

# PLANNING COMMISSION Agenda

DATE:

February 6, 2017

LOCATION:

Council Chambers, 2212 Beach Boulevard

TIME:

7:00 PM

**ROLL CALL:** 

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#### **ADMINISTRATIVE BUSINESS:**

Approval of Order of Agenda

Approval of Minutes: January 17, 2017

Designation of Liaison to City Council Meeting: None required

Oral Communications:

This portion of the agenda is available to the public to address the Planning Commission on any issue within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Commission that is not on the agenda. The time allowed for any speaker will be three minutes.

**CONSENT ITEMS: None** 

#### **CONTINUED PUBLIC HEARINGS:**

1. PSD-757-06 UP-965-06 SITE DEVELOPMENT PERMIT PSD-757-06, USE PERMIT UP-965-06, AND TENTATIVE SUBDIVISION MAP (CONDOMINIUM) SUB-211-06, filed by Shaohong "Simon" Weng; Pinkstone LLC, to extend the expiration date of permits for the construction of nine condominiums located at 1567 Beach Boulevard

(APN 016-011-190). Recommended Action: Continue to February 6, 2017.

#### **NEW PUBLIC HEARINGS:**

SUB-211-06

2. CDP-375-16

**COASTAL DEVELOPMENT PERMIT CDP-375-16**, filed by applicant Jo Ann Cullom of California Department of Transportation District 4, to replace the existing pedestrian overcrossing between Francisco Blvd. at San Jose Ave. and Eureka Square Shopping Center with a new pedestrian overcrossing. The new crossing incorporates longer ramps to meet Americans with Disabilities Act's ramp slope requirements. Recommended CEQA status: Class 2 Categorical Exemption, Section 15302. <u>Recommended Action:</u> Approve, as conditioned.

3. UP-080-16 PSD-816-16 USE PERMIT UP-080-16 AND SITE DEVELOPMENT PERMIT PSD-816-16, filed by the City of Pacifica, to construct a 2.1-million-gallon capacity equalization (EQ) basin, a 10-foot tall motor control center building, ventilation and odor-control system, and a cleaning system within the EQ basin at 540 Crespi Drive in Pacifica. The Project would also include construction of two diversion structures to passively divert excess flows from the existing Linda Mar and Arguello sanitary sewer lines and transport the flow via a conveyance pipeline to the EQ basin during storm events and an effluent conveyance pipeline routing flows to the existing Crespi Drive sanitary sewer line and Linda Mar Blvd Pump Station. Recommended California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) status: Adopt a Final Mitigated Negative Declaration/Initial Study. Recommended Action: Approve, as conditioned.

#### **CONSIDERATION ITEMS:**

4.

Annual Report to the City Council. *Proposed Action:* Discuss Annual Report.

#### **COMMUNICATIONS:**

#### **Commission Communications:**

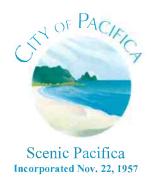
**Staff Communications:** 

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

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# PLANNING COMMISSION Staff Report

DATE: February 6, 2017

**FILE: PSD-757-06** 

UP-965-06 SUB-211-06

ITEM: 1 SUBJECT:

Request to Extend Expiration Date of Site Development Permit PSD-757-06, Use Permit UP-

965-06, and Tentative Subdivision Map (Condominium) SUB-211-06 for the Construction of

Nine Condominiums

PROJECT LOCATION: 1567 Beach Boulevard (APN 016-011-190) - Sharp Park

APPLICANT

Shaohong "Simon" Weng

AND OWNER: Pinkstone LLC

P.O. Box 505

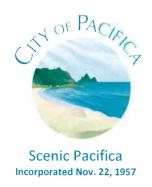
Brisbane, CA 94005

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Continue to February 21, 2017

PREPARED BY: Tina Wehrmeister, Planning Director

#### **DISCUSSION:**

At the December 19, 2016 meeting, the Planning Commission continued this item to February 6, 2017 in order to allow the applicant to respond to staff's recommendation. The Planning Commission also requested that the applicant submit materials by January 10, 2017 in order to provide staff adequate time to prepare an analysis. The applicant submitted materials on January 17, 2017, a week after the deadline. Staff is therefore requesting a continuance to February 21, 2017.



# PLANNING COMMISSION Staff Report

DATE: February 6, 2017

FILE: CDP-375-16

ITEM: 2

**PUBLIC NOTICE:** Notice of Public Hearing was published in Pacifica Tribune on January 25, 2017, and mailed to 278 surrounding property owners and occupants.

**APPLICANT** 

Jo Ann Cullom, Chief

Office of Biological Sciences and Permits California Department of Transportation

111 Grand Avenue Oakland, CA 94623

**PROJECT LOCATION:** State Route (SR) 1 between 2040 Francisco Blvd and 1617-1655 Oceana Blvd (b/w APNs 016-191-110 and 016-220-150)

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Replace the existing 278-foot long, 10-foot wide, and minimum 17-foot high pedestrian overcrossing (Bridge No. 35-0240) between Francisco Boulevard and Oceana Boulevard with a new 416-foot, 10-foot wide, and minimum 18.5-foot high pedestrian overcrossing. The new crossing incorporates longer ramps to meet Americans with Disabilities Act's ramp slope requirements.

**SITE DESIGNATIONS:** 

General Plan: Not Applicable

Zoning: CZ (Coastal Zone Combining)

RECOMMENDED CEQA STATUS: Class 2 Categorical Exemption, Section 15302

ADDITIONAL REQUIRED APPROVALS: None. Subject to appeal to the City Council.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Approve as conditioned.

PREPARED BY: Bonny O'Connor, Assistant Planner

#### 1. PROJECT DESCRIPTION

California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) is proposing to replace the San Jose Avenue pedestrian overcrossing (POC) on State Route (SR) 1, located between Francisco Boulevard and Oceana Boulevard, within the City of Pacifica (Bridge No. 35-0240). The existing overcrossing, which was built in 1968, has a documented history of deterioration. A seismic retrofit project was completed in 1994 to prolong its service life. In addition, Caltrans identified the POC as not complying with the requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and recommended replacement in 2002.

The purpose of the project is to maintain safe pedestrian access to the coast, and maintain community connectivity between the West and East Sharp Park neighborhoods. The proposed overcrossing would be built to current design standards and would utilize material that is less susceptible to corrosion from the marine ambient environment. The proposed overcrossing would meet ADA standards by incorporating a ramp with a maximum 8.33 percent slope, as well as enhance the visual aesthetics of the SR 1 corridor.

#### **Pedestrian Overcrossing**

The proposed project involves replacing the existing 278-foot long, 10-foot wide, and minimum 17-foot high overcrossing with a new 416-foot long, 10-foot wide, and minimum 18.5-foot high overcrossing. The proposed crossing incorporates longer ramps to meet ADA's ramp slope requirements, and would have 255 feet of ramp compared to the 176 feet of ramp of the existing overcrossing. The east (Oceana Boulevard) entrance to the proposed overcrossing would be constructed approximately 82 feet north of the existing overcrossing.

The bridge would incorporate a coastal design (Attachment D). Design features including custom black light poles, black fencing with blue wave design weaved in the fencing, as well as a blue wave design imprinted near the base of the pillars of the overcrossing and along the edge of the overcrossing slab.

The east entrance of the existing overcrossing is at grade with Oceana Boulevard. The main span is composed of 2.5-foot thick, cast-in-place/reinforced concrete (CIP/RC) box girders, with a reinforced concrete column located in the median. The existing ramp is composed of 2.5-foot thick CIP/RC slab and cell components, with two reinforced concrete column supports. The proposed overcrossing would be constructed in three stages.

- Stage 1 Construction of the main span and slab ramp: The proposed 161-foot long main span would consist of a 3.0-foot thick CIP/RC box girder, with a reinforced concrete column located in the median. The east entrance would be at grade with Oceana Boulevard, and would be supported by a subgrade abutment. The proposed slab ramp would consist of 1.75-foot thick CIP/RC slab, which would be supported by three reinforced concrete columns. It would extend north from the west end of the main span for approximately 70 feet, then turn for approximately 10 feet, and extend south for approximately 80 feet, where it would meet the approach ramp.
- Stage 2 Demolition of the existing POC. Demolition of the existing bridge would include testing
  for asbestos-containing materials and any lead-based paint. Condition of Approval No. 8 would
  require the applicant to abate and dispose of hazardous materials in accordance with federal,
  state, and local regulations.

• **Stage 3** — Construction of the approach ramp: The proposed approach ramp would consist of 1.0-foot thick CIP/RC slab with a closed cell, and extend approximately 95 feet to the south, and finally touch down at the intersection of San Jose Avenue and Francisco Boulevard near the existing touchdown point.

The stages of construction may occur concurrently. The existing overcrossing would be in service during Stage 1 construction. A shuttle service would be used to transport citizens across the freeway during Stage 2 and Stage 3 construction. The applicants have not established a shuttle schedule at this time.

Construction activities, including staging, laydown and vehicles parking would occur within paved or unvegetated road shoulders.

#### Crosswalks and Sidewalks

On the Francisco Boulevard side of the POC, the existing crosswalks crossing Francisco Boulevard and San Jose Avenue would be repainted. The existing curb ramps located on the southwest and east side of Francisco Boulevard would be upgraded to ADA compliant curb ramps. Crosswalk signage with flashing beacon would be installed to warn motorists traveling northbound and southbound on Francisco Boulevard that pedestrians are present.

On the Oceana Boulevard side of the proposed POC a new crosswalk would be installed approximately 20 feet north of the new proposed POC east entrance. ADA compliant curb ramps would be installed on both sides of the new crosswalk. Crosswalk signage with flashing beacon would be installed to warn motorists traveling northbound and southbound on Oceana Boulevard that pedestrians are present (Attachment C, Sheet E-2 and E-5).

#### Infrastructure Relocation

One SamTrans bus stop sign pole on the southbound side of Oceana Boulevard would be relocated since it conflicts with crosswalk relocation plans. The bridge light electrical control box adjacent to the Francisco Boulevard entrance, and the light pole adjacent to the Oceana Boulevard entrance may need to be relocated if they conflict with the final project plans. The City of Pacifica would be notified once plans are finalized. The existing light poles on the overcrossing would be replaced with new non-standard (custom) light poles (Attachment C, Sheet E-4).

#### **Vegetation Trimming and Landscape Restoration**

Landscape vegetation within the Caltrans right-of-way would be trimmed or removed during the course of construction. All areas disturbed during project activities would be restored to preconstruction conditions. Disturbed landscaped areas would be stabilized and revegetated after construction is complete. No heritage tree outside of the Caltrans right-of-way would be affected.

#### **Traffic Control**

K-rails would be installed and occasional temporary lane closures would be required throughout the duration of the project. Individual lanes may be closed at any time during the construction process. Lane closure charts provided in the standard specifications detail how many through lanes are required by

Caltrans to be left open by the contractor. The chart details lane requirements hourly, seven days a week. Final lane closure schedules would be developed as a part of the construction contract. A complete closure may be necessary for safe falsework installation. Road closures to place falsework would most likely occur at night, and reopen in the morning. Full closure of SR-1 would be minimized as much as possible.

#### **Construction Schedule and Measures**

Construction is scheduled to start in January 2018 and be completed by November 2018. Project construction is estimated for 150 working days over one construction season.

The US Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) prepared a Biological Assessment (BA) to evaluate the potential effects of the Project on species that are regulated by the USFWS. The BA identified two special-status species with the potential to occur in the project area: the San Francisco garter snake (*Thamnophis sirtalis tetrataenia*, SFGS), and California red-legged frog (*Rana draytonii*, CRLF). The BA concludes that no temporary or permanent effects or losses are expected to occur to either of these species or their associated habitat. However, because the presence of SFGS and CRLF in the project area cannot be completely ruled out, Condition of Approval No. 4 would require the applicant to implement standard best management practices and specific avoidance and minimization measures detailed in the BA to avoid adverse effects on listed species and their habitats. These actions would include avoiding construction activities during and after rain events, performing preconstruction surveys, and conducting preconstruction worker environmental awareness training.

#### 2. GENERAL PLAN, ZONING, AND SURROUNDING LAND USE

The project site is not designated by the General Plan as the entire project would occur within Caltrans and City of Pacifica right-of-way. The project is located in the non-appeal zone of the Coastal Zone. The Eureka Square Shopping Center is located east of the project. A multiunit apartment building, restaurant, and city parking lot is located to the west of the project. SR-1 is located north and south of the project.

#### 3. MUNICIPAL CODE

The project requires issuance of a Coastal Development Permit (CDP) under Section 9-4.4304(k) of the Pacifica Municipal Code (PMC). Issuance of a CDP requires the Planning Commission to make two findings, as follows:

- a) The proposed development is in conformity with the City's certified Local Coastal Program.
- b) Where the Coastal Development Permit is issued for a development between the nearest public road and the shoreline, the development is in conformity with the public recreation policies of Chapter 3 of the California Coastal Act.

#### 4. REQUIRED FINDINGS

In order to approve the subject Coastal Development Permit (CDP-375-16), the Planning Commission must make the two findings required by PMC Section 9-4.4304(k). The following discussion supports the Commission's findings in this regard.

A. The proposed development is in conformity with the City's certified Local Coastal Program.

<u>Discussion</u>: The City's certified Local Coastal Program includes a Local Coastal Land Use Plan (LCLUP) that contains policies to further the City's coastal planning activities. The proposed project is consistent with many of these policies, as discussed below.

