencies other than the County? ⊠ Yes □ No

Agency: Air Pollution Control District

Agency name(s): Enter agency name(s).

3. Is the project within the Sphere of Influence, or within two miles, of any city?

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City: Lodi

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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.

Aesthetics	Agriculture and Forestry Resources	s 🗌	Air Quality
Biological Resources	Cultural Resources		Energy
Geology / Soils	Greenhouse Gas Emissions		Hazards & Hazardous Materials
Hydrology / Water Quality	Land Use / Planning		Mineral Resources
Noise	Population / Housing		Public Services
Recreation	Transportation		Tribal Cultural Resources
Utilities / Service Systems	Wildfire		Mandatory Findings of Significance

DETERMINATION: (To be completed by the Lead Agency) On the basis of this initial evaluation:

L 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, nothing further is required.

Signature: Giuseppe Sanfilippo Associate Planner

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Date

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.

Issues:

I. AESTHETICS.

Except as provided in Public Resources Code Section 21099, would the project:

- a) Have a substantial adverse effect on a scenic vista?
- b) Substantially damage scenic resources, including, but not limited to, trees, rock outcroppings, and historic buildings within a state scenic highway?
- 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?
- d) Create a new source of substantial light or glare which would adversely affect day or nighttime views in the area?

Impact Discussion:

a-d) This project has two components. The first is a General Plan designation change from I/T (Truck Terminal) to A/G (General Agriculture). The second is a Conditional Use Permit Application for an agricultural processing facility to include the construction of a 96,959 square foot two-story building. The project site proposes access from East Pine Street. The proposed project will utilize an onsite well for water, new septic system for wastewater, and storm water drainage for stormwater. The project site is not located along a designated scenic route pursuant to 2035 General Plan Figure 12-2, and the surrounding area is a mixture of industrial, and agricultural with scattered residences. The project will be subject to all Development Title requirements regarding building heights, setbacks, site lighting, and signs. As a result, the proposed project is not anticipated to have an impact on aesthetics.

Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impaci	Analyzed In The t Prior EIR
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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. In determining whether impacts to forest resources, including timberland, are significant environmental effects, lead agencies may refer to information compiled by the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection regarding the state's inventory of forest land, including the Forest and Range Assessment Project and the Forest Legacy Assessment project; and forest carbon measurement methodology provided in Forest Protocols adopted by the California Air Resources Board. -- Would the project:

- 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 nonagricultural use?
- b) Conflict with existing zoning for agricultural use, or a Williamson Act contract?
- c) Conflict with existing zoning for, or cause rezoning of, forest land (as defined in Public Resources Code section 12220(g)), timberland (as defined by Public Resources Code section 4526), or timberland zoned Timberland Production (as defined by Government Code section 51104(g))?
- d) Result in the loss of forest land or conversion of forest land to non-forest use?
- e) Involve other changes in the existing environment which, due to their location or nature, could result in conversion of Farmland, to non-agricultural use or conversion of forest land to non-forest use?

Impact Discussion:

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Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact	Analyzed In The Prior EIR
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III. AIR QUALITY.

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?
- b) Result in a cumulatively considerable net increase of any criteria pollutant for which the project region is nonattainment under an applicable federal or state ambient air quality standard?
- c) Expose sensitive receptors to substantial pollutant concentrations?
- d) Result in substantial emissions (such as those leading to odors) adversely affecting a substantial number of people?

Impact Discussion:

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 - For each project phase, within 30-days of issuance of the first certificate of occupancy, if applicable, submit to the District a summary report of the construction start, and end dates, and the date of issuance of the first certificate of occupancy. Otherwise, submit to the District a summary report of the construction start and end dates within 30 days of the end of each phase of construction.
 - For each project phase, all records shall be maintained on site during construction and for a period of ten years following either the end of construction or the issuance of the first certificate of occupancy, whichever is later. Records shall be made available for District inspection upon request.
 - For each project phase, maintain records of (1) the construction start and end dates and (2) the date of issuance of the first certificate of occupancy, if applicable.

In addition to these measures, the project will be required to file a Dust Control Plan prior to commencing any earth moving activities and obtain an Authority to Construct and Permit to Operate prior to the installation of equipment that controls or may emit air contaminants, including but not limited to emergency internal combustion engines, boilers, and bag houses. As a result, air impacts are anticipated to be less than significant. These items are included in the Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program as items 2-4.

Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact	Analyzed In The Prior EIR
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IV. BIOLOGICAL RESOURCES:

Would the project:

- 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?
- b) Have a substantial adverse effect on any riparian habitat or other sensitive natural community identified in local or regional plans, policies, regulations or by the California Department of Fish and Game or US Fish and Wildlife Service?
- 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?
- 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?
- e) Conflict with any local policies or ordinances protecting biological resources, such as a tree preservation policy or ordinance?
- f) Conflict with the provisions of an adopted Habitat Conservation Plan, Natural Community Conservation Plan, or other approved local, regional, or state habitat conservation plan?

Impact Discussion:

a-f) This project has two components. The first is a General Plan designation change from I/T (Truck Terminal) to A/G (General Agriculture). The second is a Conditional Use Permit Application for an agricultural processing facility (Use Type: Industry-Agricultural) to include the construction of a 96,959 square foot two-story building. The Natural Diversity Database lists the vernal pool tadpole shrimp (Lepidurus packardi) and the midvalley fairy shrimp (Branchinecta mesovallensis) as endangered, or threatened species located on or near the project area. Referrals have been sent to the San Joaquin Council of Governments (SJCOG) for review. SJCOG has determined that the applicant is subject to the San Joaquin Multi-Species Habitat Conservation and Open Space Plan (SJMSCP), and the applicant has confirmed participation. The applicant will be required to provide proof or participation prior to issuance of a grading permit. As a result, the proposed project is consistent with the SJMSCP, as amended, as reflected in the conditions of project approval for this proposal. Pursuant to the *Final EIR/EIS for San Joaquin County Multi-Species Habitat Conservation and Open Space Plan (SJMSCP)*, dated November 15, 2000, and certified by SJCOG on December 7, 2000, implementation of the SJMSCP is expected to reduce impacts to biological resources resulting from the proposed project to a level of less-than-significant.

Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact	Analyzed In The Prior EIR
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	CULTURAL RESOURCES.		moorporatoa			
	ould the project:					
a)	Cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of a historical resource pursuant to§ 15064.5?				\boxtimes	
b)	Cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of an archaeological resource pursuant to § 15064.5?				\boxtimes	
c)	Disturb any human remains, including those interred outside of dedicated cemeteries?				\times	

a-c) This project has two components. The first is a General Plan designation change from I/T (Truck Terminal) to A/G (General Agriculture). The second is a Conditional Use Permit Application for an agricultural processing facility (Use Type: Industry-Agricultural) to include the construction of a 96,959 square foot two-story building. No impact on cultural resources is anticipated. Should human remains be discovered during any ground disturbing activities, all work shall stop immediately in the vicinity (e.g. 100 feet) of the finds until they can be verified. The County coroner shall be immediately contacted in accordance with Health and Safety Code section 7050.5(b). Protocol and requirements outlined in Health and Safety Code Sections 7050.5(b) and 7050.5(c), as well as Public Resources Code Section 5097.98, shall be followed.

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-	ENERGY.					
Wo	uld the project:					
a)	Result in a potentially significant environmental impact due to wasteful, inefficient, or unnecessary consumption of energy, or wasteful use of energy resources, during project construction or operation?				\boxtimes	
b)	Conflict with or obstruct a state or local plan for renewable energy or energy efficiency?				\boxtimes	

(a,b) This project has two components. The first is a General Plan designation change from I/T (Truck Terminal) to A/G (General Agriculture). The second is a Conditional Use Permit Application for an agricultural processing facility (Use Type: Industry-Agricultural) to include the construction of a 96,959 square foot two story building. The California Energy Code (also titled The Energy Efficiency Standards for Residential and Non-residential Buildings) was created by the California Building Standards Commission in response to a legislative mandate to reduce California's energy consumption. The code's purpose is to advance the state's energy policy, develop renewable energy sources and prepare for energy emergencies. These standards are updated periodically by the California Energy Commission. The code includes energy conservation standards applicable to most buildings throughout California. These requirements will be applied to the proposed project ensuring that any impact to the environment due to wasteful, inefficient, or unnecessary consumption of energy will be less than significant and prevent any conflict with state or local plans for energy efficiency and renewable energy.

