## **Notice of Completion & Environmental Document Transmittal**

Mail to: State Clearinghouse, P.O. Box 3044, Sacramento, CA 95812-3044 (916) 445-0613 SCH# For Hand Delivery/Street Address: 1400 Tenth Street, Sacramento, CA 95814 Project Title: North cathedral City Regional Stormwater Project Lead Agency: Coachella Valley Water District Contact Person: William Patterson Phone: 760-398-2651 Mailing Address: 75-515 Hovley Lane East City: Palm Desert County: Riverside Zip: 92211 Project Location: County: Riverside City/Nearest Community: Cathedral City Cross Streets: Gene Autry Trail and E Vista Chino Zip Code: 92234 Longitude/Latitude (degrees, minutes and seconds): \_\_\_\_\_ N/ ° ' " W Total Acres: \_ Section: 32 Twp.: 3SS Range: 5E Base: Assessor's Parcel No.: Within 2 Miles: State Hwy #: Waterways: Airports: \_\_\_ **Document Type:** CEQA: NOP ☐ Draft EIR NFP A ·  $\square$  NOI Other: ☐ Joint Document ☐ Early Cons ☐ Supplement/Subsequent EIR ПЕА Final Document (Prior SCH No.) ☐ Draft EIS ☐ Neg Dec Other: Mit Neg Dec Other: Draft MND ☐ FONSI **Local Action Type:** Specific Plan ☐ Rezone General Plan Update Annexation General Plan Amendment Master Plan Prezone Redevelopment General Plan Element Planned Unit Development Use Permit Coastal Permit ☐ Site Plan ☐ Community Plan Land Division (Subdivision, etc.) Other: Project Approval **Development Type:** Residential: Units Office: Employees\_ Transportation: Type Sq.ft. \_\_\_\_ Acres \_\_\_ Commercial: Sq.ft. Employees\_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Mining: Mineral Acres \_\_\_\_\_ Industrial: Sq.ft. Power: Employees Type \_\_\_\_ Acres Waste Treatment: Type Educational: MGD Recreational: Hazardous Waste: Type ■ Water Facilities: Type Stormwater Channel **Project Issues Discussed in Document:** ☐ Aesthetic/Visual ☐ Recreation/Parks ☐ Vegetation ☐ Fiscal ☐ Agricultural Land ☐ Flood Plain/Flooding ☐ Schools/Universities ■ Water Quality Air Quality ☐ Forest Land/Fire Hazard ☐ Septic Systems ☐ Water Supply/Groundwater ☐ Archeological/Historical ☐ Geologic/Seismic Sewer Capacity ☐ Wetland/Riparian ☐ Soil Erosion/Compaction/Grading ■ Biological Resources ☐ Minerals Growth Inducement ☐ Coastal Zone Noise ☐ Solid Waste ☐ Land Use Population/Housing Balance Toxic/Hazardous Public Services/Facilities Traffic/Circulatio Cumulative Effects ☐ Drainage/Absorption Other: Tribal/Cultural Resources ☐ Economic/Jobs ☐ Traffic/Circulation Present Land Use/Zoning/General Plan Designation:

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

Existing Flood Channel

The Coachella Valley Water District (CVWD) proposes to construct a regional stormwater channel that would provide a connection from north of Interstate 10 (I-10) to the Whitewater River Stormwater Channel (WWRSC) to the south. The storm flow from north would be conveyed under I-10 and two Union Pacific Railroad (UPRR) tracks to the existing WWRSC. The design would collect existing flows passing under I-10 and provides a reliable and engineered channel under the UPRR that will provide a long-term solution for conveying flows downstream to the WWRSC. The Morongo Wash Watershed is an approximately 207 square mile watershed that produces a 100-year storm flow of roughly 36,000 cubic feet per second (cfs). This project will reduce flooding to approximately 8,000 acres downstream and provide improved flooding protection to the lives and property of Thousand Palms and provide flooding protection to both I-10 and UPRR.

Note: The State Clearinghouse will assign identification numbers for all new projects. If a SCH number already exists for a project (e.g. Notice of Preparation or previous draft document) please fill in.

Air Resources Board	X Office of Historic Preservation				
Boating & Waterways, Department of	Office of Public School Construction				
California Emergency Management Agency California Highway Patrol  X Caltrans District # 8 Caltrans Division of Aeronautics Caltrans Planning Central Valley Flood Protection Board  X Coachella Valley Mtns. Conservancy Coastal Commission  X Colorado River Board Conservation, Department of Corrections, Department of Delta Protection Commission	X Parks & Recreation, Department of Pesticide Regulation, Department of X Public Utilities Commission X Regional WQCB # 7 Resources Agency Resources Recycling and Recovery, Department of S.F. Bay Conservation & Development Comm. San Gabriel & Lower L.A. Rivers & Mtns. Conservancy San Joaquin River Conservancy Santa Monica Mtns. Conservancy X State Lands Commission x SWRCB: Clean Water Grants				
		Education, Department of Energy Commission  X Fish & Game Region # 6	× SWRCB: Water Rights Tahoe Regional Planning Agency		
				Food & Agriculture, Department of	X Toxic Substances Control, Department of
				Forestry and Fire Protection, Department of	Water Resources, Department of
		General Services, Department of Health Services, Department of	Other:		
				Housing & Community Development	Other:
		Native American Heritage Commission			
		cal Public Review Period (to be filled in by lead ag	ency) Ending Date 0 52 5 /2023		
		ad Agency (Complete if applicable):			
		nsulting Firm: Michael Baker International	Applicant:		
		ddress: 75-410 Gerald Ford Drive, Suite 100	Address:		
ty/State/Zip: Palm Desert, CA 92211	City/State/Zip:				
ntact: Elizabeth Meyeroff	Phone:				
one: 760-341-6103					

**Reviewing Agencies Checklist** 

Authority cited: Section 21083, Public Resources Code. Reference: Section 21161, Public Resources Code.