**Coastal Act Policy 1.** Maximum access shall be conspicuously posted and recreational opportunities shall be provided for all the people consistent with public safety needs and the need to protect public rights, rights of property owners, and natural resource areas from overuse.

**Discussion:** The project would improve the accessibility and public safety of pedestrians traveling into and out of the coastal zone. The proposed POC would be built to current ADA standards, which would include a reduced slope, as well as, the installation of ADA sidewalk ramps. The ADA compliance of the proposed POC would increase the range of pedestrians that would be able to use the POC.

The proposed POC would replace the existing overcrossing that has experienced deterioration in the form of concrete clumps dropping on the highway below and rusting fencing and structural support wire with coastal climate appropriate materials built and used to current engineering design standard.

Coastal Act Policy 24. The scenic and visual- qualities of coastal areas shall be considered and protected as a resource of public importance. Permitted development shall be sited and designed to protect views to and along the ocean and scenic coastal areas, to minimize the alteration of natural landforms, to be visually compatible with the character of surrounding areas, and, where feasible; to restore and enhance visual quality in visually degraded areas. New development in highly scenic areas such as those designated in the California Coastline Preservation and Recreation Plan, prepared by the Department of Parks and Recreation and by loca1 government, shall be subordinate to the character of its setting.

**Discussion:** The existing POC has extensive visual signs of deterioration. The 1968 POC has significant rust, discoloration, missing clumps of concrete, and exposed wiring throughout the POC. The proposed POC would provide a significant visual improvement to the area by removing the deteriorating structure, replacing it with a new structure and refreshing the landscaping in the area. The proposed POC would incorporate a coastal design (Attachment D). Design features including custom black light poles, black fencing with blue wave design weaved in the fencing, as well as a blue wave design imprinted near the base of the pillars of the overcrossing and along the edge of the overcrossing slab.

**Coastal Act Policy 25.** The location and amount of new development should maintain and enhance public access to the coast by:

a) Facilitating the provision or extension of transit service;

- b) Providing commercial facilities within or adjoining residential development, or in other areas that will minimize the use of coastal access roads;
- c) Providing non-automobile circulation within the development;
- d) Providing adequate parking facilities or providing substitute means of serving the development with public transportation;
- e) Assuring the potential for public transit for high intensity uses such as high-rise office buildings; and
- f) Assuring that the recreational needs of new residents will not overload nearby coastal recreation areas by correlating the amount of development with local park acquisition and development plans with, the provision of on-site recreational facilities to serve the new development.

**Discussion:** Consistent with subsection b), the project would provide a pedestrian short-cut between a residential district and a commercial shopping area which would encourage walking and minimize the use of coastal roads.

Consistent with subsection c), the project would provide non-automobile circulation within the development. As discussed above, the project would improve the accessibility and public safety of pedestrians traveling into and out of the coastal zone. The proposed POC would be built to current ADA standards, which would include a reduced slope, as well as, the installation of ADA sidewalk ramps. The ADA compliance of the proposed POC would increase the range of pedestrians that would be able to use the POC.

The project would not impact public transit service or parking and therefore would not conflict with subsection a),d), e), and f).

B. Where the Coastal Development Permit is issued for a development between the nearest public road and the shoreline, the development is in conformity with the public recreation policies of Chapter 3 of the California Coastal Act.

<u>Discussion:</u> The development would not be located between the nearest public road and the shoreline, therefore this finding does not apply.

#### **5. CEQA RECOMMENDATION**

Staff analysis of the proposed project supports a Planning Commission finding that it qualifies for a categorical exemption from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). The project qualifies as a Class 2 exemption under CEQA Guidelines Section 15302. CEQA Guidelines Section 15302 states, in part:

#### 15302. Replacement or Reconstruction

Class 2 consists of replacement or reconstruction of existing structures and facilities where the new structure will be located on the same site as the structure replaced and will have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the structure replaced [...].

The project would replace the existing SR-1 POC with a new POC that would provide the same purpose and capacity and would be located in the same Caltrans site. Additionally, none of the exceptions to the exemption in Section 15300.2 of the CEQA Guidelines apply, as described below.

- Sec. 15300.2(b): There is no evidence in the record that cumulative projects of the same type would occur within the same place to create a significant cumulative impact.
- Sec. 15300.2(c): There is no evidence that the activity would have a significant effect on the environment due to unusual circumstances.
- Sec. 15300.2(d): The project would occur within an eligible State Scenic highway; therefore, the
  construction and operation of the project would not significantly damage scenic resources
  within an officially designated state scenic highway. The project would replace a deteriorating
  POC with a new POC. The new POC includes a coastal themed design and the use of coastal
  climate appropriate materials, which would significant improve the aesthetics along SR-1. The
  applicant has stated that any landscaping and vegetation affected by construction would be
  restored to pre-construction conditions.
- Sec. 15300.2(e and f): The project does not involve a current or former hazardous waste site, and, does not affect any historical resources. Therefore, the provisions of subsections (e) and (f) are not applicable to this project.

Because the project is consistent with the requirements for a Class 2 exemption and none of the exceptions to the exemption in Section 15300.2 apply, there is substantial evidence in the record to support a finding that the project is categorically exempt from CEQA.

#### 6. CONCLUSION

In staff's opinion, as conditioned, the project is consistent with the General Plan, Local Coastal Land Use Plan, and the Pacifica Municipal Code. The project would replace a deteriorating POC with a new POC that meets current ADA standards. The coastal themed detailed in the design and the use of coastal appropriate materials would significantly improve the aesthetics along SR-1. The project is consistent with the requirements for a Class 2 exemption and none of the exceptions to the exemption in Section 15300.2 apply. Therefore, staff recommends approval of the CDP.

#### 7. COMMISSION ACTION

#### **MOTION FOR APPROVAL:**

Move that the Planning Commission finds the project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act; **APPROVE** Coastal Development Permit CDP-375-16, by adopting the resolution included as Attachment A to the staff report, including conditions of approval in Exhibit A to the resolution; and, incorporate all maps and testimony into the record by reference.

#### **Attachments:**

- A. Draft Resolution and Conditions of Approval
- B. Land Use and Zoning Exhibit
- C. Selected sheets of Project Plans
- D. Visual Rendering
- E. Comment Letter Received

RESOLUTI	ON NO.	
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A RESOLUTION OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF PACIFICA APPROVING COASTAL DEVELOPMENT PERMIT CDP-375-16, SUBJECT TO CONDITIONS, FOR REPLACEMENT OF SAN JOSE AVENUE PEDESTRIAN OVERCROSSING (BRIDGE NO. 35-0240) ON STATE ROUTE 1, LOCATED BETWEEN FRANCISCO BOULEVARD AND OCEANA BOULEVARD, WITHIN THE CITY OF PACIFICA AND FINDING THE PROJECT EXEMPT FROM THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT (CEQA).

Initiated by: Jo Ann Cullom, California Department of Transportation ("Applicant").

**WHEREAS**, an application has been submitted to replace the existing 278-foot long, 10-foot wide, and minimum 17-foot high pedestrian overcrossing (Bridge No. 35-0240) between Francisco Boulevard and Oceana Boulevard with a new 416-foot, 10-foot wide, and minimum 18.5-foot high pedestrian overcrossing; and

WHEREAS, the project requires approval of a Coastal Development Permit because the project involves development within the Coastal Zone; and, the project does not qualify as a category of exempted or excluded development; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission of the City of Pacifica did hold a duly noticed public hearing on February 6, 2017, at which time it considered all oral and documentary evidence presented, and incorporated all testimony and documents into the record by reference.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Planning Commission of the City of Pacifica as follows:

- 1. The above recitals are true and correct and material to this Resolution.
- 2. In making its findings, the Planning Commission relied upon and hereby incorporates by reference all correspondence, staff reports, and other related materials.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Planning Commission of the City of Pacifica does hereby make the following findings pertaining to Coastal Development Permit CDP-375-16 for development within the Coastal Zone:

Required Finding: The proposed development is in conformity with the City's certified Local Coastal Program.

**<u>Discussion</u>**: The City's certified Local Coastal Program includes a Local Coastal Land Use Plan (LCLUP) that contains policies to further the City's coastal planning activities. The proposed project is consistent with many of these policies, as discussed below.

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Coastal Act Policy 1. Maximum access shall be conspicuously posted and recreational opportunities shall be provided for all the people consistent with public safety needs and the need to protect public rights, rights of property owners, and natural resource areas from overuse.

**Discussion:** The project would improve the accessibility and public safety of pedestrians traveling into and out of the coastal zone. The proposed POC would be built to current ADA standards, which would include a reduced slope, as well as, the installation of ADA sidewalk ramps. The ADA compliance of the proposed POC would increase the range of pedestrians that would be able to use the POC.

The proposed POC would replace the existing overcrossing that has experienced deterioration in the form of concrete clumps dropping on the highway below and rusting fencing and structural support wire with coastal climate appropriate materials built and used to current engineering design standard.

Coastal Act Policy 24. The scenic and visual qualities of coastal areas shall be considered and protected as a resource of public importance. Permitted development shall be sited and designed to protect views to and along the ocean and scenic coastal areas, to minimize the alteration of natural landforms, to be visually compatible with the character of surrounding areas, and, where feasible; to restore and enhance visual quality in visually degraded areas. New development in highly scenic areas such as those designated in the California Coastline Preservation and Recreation Plan, prepared by the Department of Parks and Recreation and by local government, shall be subordinate to the character of its setting.

**Discussion:** The existing POC has extensive visual signs of deterioration. The 1968 POC has significant rust, discoloration, missing clumps of concrete, and exposed wiring throughout the POC. The proposed POC would provide a significant visual improvement to the area by removing the deteriorating structure, replacing it with a new structure and refreshing the landscaping in the area. The proposed POC would incorporate a coastal design (Attachment D). Design features including custom black light poles, black fencing with blue wave design weaved in the fencing, as well as a blue wave design imprinted near the base of the pillars of the overcrossing and along the edge of the overcrossing slab.

Coastal Act Policy 25. The location and amount of new development should maintain and enhance public access to the coast by:

- a) Facilitating the provision or extension of transit service;
- b) Providing commercial facilities within or adjoining residential development, or in other areas that will minimize the use of coastal access roads;
- c) Providing non-automobile circulation within the development;
- d) Providing adequate parking facilities or providing substitute means of serving the development with public transportation;

- e) Assuring the potential for public transit for high intensity uses such as highrise office buildings; and
- f) Assuring that the recreational needs of new residents will not overload nearby coastal recreation areas by correlating the amount of development with local park acquisition and development plans with, the provision of on-site recreational facilities to serve the new development.

**Discussion:** Consistent with subsection b), the project would provide a pedestrian short-cut between a residential district and a commercial shopping area which would encourage walking and minimize the use of coastal roads.

Consistent with subsection c), the project would provide non-automobile circulation within the development. As discussed above, the project would improve the accessibility and public safety of pedestrians traveling into and out of the coastal zone. The proposed POC would be built to current ADA standards, which would include a reduced slope, as well as, the installation of ADA sidewalk ramps. The ADA compliance of the proposed POC would increase the range of pedestrians that would be able to use the POC.

The project would not impact public transit service or parking and therefore would not conflict with subsection a),d), e), and f).

Required Finding: Where the Coastal Development Permit is issued for any development between the nearest public road and the shoreline, the development is in conformity with the public recreation policies of Chapter 3 of the California Coastal Act.

<u>Discussion</u>: The development would not be located between the nearest public road and the shoreline, therefore this finding does not apply.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Planning Commission of the City of Pacifica does hereby make the following findings pertaining to the project:

That the project is exempt from the CEQA as a Class 2 exemption provided in Section 15302 of the CEQA Guidelines.

#### 15302. Replacement or Reconstruction

Class 2 consists of replacement or reconstruction of existing structures and facilities where the new structure will be located on the same site as the structure replaced and will have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the structure replaced [...].

The project would replace the existing SR-1 POC with a new POC that would provide the same purpose and capacity and would be located in the same Caltrans site. Additionally,

none of the exceptions to the exemption in Section 15300.2 of the CEQA Guidelines apply, as described below.

- Sec. 15300.2(b): There is no evidence in the record that cumulative projects of the same type would occur within the same place to create a significant cumulative impact.
- Sec. 15300.2(c): There is no evidence that the activity would have a significant effect on the environment due to unusual circumstances.
- Sec. 15300.2(d): The project would occur within an eligible State Scenic highway; therefore, the construction and operation of the project would not significantly damage scenic resources within an officially designated state scenic highway. The project would replace a deteriorating POC with a new POC. The new POC includes a coastal themed design and the use of coastal climate appropriate materials, which would significant improve the aesthetics along SR-1. The applicant has stated that any landscaping and vegetation affected by construction would be restored to pre-construction conditions.
- Sec. 15300.2(e and f): The project does not involve a current or former hazardous waste site, and, does not affect any historical resources. Therefore, the provisions of subsections (e) and (f) are not applicable to this project.

Because the project is consistent with the requirements for a Class 2 exemption and none of the exceptions to the exemption in Section 15300.2 apply, there is substantial evidence in the record to support a finding that the project is categorically exempt from CEQA.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Planning Commission of the City of Pacifica approves Coastal Development Permit (CDP-375-16) for replacement of the existing 278-foot long, 10-foot wide, and minimum 17-foot high pedestrian overcrossing (Bridge No. 35-0240) between Francisco Boulevard and Oceana Boulevard with a new 416-foot, 10-foot wide, and minimum 18.5-foot high pedestrian overcrossing, subject to conditions of approval included as Exhibit A to this resolution.