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VII	GE	OLOGY AND SOILS.	mpaor	moorporatoa	mpaor	mpaor	
		the project:					
a)		ectly or indirectly cause potential substantial adverse ects, including the risk of loss, injury, or death involving:	<u>р</u>		\times		
	i)	Rupture of a known earthquake fault, as delineated on the most recent Alquist-Priolo Earthquake Fault Zoning Map issued by the State Geologist for the area or based on other substantial evidence of a known fault? Refer to Division of Mines and Geology Special Publication 42.			\boxtimes		
	ii)	Strong seismic ground shaking?			\boxtimes		
	iii)	Seismic-related ground failure, including liquefaction?			\boxtimes		
	iv)	Landslides?			\boxtimes		
b)	Re	sult in substantial soil erosion or the loss of topsoil?			\boxtimes		
c)	wo pot	located on a geologic unit or soil that is unstable, or that uld become unstable as a result of the project, and tentially result in on- or off-site landslide, lateral reading, subsidence, liquefaction or collapse?			\boxtimes		
d)		located on expansive soil and create direct or indirect ks to life or property?			\boxtimes		
e)	sep wh	ve soils incapable of adequately supporting the use of otic tanks or alternative waste water disposal systems ere sewers are not available for the disposal of waste ter?			\boxtimes		
f)		ectly or indirectly destroy a unique paleontological source or site or unique geologic feature?				\times	

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VIII. GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS. Would the project:	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No	Analyzed In The t Prior EIR	
a) Generate greenhouse gas emissions, either directly or indirectly, that may have a significant impact on the environment?			\boxtimes			
b) Conflict with an applicable plan, policy or regulation adopted for the purpose of reducing the emissions of greenhouse gases?			\boxtimes			

a-b) This project has two components. The first is a General Plan designation change from I/T (Truck Terminal) to A/G (General Agriculture). The second is a Conditional Use Permit Application for an agricultural processing facility (Use Type: Industry-Agricultural) to include the construction of a 96,959 square foot two-story building. Greenhouse Gas Emissions (GHG) contributing to global climate change are attributable in large part to human activities associated with the industrial/manufacturing, utility, transportation, residential, and agricultural sectors. Therefore, the cumulative global emissions of GHGs contributing to global climate change can be attributed to every nation, region, and city, and virtually every individual on earth. An individual project's GHG emissions are at a micro-scale level relative to global emissions and effects to global climate change; however, an individual project could result in a cumulatively considerable incremental contribution to a significant cumulative macro-scale impact. As such, impacts related to emissions of GHG, are inherently considered cumulative impacts.

Implementation of the underlying project would cumulatively contribute to increases of GHG emissions. Estimated GHG emissions attributable to future development would be primarily associated with increases of carbon dioxide (CO_2) and, to a lesser extent, other GHG pollutants, such as methane (CH_4) and nitrous oxide (N_2O) associated with area sources, mobile sources or vehicles, utilities (electricity and natural gas), water usage, wastewater generation, and the generation of solid waste. The primary source of GHG emissions for the project would be mobile source emissions. The common unit of measurement for GHG is expressed in terms of annual metric tons of CO_2 equivalents (MTCO₂e/yr).

As noted previously, the underlying project will be subject to the rules and regulations of the SJVAPCD. The SJVAPCD has adopted the *Guidance for Valley Land- use Agencies in Addressing GHG Emission Impacts for New Projects under CEQA* and the *District Policy – Addressing GHG Emission Impacts for Stationary Source Projects Under CEQA When Serving as the Lead Agency.1* The guidance and policy rely on the use of performance-based standards, otherwise known as Best Performance Standards (BPS) to assess significance of project specific GHG, on global climate change during the environmental review process, as required by CEQA. To be determined to have a less-than-significant individual and cumulative impact with regard to GHG, emissions, projects must include BPS sufficient to reduce GHG emissions by 29 percent when compared to Business As Usual (BAU) GHG emissions. Per the SJVAPCD, BAU is defined as projected emissions for the 2002-2004 baseline period. Projects which do not achieve a 29 percent reduction from BAU levels with BPS alone are required to quantify additional project-specific reductions demonstrating a combined reduction of 29 percent. Potential mitigation measures may include, but not limited to: on-site renewable energy (e.g. solar photovoltaic systems), electric vehicle charging stations, the use of alternative-fueled vehicles, exceeding Title 24 energy efficiency standards, the installation of energy-efficient lighting and control systems, the installation of energy-efficient mechanical systems, the installation of drought-tolerant landscaping, efficient irrigation systems, and the use of low-flow plumbing fixtures.

It should be noted that neither the SJVAPCD nor the County provide project-level thresholds for construction-related GHG emissions. Construction GHG emissions are a one-time release and are, therefore, not typically expected to generate a significant contribution to global climate change. As a result, impacts related to GHG emissions are anticipated to be less than significant and not in conflict with any plans, policies, or regulations.

¹ San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District. *Guidance for Valley Land-use Agencies in Addressing GHG Emission Impacts for New Projects under CEQA*. December 17, 2009.San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District. *District Policy Addressing GHG Emission Impacts for Stationary Source Projects Under CEQA When Serving as the Lead Agency*. December 17, 2009.

		Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No	Analyzed In The Prior EIR
	HAZARDS AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS.	mpaor	meorporated	mpaor	Impact	
Wa)	build the project: Create a significant hazard to the public or the environment through the routine transport, use, or disposal of hazardous materials?			\boxtimes		
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?			\boxtimes		
c)	Emit hazardous emissions or handle hazardous or acutely hazardous materials, substances, or waste within one- quarter mile of an existing or proposed school?			\boxtimes		
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?			\boxtimes		
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?			\boxtimes		
f)	Impair implementation of or physically interfere with an adopted emergency response plan or emergency evacuation plan?			\boxtimes		
g)	Expose people or structures, either directly or indirectly, to a significant risk of loss, injury or death involving wildland fires, including where wildlands are adjacent to urbanized areas or where residences are intermixed with wildlands?					
Im	pact Discussion:					

a-g) This project has two components. The first is a General Plan designation change from I/T (Truck Terminal) to A/G (General Agriculture). The second is a Conditional Use Permit Application for an agricultural processing facility (Use Type: Industry-Agricultural) to include the construction of a 96,959 square foot two-story building. The project site is not 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, the site is not a significant hazard to the public or the environment.

The project proposes to have a diesel tank to fuel an on-site pump for fire suppression for the proposed facility. The applicant states that the tank includes double wall construction and a leak detection system. This tank will be subject to statutory regulations facilitated by the Environmental Health Department for above and underground storage tanks. Additionally, the applicant states that a conventional refrigeration system will be utilized at the facility, the installation of which is subject to the 2021 California Building Code. As a result, impacts from hazardous materials related to the diesel tank are anticipated to be less than significant.

Construction activities for the project typically involve the use of toxic or hazardous materials such as paint, fuels, and solvents. Construction activities would be subject to federal, state, and local laws and requirements designed to minimize and avoid potential health and safety risks associated with hazardous materials. The proposed application would not result in, create, or induce hazards and associated risks to the public as no significant impacts are anticipated related to the transport, use, or storage of hazardous materials during construction activities. Additionally, the site is not located within an Airport Land Use Plan (ALUP) or within 2-miles of an existing airport.

The project site does not physically interfere with an emergency evacuation plan or affect wildlands. Therefore, the project's impacts are less than significant.

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	HYDROLOGY AND WATER C	UALITY.					
	ould the project: Violate any water quality sta requirements or otherwise sub ground water quality?					\boxtimes	
b)	Substantially decrease grour substantially with groundwa project may impede management of the basin?					\boxtimes	
c)	Substantially alter the existing or area, including through the stream or river or through surfaces, in a manner which v	alteration of the course of a the addition of impervious				\boxtimes	
	i) result in substantial erosi	on or siltation on- or off-site;				\boxtimes	
		e rate or amount of surface would result in flooding on-				\boxtimes	
	the capacity of existin	ff water which would exceed og or planned stormwater ovide substantial additional ; or				\boxtimes	
	iv) impede or redirect flood f	lows?					
d)	In flood hazard, tsunami, or s pollutants due to project inun				\boxtimes		
e)	Conflict with or obstruct imple control plan or sustainable plan?				\boxtimes		

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In regard to process water discharge, the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (CVRWQCB) Waste Discharge Requirements Order R5-2021-0063 permits the fruit processing plant on the adjacent parcel to the west (APN: 049-120-65) to discharge process wastewater onto project parcel (APN: 049-120-04). The proposed project will also utilize this process wastewater discharge area. This CVRWQCB Order will remain in effect once the agricultural processing project is established, and the proposed project includes an 8-acre wastewater discharge pond to accommodate the process wastewater. The CVRWQCB Order states that approximately 7 million gallons of wastewater will be directed to the wastewater discharge pond annually. No changes to the discharge area or process water amount are proposed with this application. Any changes to the discharge area and process wastewater discharge discharge area is planted in alfalfa, and the alfalfa acts as a natural filter for the process water. The applicant states that the discharge area is planted in alfalfa.

is tested and must meet specific levels before the water can be dispersed the discharge area. This area is existing and currently being utilized.

Regarding water usage, the project anticipates using approximately 15,000 gallons of water per day for 6 weeks for processing pears from July to September and 200 gallons of water per day for 6 weeks during holiday fruit packaging. The remaining 40 weeks, the water usage is anticipated to be approximately 30 gallons per day. The project will be served by an existing on-site well. Any improvement to the well must be done under permit from the Environmental Health Department.

