CITY OF STOCKTON PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT 22 E WEBER AVE, ROOM #301 STOCKTON, CA 95202

NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

Notice is hereby given that the City of Stockton has prepared an Initial Study (IS) of environmental effects and intends to adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) and Mitigation Monitoring/Reporting Plan (MMRP) for the Mormon Slough Sanitary Sewer Line project. The City of Stockton is the Lead Agency for this project under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).

The project proposes the replacement of approximately 2,600 feet of existing 24-inch diameter sanitary sewer pipeline with 30-inch PVC pipeline. Approximately 700 feet of existing pipeline along Sierra Nevada Street would be replaced; the remaining lineal footage of replacement would be for existing pipeline along Mormon Slough.

The IS/MND analyzes the potential environmental effects of the project in accordance with CEQA and the State CEQA Guidelines. Based on this analysis, the IS/MND finds that the project will not involve any significant environmental effects, provided that the mitigation measures described in the IS/MND are implemented. The City has agreed to the mitigation measures, and these measures will be included in a Mitigation Monitoring/Reporting Plan to be adopted by the City of Stockton in conjunction with the IS/MND and approval of the project. There are no sites identified under Section 65962.5 of the Government Code located on or near the project site.

Copies of the IS/MND are available for public review at the Public Works Department at the address shown below and at the City's website:

http://www.stocktonca.gov/government/departments/communityDevelop/cdPlanEnv.html (Environmental/Other Projects)

The City will accept public and agency comments on the IS/MND during a 30-day review period that will begin on January 12, 2023 and end on February 10, 2023. Comments may be submitted by mail or e-mail as shown below:

City of Stockton Public Works Department Attn: Seng Lo, Associate Engineer 22 E Weber Avenue, Room 301 Stockton, CA 95202 Seng.Lo@stocktonca.gov

After completion of the public review, the Stockton City Council will consider adoption of the IS/MND and approval of the proposed project. Subsequent notifications will be sent for City Council meetings consistent with State Law and local requirements.