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Passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the Planning Commission of the City of Pacifica, California, held on the 6th day of February 2017.

AYES, Commissioners:

NOES, Commissioners:

ABSENT, Commissioners:

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# ABSTAIN, Commissioners:

	Josh Gordon, Chair
ATTEST:	APPROVED AS TO FORM:
Tina Wehrmeister, Planning Director	Michelle Kenyon, City Attorney

#### Exhibit A

Conditions of Approval: Coastal Development Permit (CDP-375-16) for replacement of the existing 278-foot long, 10-foot wide, and minimum 17-foot high pedestrian overcrossing (Bridge No. 35-0240) between Francisco Boulevard and Oceana Boulevard with a new 416-foot, 10-foot wide, and minimum 18.5-foot high pedestrian overcrossing

### Planning Commission Meeting of February 6, 2017

### Planning Division of the Planning Department

- 1. Development shall be substantially in accord with the plans entitled "Project Plans for Construction on State Highway in San Mateo County in Pacifica at San Jose Avenue," received by the City of Pacifica on January 25, 2017 and with the architectural rendering (Attachment D of the February 6, 2017 staff report) received by the City of Pacifica on October 11, 2016 as part of the original application, except as modified by the following conditions.
- 2. Applicant shall submit a shuttle schedule, route, and a description of the shuttle vehicle the City of Pacifica prior to start of construction.
- 3. Applicant shall lead coordination between the Applicant, SamTrans, and the City of Pacifica for the relocation of the SamTrans bus stop located on the southbound side of Oceana Boulevard.
- 4. Applicant shall implement Avoidance and Minimization Measures as detailed in the May 2015 Biological Assessment for the Highway 1 Pedestrian Bridge Structure Replacement Project, Caltrans District 4, San Mateo County, Highway 1, PM R-44.00/44.04.
- 5. That the approval or approvals is/are valid for a period of one year from the date of final determination. If the use or uses approved is/are not established within such period of time, the approval(s) shall expire unless Applicant submits a written request for an extension and applicable fee prior to the expiration date, and the Planning Director or Planning Commission approves the extension request as provided below. The Planning Director may administratively grant a single, one year extension provided, in the Planning Director's sole discretion, the circumstances considered during the initial project approval have not materially changed. Otherwise, the Planning Commission shall consider a request for a single, one year extension.
- 6. Applicant shall maintain its site in a fashion that does not constitute a public nuisance and that does not violate any provision of the Pacifica Municipal Code.
- 7. Prior to start of construction, Applicant shall clearly indicate compliance with all conditions of approval on the plans and/or provide written explanations to the Planning Director's satisfaction.

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- 8. If hazardous materials are found during testing, the Applicant shall abate and dispose of hazardous materials in accordance with federal, state, and local regulations.
- 9. The applicant shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless the City, its Council, Planning Commission, advisory boards, officers, employees, consultants and agents (hereinafter "City") from any claim, action or proceeding (hereinafter "Proceeding") brought against the City to attack, set aside, void or annul the City's actions regarding any development or land use permit, application, license, denial, approval or authorization, including, but not limited to, variances, use permits, developments plans, specific plans, general plan amendments, zoning amendments, approvals and certifications pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act, and/or any mitigation monitoring program, or brought against the City due to actions or omissions in any way connected to the applicant's project, but excluding any approvals governed by California Government Code Section 66474.9. This indemnification shall include, but not be limited to, damages, fees and/or costs awarded against the City, if any, and costs of suit, attorney fees and other costs, liabilities and expenses incurred in connection with such proceeding whether incurred by the applicant, City, and/or parties initiating or bringing such Proceeding. If the applicant is required to defend the City as set forth above, the City shall retain the right to select the counsel who shall defend the City.
- 10. Prior to the start of construction, Applicant shall submit a final landscape plan for approval by the Planning Director. The landscape plan shall show each type, size, and location of plant materials, as well as the irrigation system. Landscaping materials included on the plan shall be coastal compatible, drought tolerant and shall be predominantly native, and shall include an appropriate mix of trees, shrubs, and other plantings to soften the expanded structure. In addition, the landscaping shall be maintained as shown on the landscape plan and shall be designed to incorporate efficient irrigation to reduce runoff, promote surface filtration, and minimize the use of fertilizers, herbicides, and pesticides. Landscaping on the site shall be adequately maintained in a healthful condition and replaced when necessary as determined by the Planning Director.

### **Building Division of the Planning Department**

11. Slopes five (5) percent or greater shall require handrails on both sides of the pedestrian overcrossing.

#### **Engineering Division of Public Works Department**

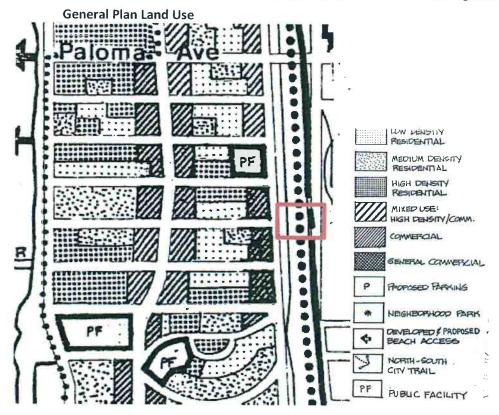
- 12. Construction within the Caltrans right-of-way shall be covered under the Caltrans Stormwater Management Plan. Construction within the City of Pacifica right-of-way shall be in conformance with the San Mateo Countywide Storm Water Pollution Prevention Program. Best Management Practices shall be implemented.
- 13. Roadways shall be maintained clear of construction materials and debris, especially mud and dirt tracked, onto Oceana Boulevard and Francisco Boulevard. Dust control and daily road cleanup will be strictly enforced.

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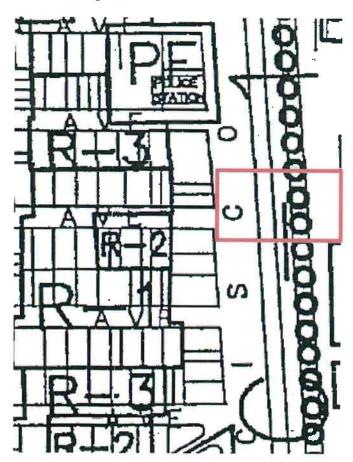
- 14. Existing curb, sidewalk or other street improvements adjacent to the property frontage that is damaged or displaced shall be repaired or replaced as deemed by the City Engineer even if damage or displacement occurred prior to any work performed for this project.
- 15. Applicant shall upgrade all three curb ramps at the intersection of Francisco Boulevard and San Jose Avenue to current standards.
- 16. Applicant shall install a permanent pedestrian barricade at the eastern edge of the sidewalk on the eastern side of the pedestrian overcrossing, similar to the existing one, to discourage pedestrians from crossing Oceana Blvd. at an undesignated location.
- 17. Applicant shall provide final details for the construction along Oceana Boulevard.
- 18. A traffic control plan shall be submitted for review by the City Engineer. Lane closures shall be requested 72 hours in advance of schedule and coordinated with Pacifica Police and Fire Departments. Through traffic shall be maintained at all times along Oceana Boulevard and Francisco Boulevard.
- 19. A City of Pacifica Encroachment Permit shall be obtained for all work undertaken in the public right-of-way. All work shall be done in accordance with City Standards, Standard Specifications for Public Works Construction (Green Book) or Caltrans Standard Specifications, Pacifica Municipal Code, Administrative Policies and to the satisfaction of the City Engineer or his designee and shall be completed prior issuance of the Certificate of Occupancy. Permit fees shall be determined per the current adopted fee schedule at the time of permit issuance.

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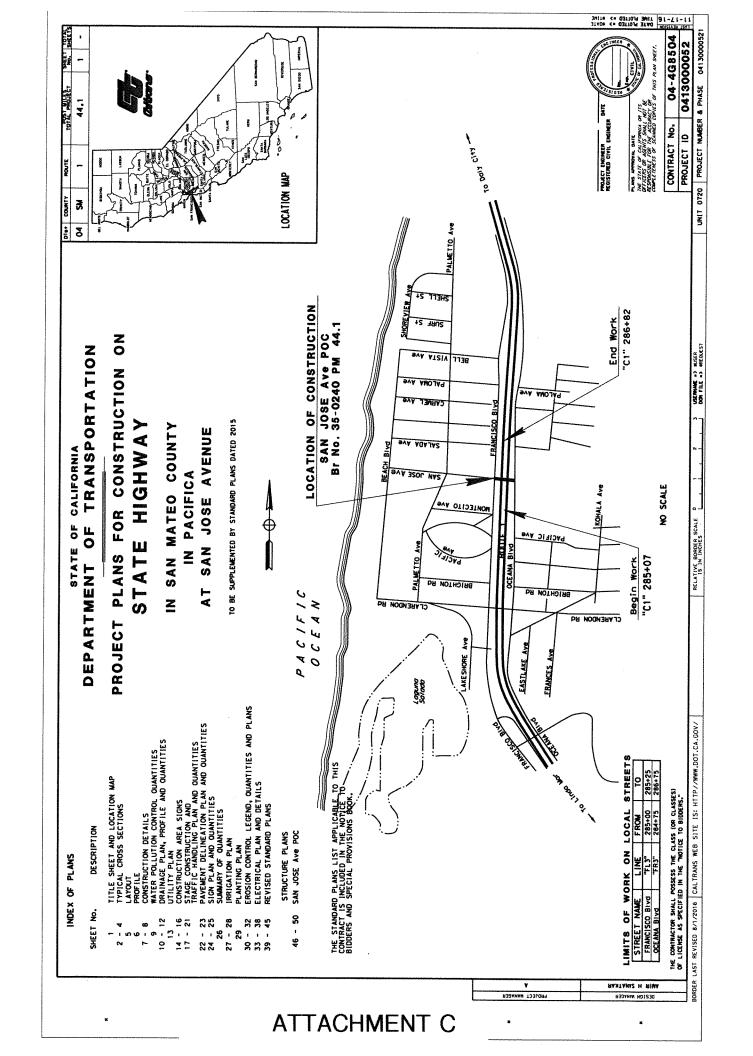
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**ABBREVIATIONS:** 

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PAVEMENT STRUCTURAL SECTIONS:

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"FL3" 285+00 TO 285+20 FRANCISCO BIVA