As a result of these standards, the proposed project will not impact or otherwise substantially degrade surface or ground water quality, conflict with or obstruct implementation of a water quality control plan or sustainable groundwater management plan because well and septic system development for the project will be required to be constructed under a permit from the Environmental Health Department. Therefore, all hydrology and water quality impacts will be reduced to less than significant.

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-	LAND USE AND PLANNING. puld the project:					
	Physically divide an established community?				\times	
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?			\boxtimes		

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The current General Plan designation is I/T, and the Industry-Agricultural use type is not consistent with the parcel's current General Plan designation. If the General Plan designation is changed to A/G as proposed, then the development project will be consistent with the County's General Plan. The proposed project is an agricultural use and will have a less than significant impact to surrounding parcels. The project will not create premature development pressure on surrounding agricultural lands to convert land from agricultural uses to non-agricultural uses because it is surrounded by various types of urban development including industrial and residential. Therefore, this project is not growth-inducing.

The proposed project will not conflict with any existing or planned uses or set a significant land use precedent. The proposed project is not in conflict with any Master Plans, Specific Plans, or Special Purpose Plans, or any other applicable plan adopted by the County. As a result, the project's impacts to land use and planning considerations are anticipated to be less than significant.

		Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No	Analyzed In The Prior EIR
<u>XII.</u>	MINERAL RESOURCES.	•				
Wc	uld 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?			\boxtimes		
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?			\boxtimes		

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		Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No	Analyzed In The Prior EIR
-	I. NOISE. buld the project result in: 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?			\boxtimes		
b)	Generation of excessive groundborne vibration or groundborne noise levels?			\boxtimes		
c)	For a project 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			\boxtimes		

airport, would the project expose people residing or working in the project area to excessive noise levels?

a-c) This project has two components. The first is a General Plan designation change from I/T (Truck Terminal) to A/G (General Agriculture). The second is a Conditional Use Permit Application for an agricultural processing facility (Use Type: Industry-Agricultural) to include the construction of a 96,959 square foot two-story building. The nearest singlefamily residence is located approximately 600 feet southwest of the project site.

Development Title Section 9-404 lists the Residential use type as a noise sensitive land use. Development Title Section Table 9-404.050 states that the maximum sound level for stationary noise sources of 65dB is normally acceptable and do not require additional study. This applies to outdoor activity areas of the receiving use or applies at the lot line if no activity area is known. Additionally, noises from construction activities are exempt from noise standards provided the construction occurs no earlier than 6:00 A.M. and no later than 9:00 P.M. The proposed project would be subject to these Development Title standards. No excessive sound or vibration are anticipated and the project is not near an airport. Therefore, noise impacts from the proposed project are expected to be less than significant.

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XIV	/. POPULATION AND HOUSING.					
Wo	uld 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)?			\boxtimes		
b)	Displace substantial numbers of existing people or housing, necessitating the construction of replacement housing elsewhere?			\boxtimes		

a-b) This project has two components. The first is a General Plan designation change from I/T (Truck Terminal) to A/G (General Agriculture). The second is a Conditional Use Permit Application for an agricultural processing facility (Use Type: Industry-Agricultural) to include the construction of a 96,959 square foot two-story building. The project does not involve displacing any housing and will not induce substantial unplanned population growth in the area. Therefore, the project's impact on population and housing will be less than significant.

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	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact	Analyzed In The Prior EIR
<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?				\boxtimes	
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?				\boxtimes	, ,

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XV	II. TRANSPORTATION.	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact	Analyzed In The Prior EIR
	buld the project:					
a)	Conflict with a program plan, ordinance, or policy addressing the circulation system, including transit, roadways, bicycle, and pedestrian facilities?			\boxtimes		
b)	Would the project conflict or be inconsistent with CEQA Guidelines section 15064.3, subdivision (b)?				\boxtimes	
c)	Substantially increase hazards due to a geometric design feature (e.g., sharp curves or dangerous intersections) or incompatible uses (e.g., farm equipment)?			\boxtimes		
d)	Result in inadequate emergency access?				\boxtimes	

a-d) This project has two components. The first is a General Plan designation change from I/T (Truck Terminal) to A/G (General Agriculture). The second is a Conditional Use Permit Application for an agricultural processing facility (Use Type: Industry-Agricultural) to include the construction of a 96,959 square foot two-story building.