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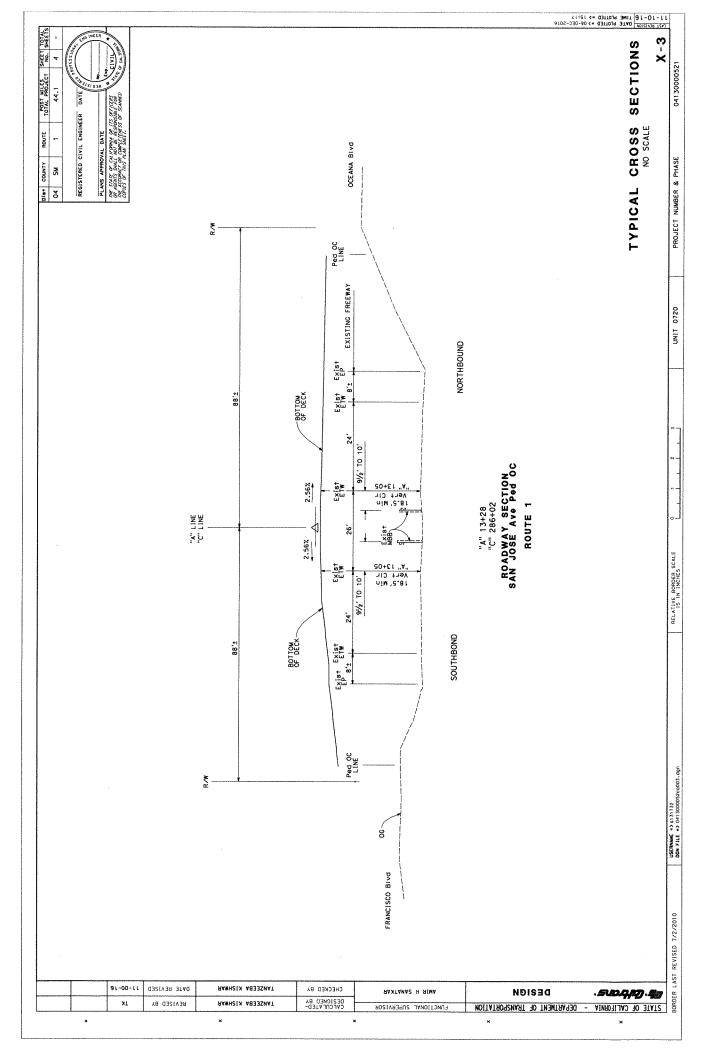
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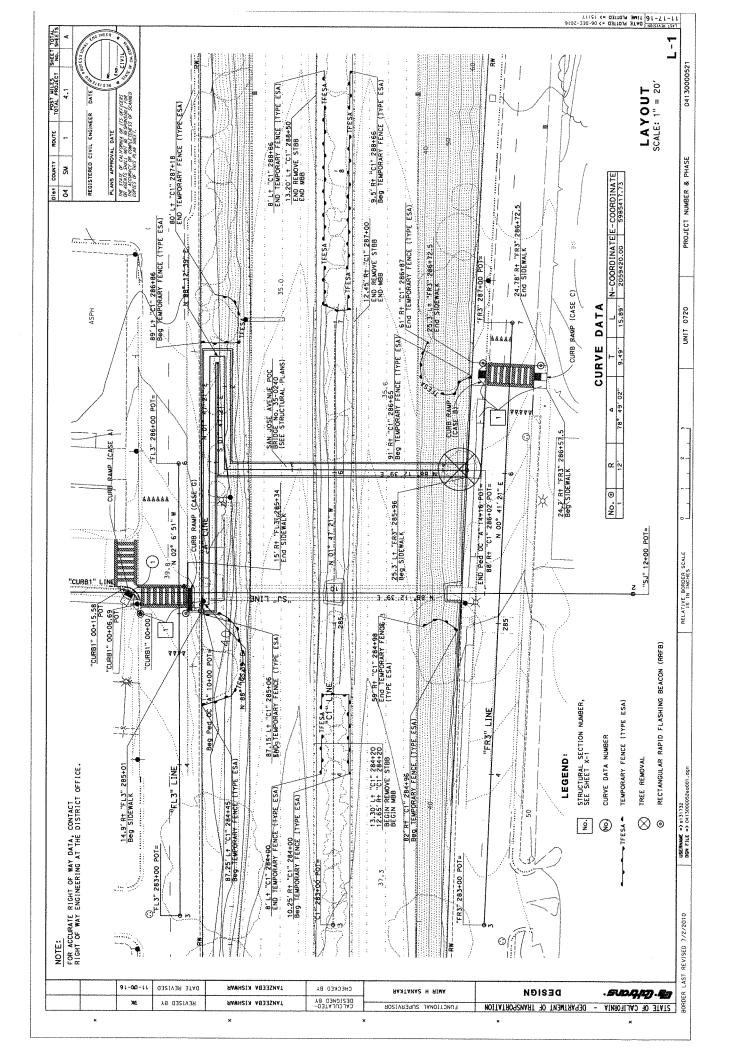
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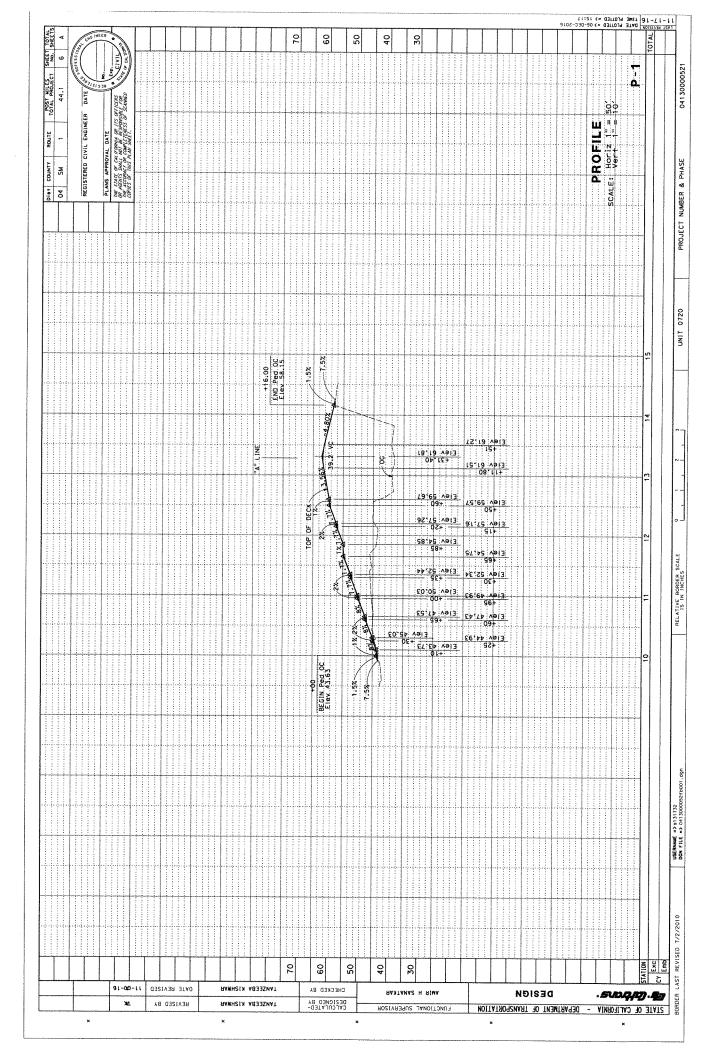
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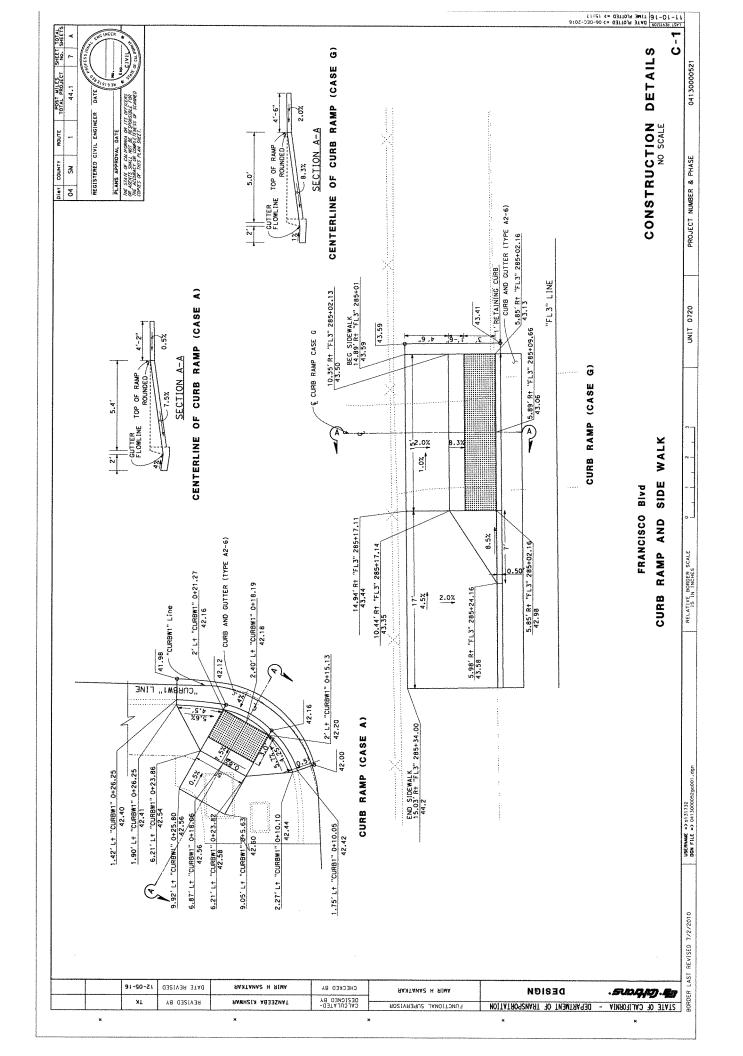
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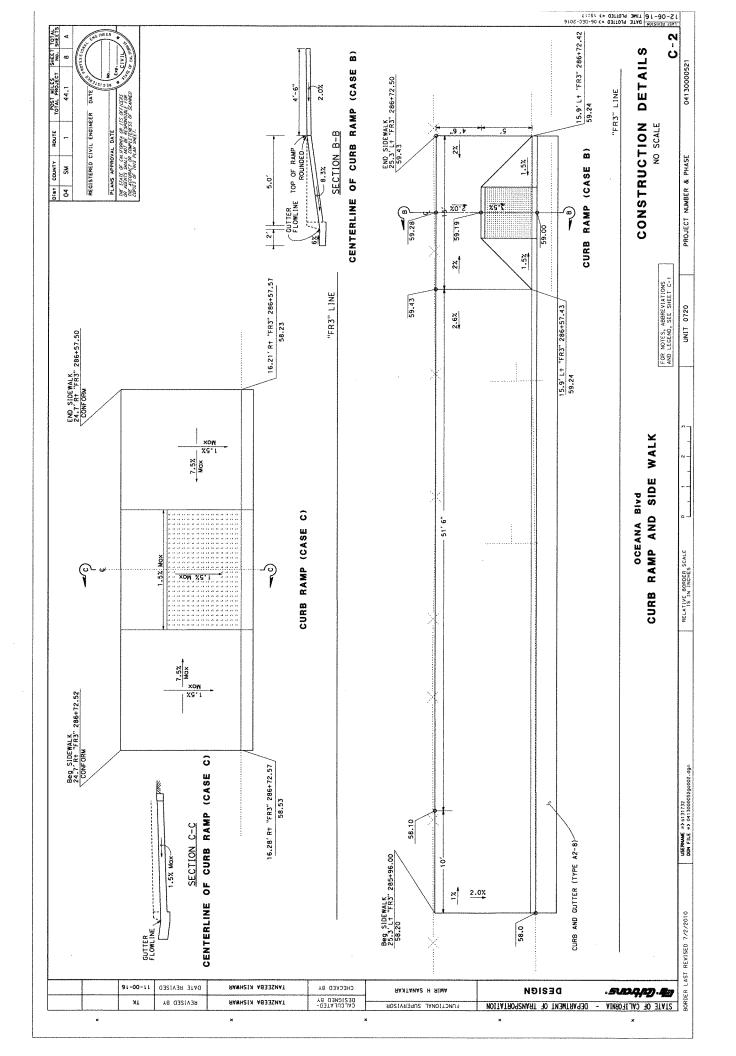
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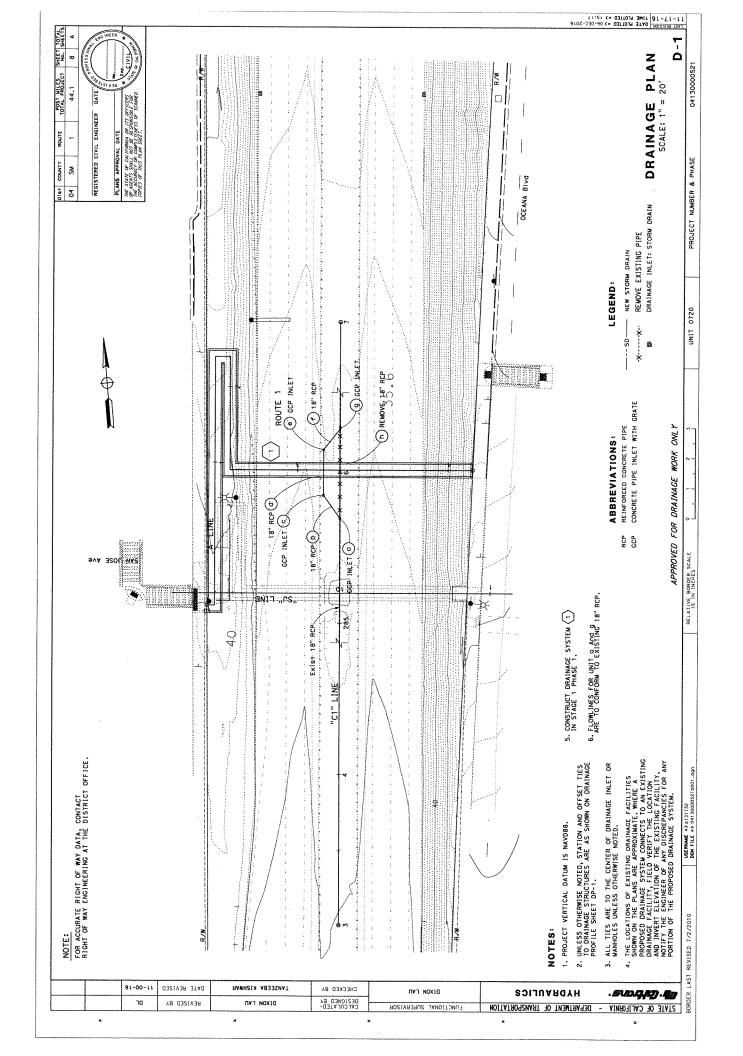
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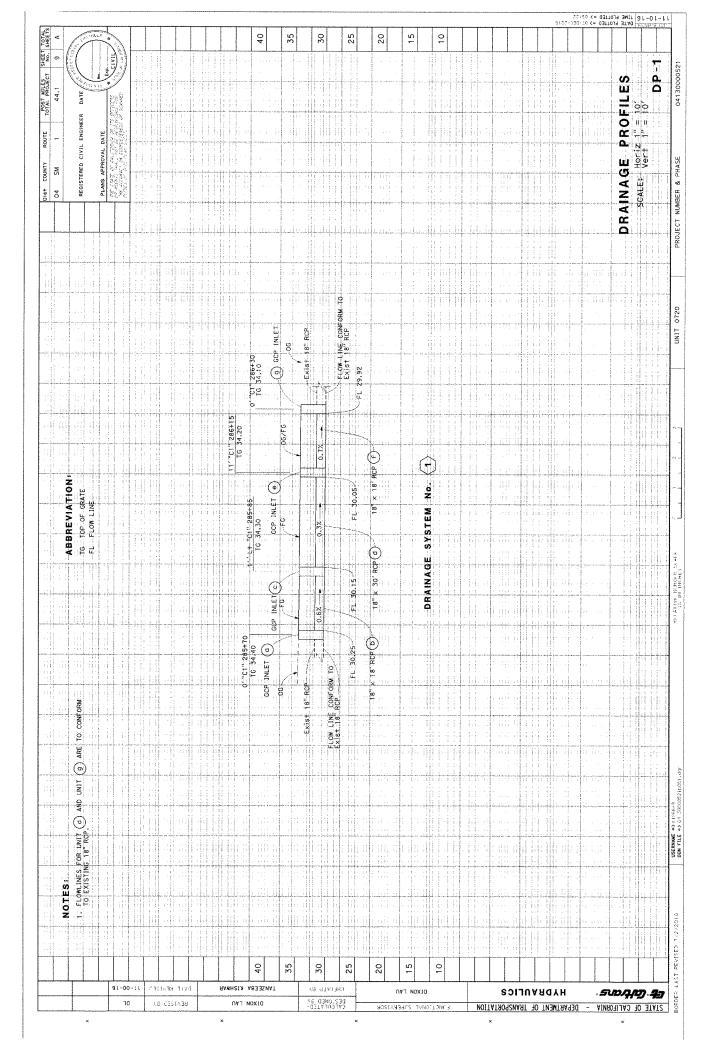