For 12 weeks out of the year, the facility will have approximately 75 employees. The applicant anticipates most of the employees will carpool to work, resulting in approximately 30 cars. Additionally, approximately 5 truck trips are anticipated during the processing and packaging season. The applicant states that in the off-season, the facility will have approximately 3 employees per day and 1 truck trip per week. The project proposes access off East Pine Street. No access is proposed from State Route 12, nor is access from State Route 12 required. The proposed driveway will require an encroachment permit and will be subject to the rules and regulations of the Department of Public Works. Emergency access is not anticipated to be altered by the project traffic or access. Therefore, the project is expected to have a less than significant impact on transportation.

The project applicant states that Surface Transportation Assistance Act (STAA) Trucks make deliveries to the site. As a result, the Department of Public Works will require the applicant to obtain approval from Public Works and CalTrans for new or extended STAA routes.

California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines section 15064.3 requires Vehicle Miles Traveled be evaluated as a part of the environmental review. The Department of Public Works has reviewed the VMT for the proposed project and has determined the project will generate less than 110 vehicle trips per day. Therefore, the project is considered a small project according to the Technical Advisory on Evaluating Transportation Impacts in GEQA, as published by the California Office of Planning and Research (OPR) in December 2018. According to this OPR guidance, a small project that generates or attracts "fewer than 110 trips per day generally may be assumed to cause a less-than-significant transportation impact" with regards to Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT). Thus, the proposed project is presumed to have a less than significant impact on VMT. As a result, the project will have a less than significant impact on transportation.

XVIII. TRIBAL CULTURAL RESOURCES.

- a) 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:
 - 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
 - ii) A resource determined by the lead agency, in its discretion and 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 Resource Code Section 5024.1, the lead agency shall consider the significance of the resource to a California Native American tribe.

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Impact Discussion:

a) This project has two components. The first is a General Plan designation change from I/T (Truck Terminal) to A/G (General Agriculture). The second is a Conditional Use Permit Application for an agricultural processing facility (Use Type: Industry-Agricultural) to include the construction of a 96,959 square foot two-story building. A referral was sent to the United Auburn Indian Community (UAIC), North Valley Yokuts Tribe, and the Buena Vista Rancheria for review related to potential Tribal Cultural Resources (TCR).

If any suspected TCR are discovered during ground disturbing construction activities, all work shall cease within 100 feet of the find. A tribal representative from culturally affiliated tribes shall be immediately notified and shall determine if the find is a TCR pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21074. The tribal representative will make recommendations regarding the treatment of the discovery. Preservation in place is the preferred alternative under CEQA and UAIC protocols, and every effort must be made to preserve the resources in place, including through project redesign. Work at the discovery location cannot resume until all necessary investigation and evaluation of the discovery under the requirements of CEQA, including AB 52, has been satisfied. The contractor shall implement any measures deemed by the lead agency to be necessary and feasible to preserve in place, avoid, or minimize impacts to the resource, including but not limited to, facilitating the appropriate tribal treatment of the find, as necessary. This has been incorporated into the project's Conditions of Approval.

Additionally, if human remains are discovered during any ground disturbing activities, all work shall stop immediately in the vicinity (e.g. 100 feet) of the finds until they can be verified. The County Coroner shall be immediately contacted in accordance with Health and Safety Code section 7050.5(b). Protocol and requirements outlined in Health and Safety Code sections 7050.5(c) as well as Public Resources Code section 5097.98 shall be followed.

As a result of the Conditions of Approval for the discovery of TCRs and meeting the existing Health and Safety Code regulations, the impact to tribal cultural resources is anticipated to be less than significant.

XIX. UTILITIES AND SERVICE SYSTEMS.

Would the project:

- 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?
- b) Have sufficient water supplies available to serve the project and reasonably foreseeable future development during normal, dry and multiple dry years?
- 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?
- 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?
- e) Comply with federal, state, and local management and reduction statutes and regulations related to solid waste?

Impact Discussion:

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XX. WILDFIRE.

If located in or near state responsibility areas or lands classified as very high fire hazard severity zones, would the project:

- a) Substantially impair an adopted emergency response plan or emergency evacuation plan?
- 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?
- 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?
- 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?

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The project has access directly from East Pine Street and all access driveways will be required to meet any applicable San Joaquin County and California Fire Code standards. As a result, the proposed project will have a less than significant impact related to potential wildfire hazards and emergency response plans.

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?

b) Does the project have impacts that are individually limited, but 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)?

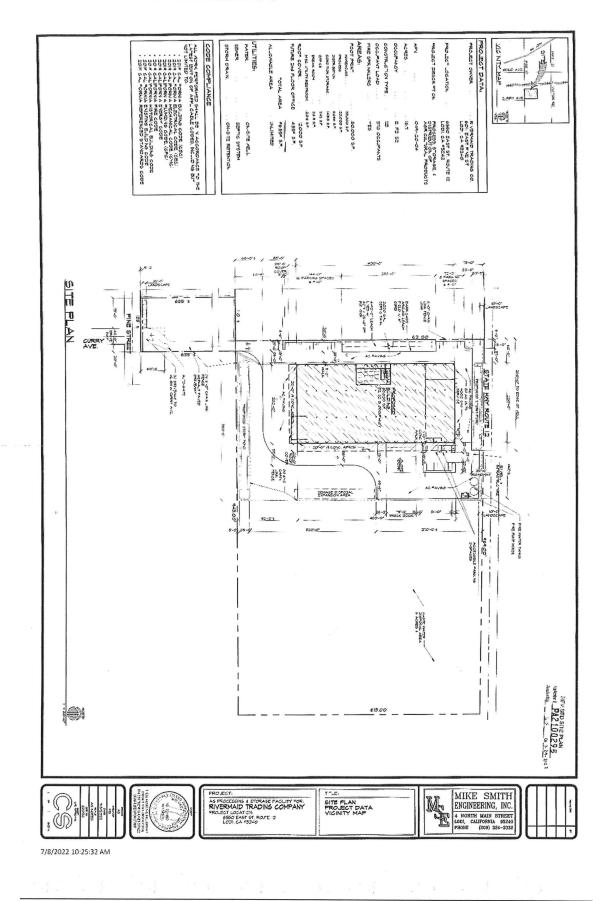
c) Does the project have environmental effects which will cause substantial adverse effects on human beings, either directly or indirectly?

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Impact Discussion:

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209-482-2120 ATTACHMENT: (MAP[S] OR PROJECT SITE PLAN[S])



Mitigation Monitoring Reporting Plan-PA-2200090(GP), PA-210029	5 (UP) November 18, 2022
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				Agency for Monitoring and Reporting				
Impact	Mitigation Measure/Condition	Type of	Review	Compliance	Action Indicating Compliance or Review	Verifica	ation of Cor	npliance or Annual Review of Conditions
		Monitoring	Reporting			Ву	Date	Remarks
III. Air Quality	Construction and Operation - Exempt from Off-site Fee		x	San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District	For each project phase, within 30-days of issuance of the first certificate of occupancy, if applicable, submit to the District a summary report of the construction start, and end dates, and the date of issuance of the first certificate of occupancy. Otherwise, submit to the District a summary report of the construction start and end dates within 30-days of the end of each phase of construction.			
II. Air Quality	Construction and Operation - Recordkeeping		x	San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District	For each project phase, all records shall be maintained on site during construction and for a period of ten years following either the end of construction or the issuance of the first certificate of occupancy, whichever is later. Records shall be made available for District inspection upon request.			
III. Air Quality	Construction and Operational Dates		x	San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District	For each project phase, maintain records of (1) the construction start and end dates and (2) the date of issuance of the first certificate of occupancy, if applicable			
IV. Biological Resources	Participation in the SJMSCP	X		San Joaquin Council of Governments	The developer shall apply to the San Joaquin Council of Governments (SJCOG) for coverage under the San Joaquin County Multi-Species Open Space and Habitat Conservation Plan (SJMSCP). The project site shall be inspected by the SJMSCP biologist, who will recommend which Incidental Take Minimization Measures set forth in the SJMSCP should be applied to the project and implemented. The project applicant shall pay the required SJMSCP fee, if any, and be responsible for the implementation of the specified Incidental Take Minimization Measures.			





August 30, 2022

Patrick Archibeque River Maid Land Company 6011 E Pine St Lodi, CA 95240

Re: Air Impact Assessment (AIA) Application Approval ISR Project Number: C-20220303 Land Use Agency: County of San Joaquin Land Use Agency ID Number: N/A

Dear Mr. Archibeque:

The San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District (District) has approved your Air Impact Assessment (AIA) for the River Maid project, located at 6550 E State Rte 12 in Lodi, California. The project consists of an 80,000 square foot Ag-processing storage, warehouse and distribution facility. The District has determined that the mitigated baseline emissions for construction and operation will be less than two tons NOx per year and two tons PM10 per year. Pursuant to District Rule 9510 Section 4.3, this project is exempt from the requirements of Section 6.0 (General Mitigation Requirements) and Section 7.0 (Off-site Emission Reduction Fee Calculations and Fee Schedules) of the rule. As such, the District has determined that this project complies with the emission reduction requirements of District Rule 9510 and is not subject to payment of off-site fees. The determination is based on the project construction details provided with the application. Changes in the construction details may result in increased project related emissions and loss of this exemption.