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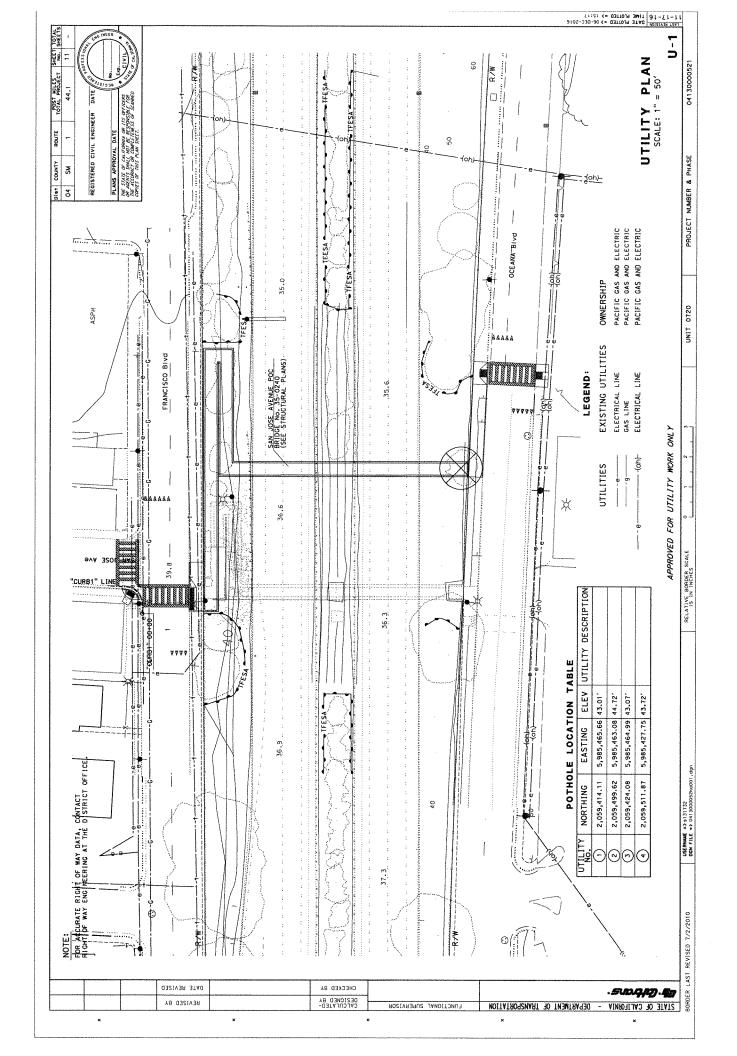
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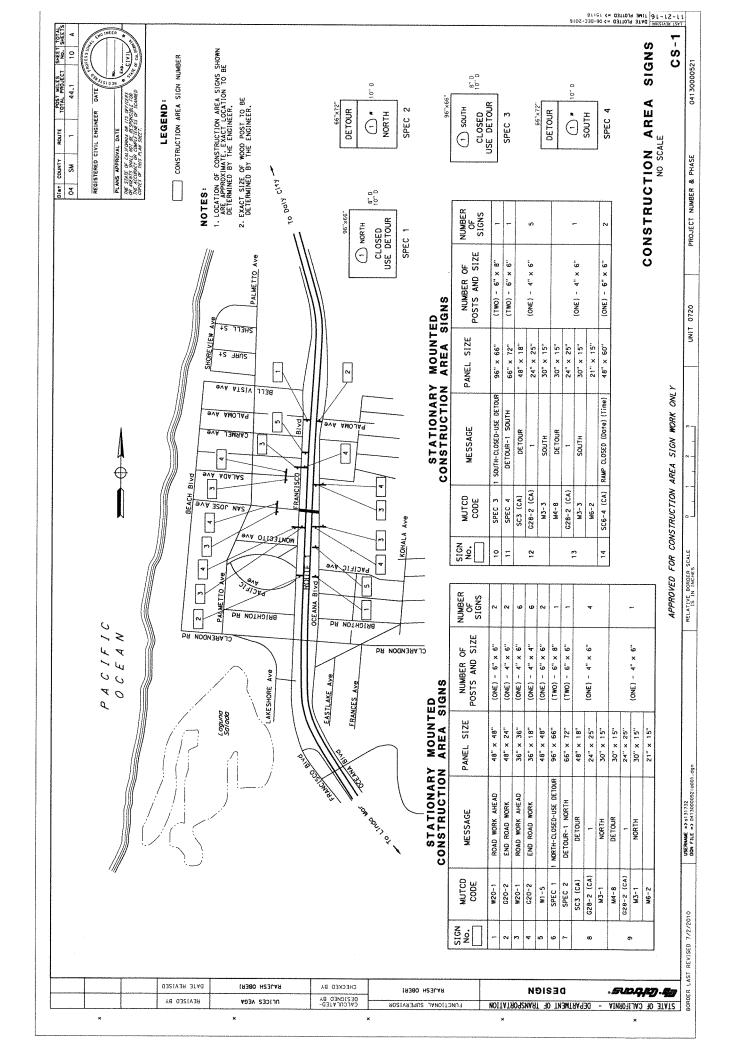
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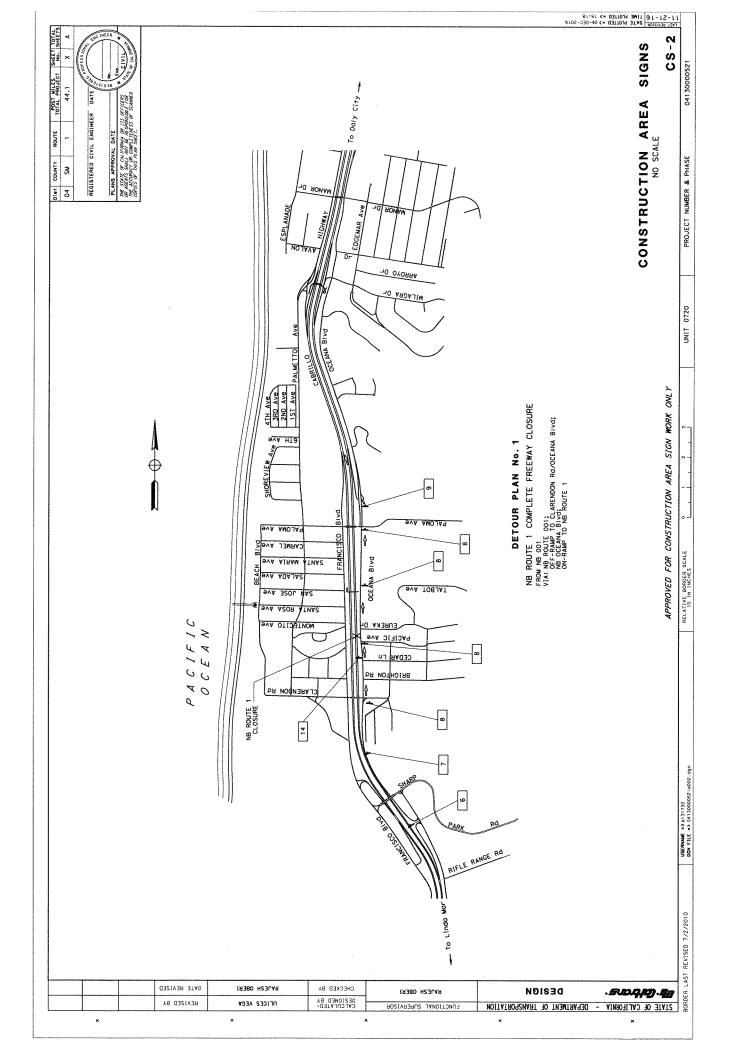
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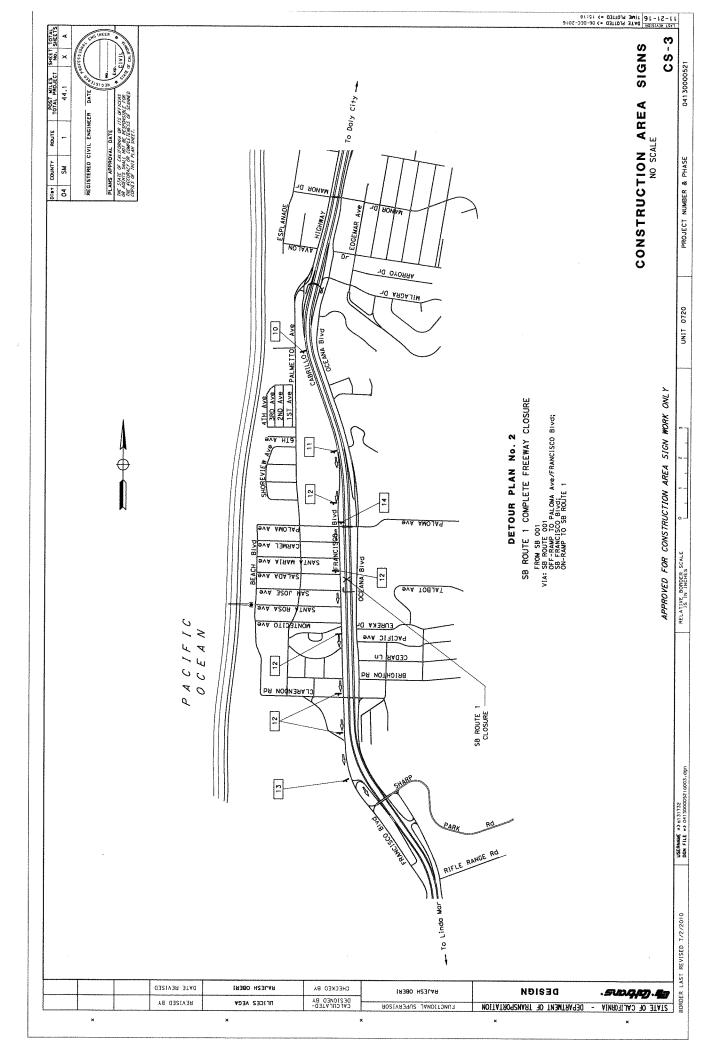
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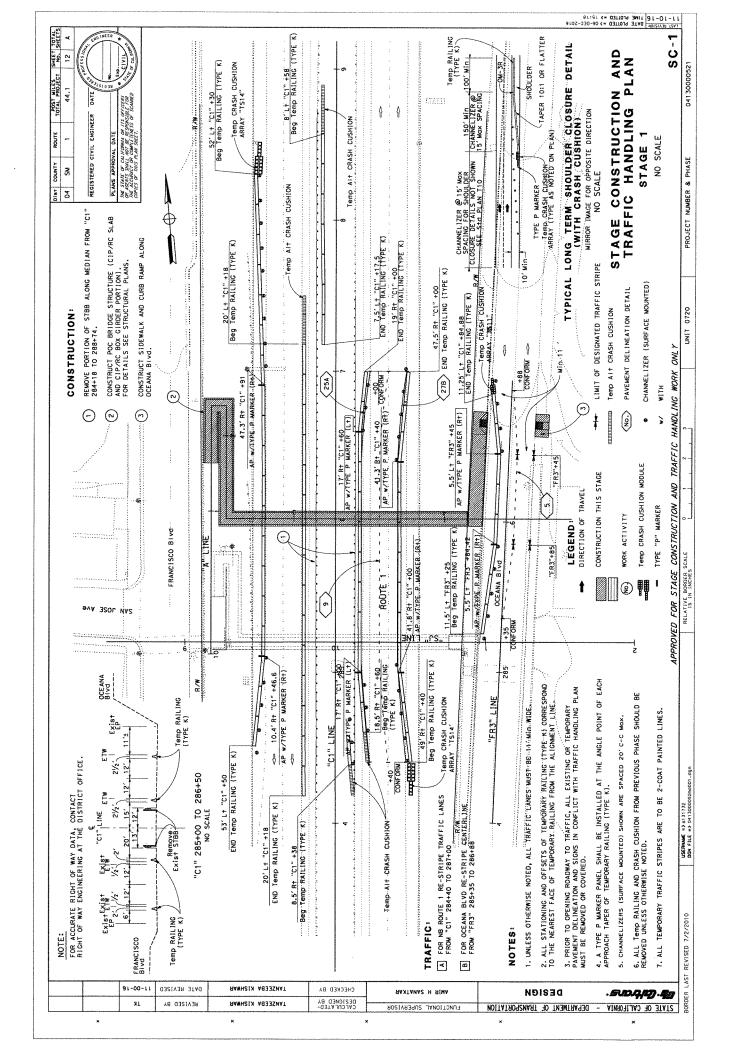
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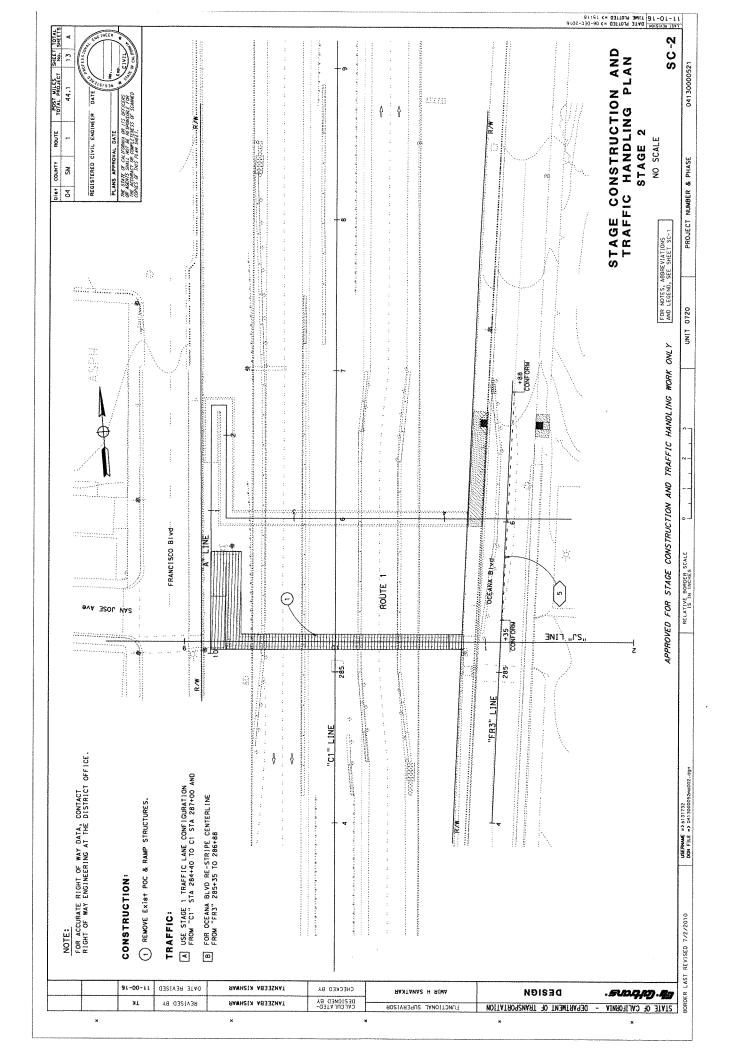