Pursuant to District Rule 9510, Section 8.4, the District is providing you with the following information:

- A notification of AIA approval (this letter)
- A statement of tentative rule compliance (this letter)
- An approved Monitoring and Reporting Schedule

In addition, to maintain this exemption you must comply with all mitigation measures identified in the enclosed Monitoring and Reporting Schedule. Please notify the District of any changes to the project as identified in the approved Air Impact Assessment for this project.

Samir Sheikh Executive Director/Air Pollution Control Officer

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Change in Developer Form

If all or a portion of the project changes ownership, a completed Change in Developer form must be submitted to the District within thirty (30) days following the date of transfer.

Additional Requirements

- <u>Dust Control Plan</u>. Please be aware that you may be required to submit a Construction Notification Form or submit and receive approval of a Dust Control Plan prior to commencing any earthmoving activities as described in District Rule 8021 *Construction, Demolition, Excavation, Extraction, and Other Earthmoving Activities.*
- <u>Asbestos Requirements for Demolitions.</u> If demolition is involved, a Certified Asbestos Consultant will need to perform an asbestos survey prior to the demolition of a regulated facility. Following the completion of an asbestos survey; the asbestos survey, Asbestos Notification, Demolition Permit Release, and the proper fees are to be submitted to the District 10 working days prior to the removal of the Regulated Asbestos Containing Material and/or the demolition when no asbestos is present.
- <u>Permits</u>. Per District Rule 2010 (Permits Required), you may be required to obtain a District Authority to Construct prior to installation of equipment that controls or may emit air contaminants, including but not limited to emergency internal combustion engines, boilers, and baghouses.

To identify other District rules or regulations that apply to this project or to obtain information about District rules and permit requirements, the applicant is strongly encouraged to visit <u>www.valleyair.org</u> or contact the District's Small Business Assistance office nearest you:

Fresno office:	(559) 230-5888
Modesto office:	(209) 557-6446
Bakersfield office:	(661) 392-5665

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Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. Please note the District also issued a letter to the land-use agency notifying the agency of this AIA approval. If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Cherie A Clark by telephone at (559) 230-5940 or by email at cherie.clark@valleyair.org.

Sincerely,

Brian Clements Director of Permit Services

For Mark Montelongo Program Manager

Enclosures

cc: Tony Coyne Tony Coyne Via email at <u>tonycoyne49@gmail.com</u>

Indirect Source Review Complete Project Summary Sheet & Monitoring and Reporting Schedule

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Project Name:	RIVER MAID
Applicant Name:	RIVER MAID LAND CO
Project Location:	6550 E STATE RTE 12
	GUICO AVE
	APN(s): 049-120-04
Project Description:	
	ACREAGE: 16.7
ISR Project ID Number:	C-20220303
Applicant ID Number:	C-303689
Permitting Public Agency:	COUNTY OF SAN JOAQUIN
Public Agency Permit No.	

Existing Emission Reduction Measures

Enforcing Agency Measure	Quantification	Notes	
There are no Existing Measures for this project.			

Non-District Enforced Emission Reduction Measures

Enforcing Agency	Measure	Specific Implementation	Source Of Requirements
COUNTY OF SAN	Limit Parking Supply	80% reduction in number of parking	County Development Title
JOAQUIN		spaces	

Number of Non-District Enforced Measures: 1

District Enforced Emission Reduction Measures

Enforcing Agency	Measure	Specific Implementation	Measure For Compliance	District Review
SJVAPCD	Construction and Operation - Exempt from Off-site Fee	For each project phase, within 30-days of issuance of the first certificate of occupancy, if applicable, submit to the District a summary report of the construction start, and end dates, and the date of issuance of the first certificate of occupancy. Otherwise, submit to the District a summary report of the construction start and end dates within 30-days of the end of each phase of construction.	(Compliance Dept. Review)	

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(District Enforced Emission Reduction Measures Continued)				
Enforcing Agency	Measure	Specific Implementation	Measure For Compliance	District Review
SJVAPCD	Construction and Operation - Recordkeeping	For each project phase, all records shall be maintained on site during construction and for a period of ten years following either the end of construction or the issuance of the first certificate of occupancy, whichever is later. Records shall be made available for District inspection upon request.	(Compliance Dept. Review)	
SJVAPCD	Construction and Operational Dates	For each project phase, maintain records of (1) the construction start and end dates and (2) the date of issuance of the first certificate of occupancy, if applicable.	(Compliance Dept. Review)	

Number of District Enforced Measures: 3

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