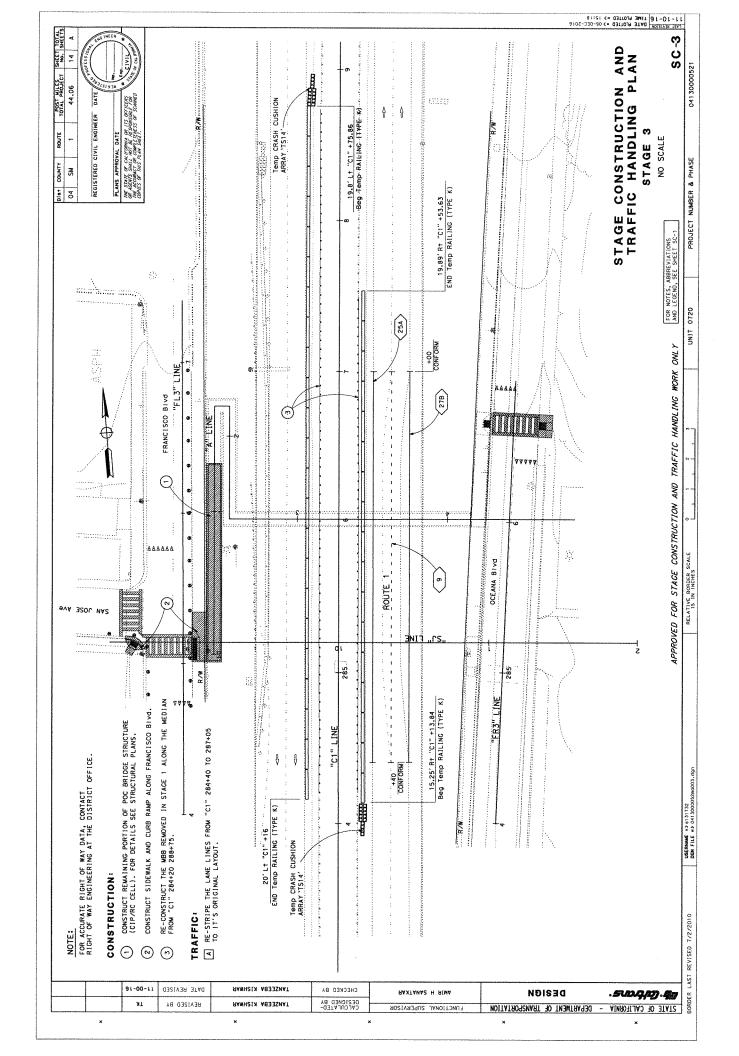












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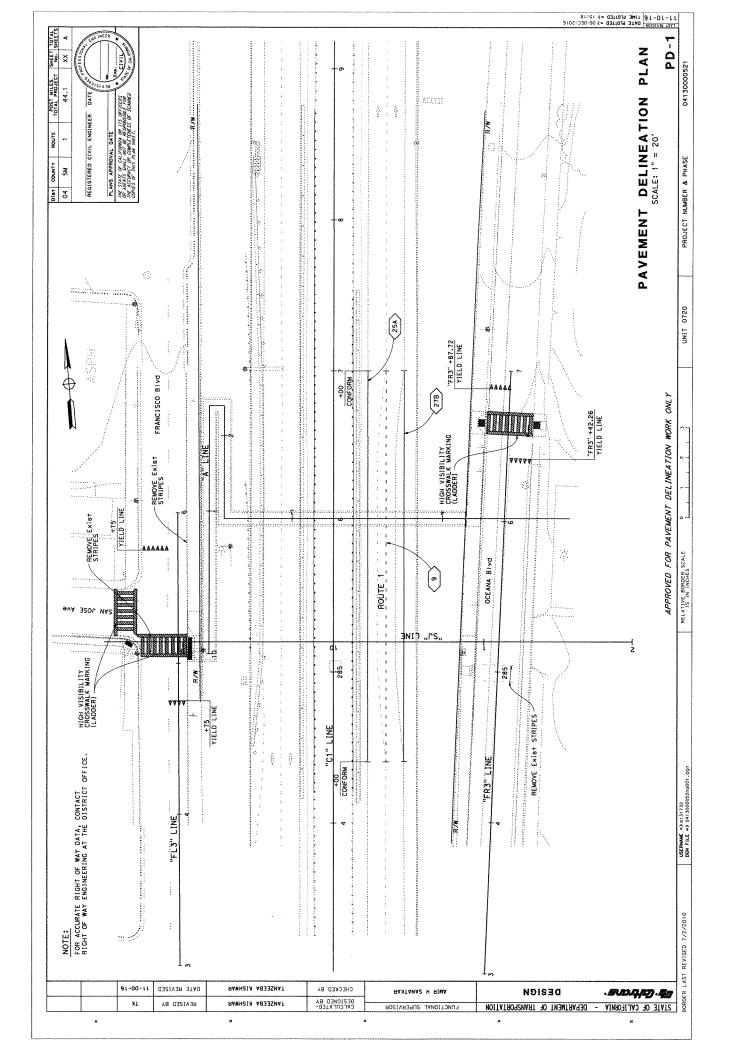
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"FL3" 285+01,15 TO 286+34,15	÷	SIDEWALK	2.5
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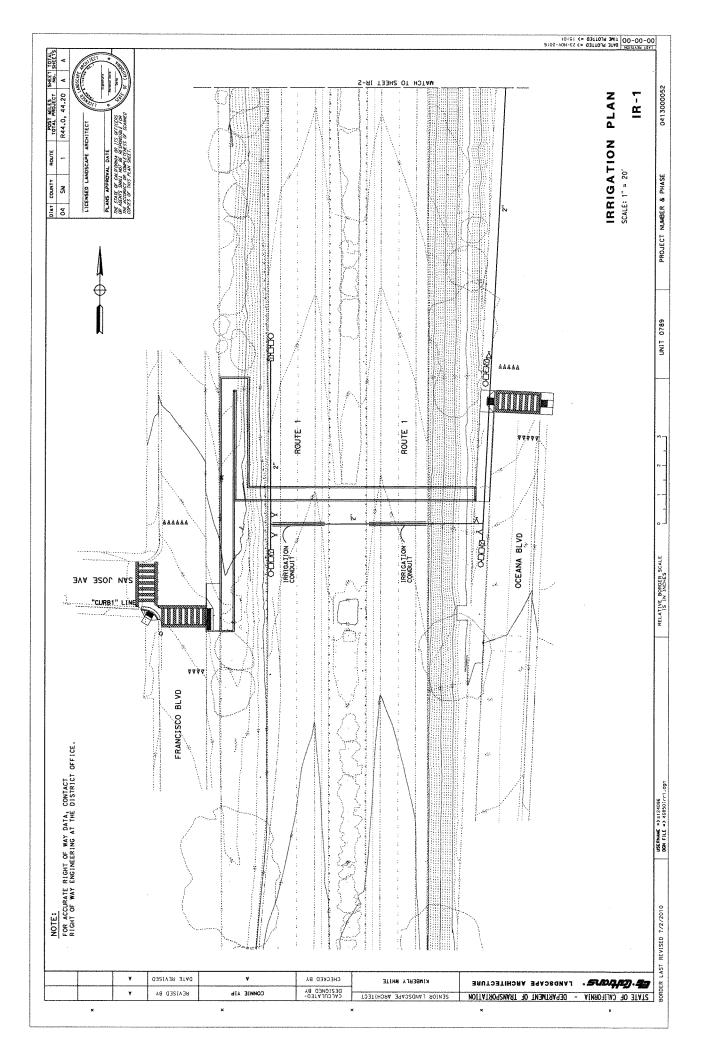
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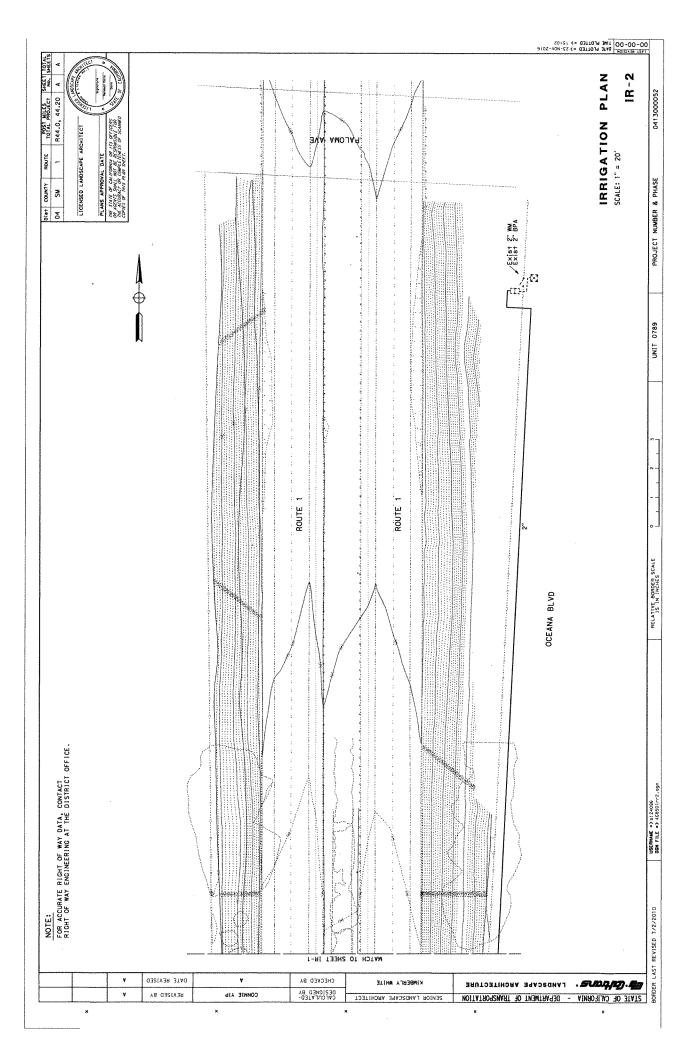
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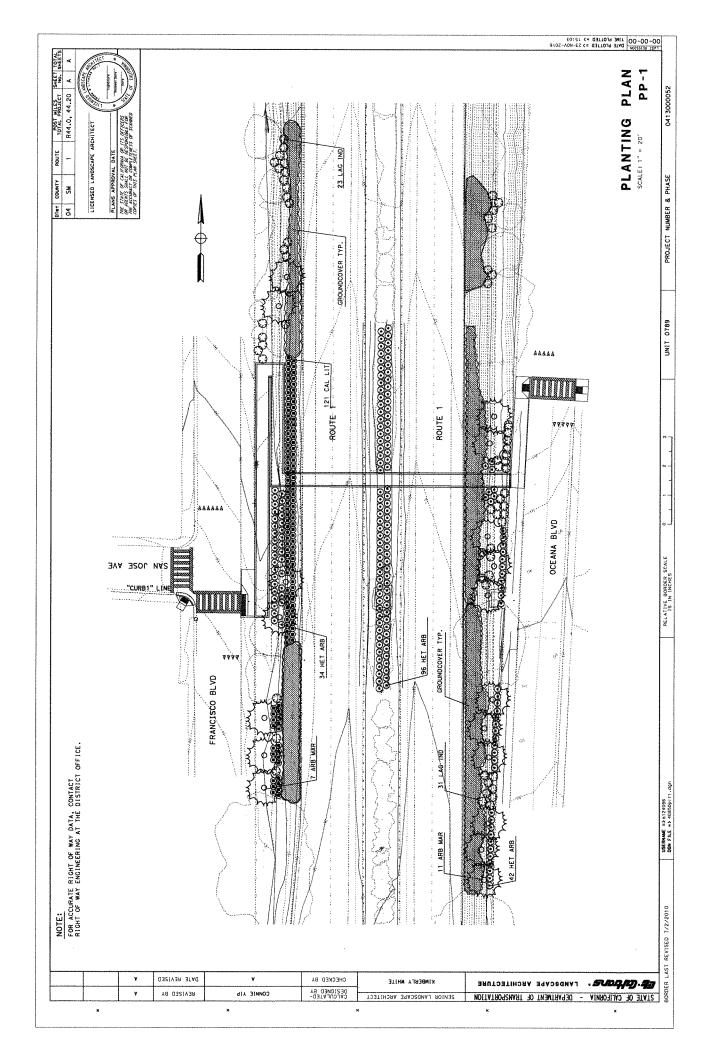
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**EROSION CONTROL LEGEND** 

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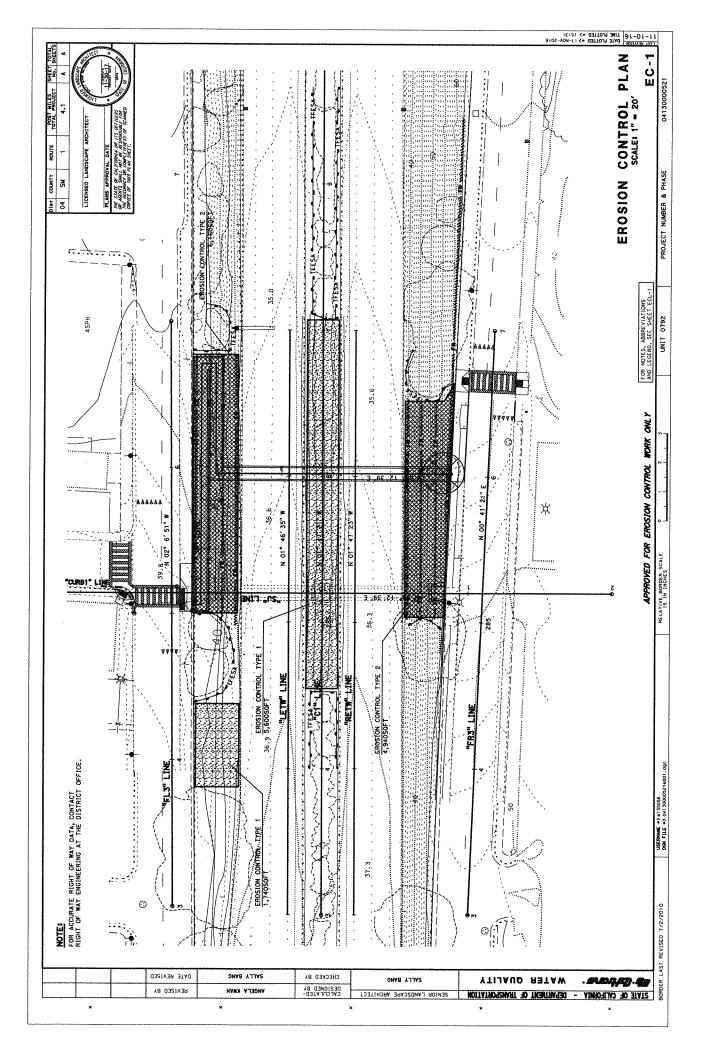
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	NASSELLA PULCHRA (PURPLE NEEDLEGRASS)	40	10
	TRIFOLIUM WILLDENOVII (TOMCAT CLOVER)	40	4
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HYDROMULCH	SOFT	7,340	11,100	18,440	
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### PROJECT NOTES:

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MAKE 12" DEEP TRENCH FROM THE RELOCATED POWER CABINET TO THE ENTRANCE OF THE (N)P.O.C, INSTALL 2" C, 2#6, #6 GROUND IN THE TRENCH.

CONNECT THE CONDUIT IN THE TRENCH TO THE (E) EMBEDDED CONDUIT IN (N) P.O.C.

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- INSTALL 2#6, 1#6 GROUND IN THE EMBEDDED CONDUIT AND CONNECT TO P.O.C LIGHT.
  - INSTALL LIGHTS ON THE BRIDGE AS PER SHEET E-3.
- CONNECT THE 2#6, 1#6 GROUND TO THE (E) 30 AMP BREAKER. 9 4 3 5
- INSTALL SOLAR POWER OPERATED RRFB IN THE LOCATIONS SHOWN AS PER SHEET E-5.

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THIS LIGHTING POLE WITH LUMINAIRE AND IT'S PULL BOX TO REMAIN AFTER DEMOLITION OF EXISTING P.O.C.

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- (E) P.O.C LIGHT POLE WITH LUMINAIRE. RC 80
- RCJ ALL CONDUITS AND CONDUCTORS FEEDING THE (E) P.O.C. LIGHT UP TO (E) 30A BREAKER LOCATED IN THE (E) POWER CABINET SHOWN IN SHEET E-2. 6

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- CONNECT TO 2"C, 2#6, 1#6 GROUND TO THE REMAINING P.O.C LIGHT. [2]
- CALTRANS UTILITY ENGINEERS TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS WITH POSE FOR RELOCATION OF THESE PULL BOXES.
- (E) POWER CABINET #44041 TO BE RELOCATED TO 10-15 FEET TOWARDS THE LEFT AS SHOWN IN SHEET E-3. 12

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### NOTES:

- ALL CONDUIT ROUTING IS DIAGRAMATIC. PULL BOX LOCATION MUST BE LOCATED AS SHOWN, PROVIDE ADDITIONAL PULL BOXES AS REQUIRED. EXACT LOCATION OF EQUIPMENT AND DEVICES MAYBE ADJUSTED DEPENDING ON FIELD CONDITION, VERIFY ALL FIELD DIMENSIONS. -:
- MINIMUM SIZE OD CONDUITS MUST BE 3/4", ALL CONDUITS MUST BE PVC COATED RIGID GALVANIZED STEEL (TYPE 2). ;
- CONDUIT FITTING FOR 3" CONDUITS AND LARGER MUST HAVE A 24" MINIMUM BENDING RADIUS.
- CONDUITS INCLUDING SPARES, MUST BE PROVIDED WITH FULL TAPE PRIOR TO CABLE INSTALLATION. 4.
- EQUIPMENT AND DEVICES MUST BE PROVIDED WITH NAMEPLATE TAGS PER DRAWINGS. δ.

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- FEEDERS AND BRANCH CIRCUITS MUST BE PROVIDED WITH GROUND WIRE.
- 7. LABEL ALL CONDUCTORS AND CABLES PER WIRING DIAGRAMS.

### ELECTRICAL INDEX

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- REMOVING EXISTING ELECTRICAL SYSTEM

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### SYMBOLS:

	PULL BOX	SERVICE EQUIPMENT CLOSURE WITH DOX	FLOURESCENT LIGHT FIXTURE	ELECTROLIER	SOLAR POWER OPERATED RECTANGULAR RAPID FLASHING BEACON	CONDUIT IN TRENCH OR EXISTING EMBEDDED CONDUIT
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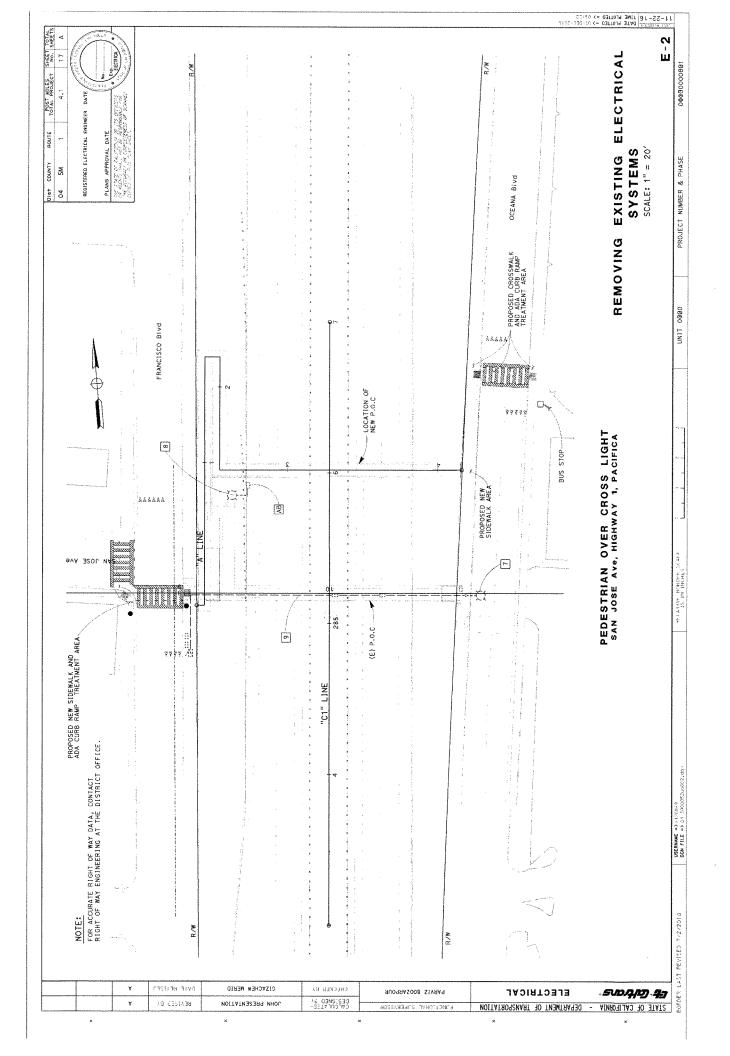
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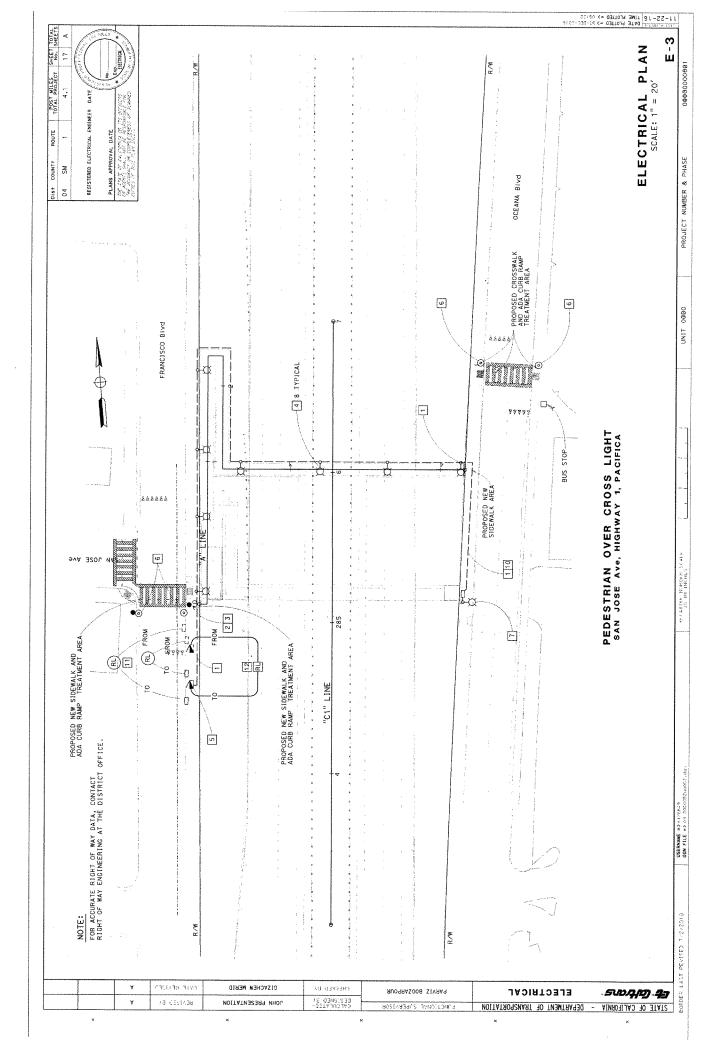
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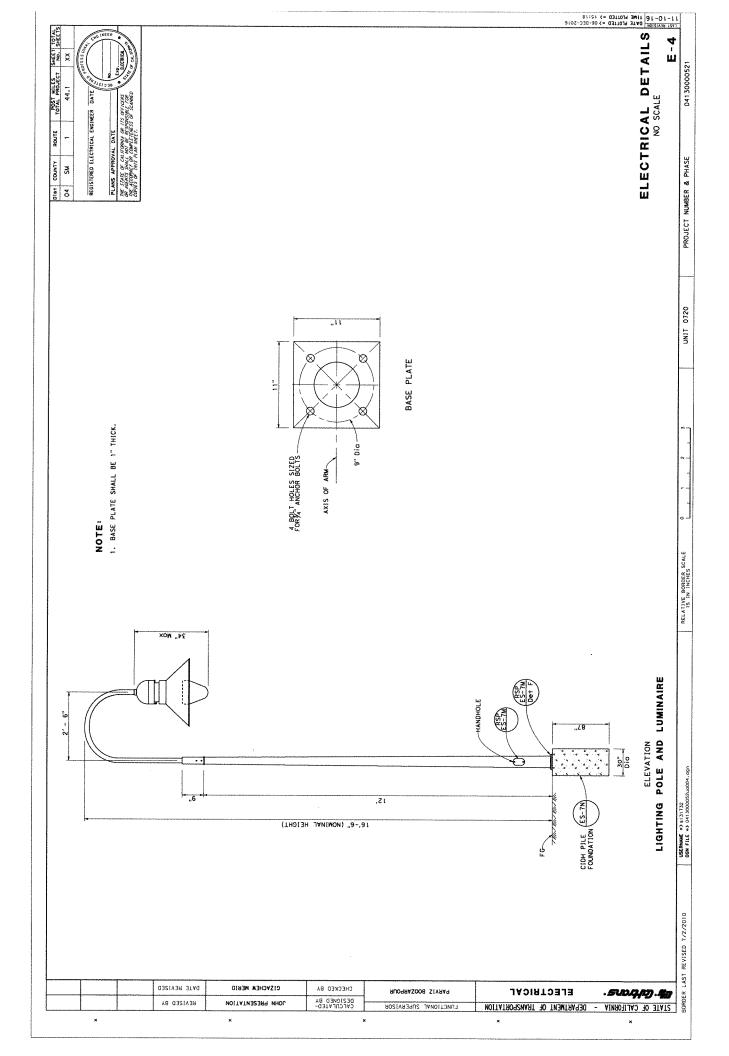
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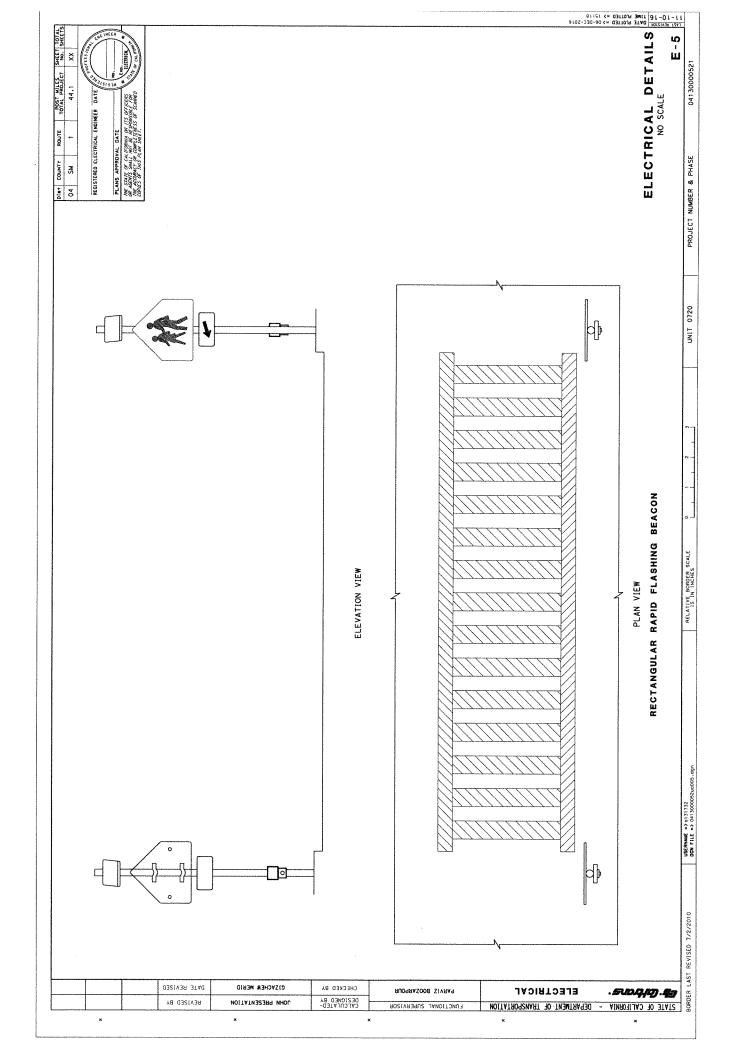
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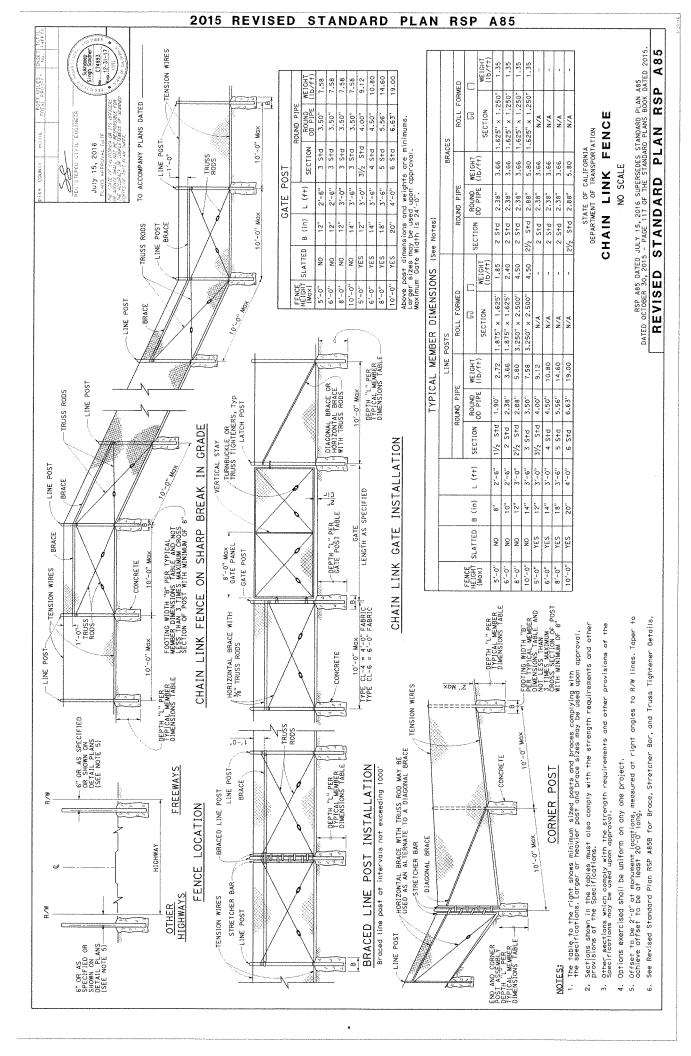
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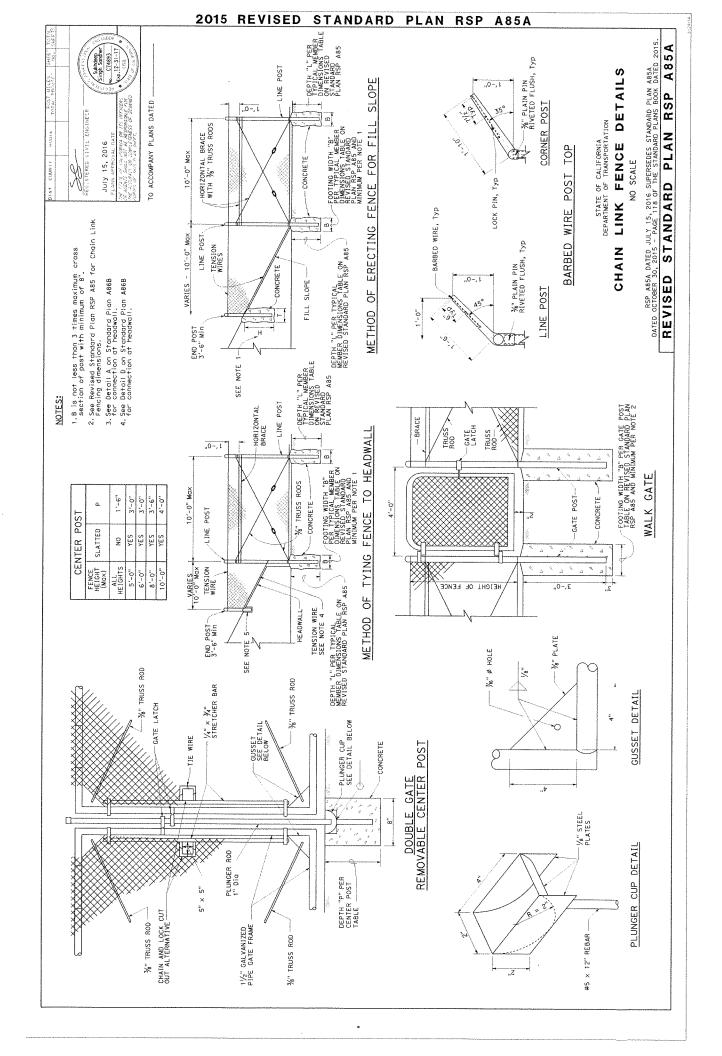
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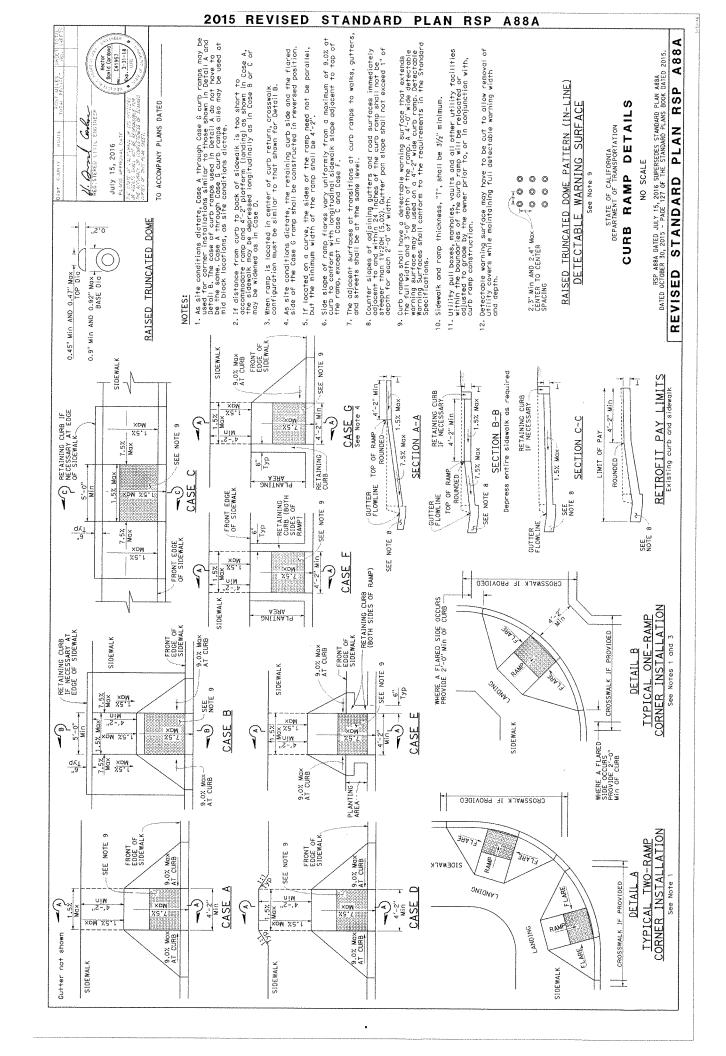
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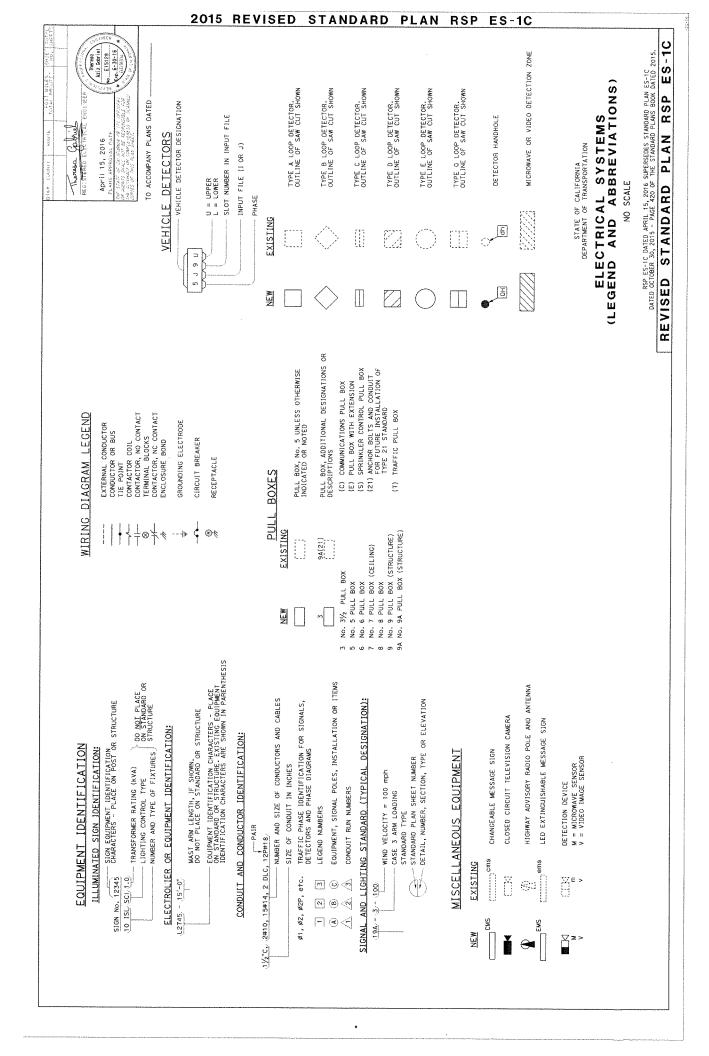
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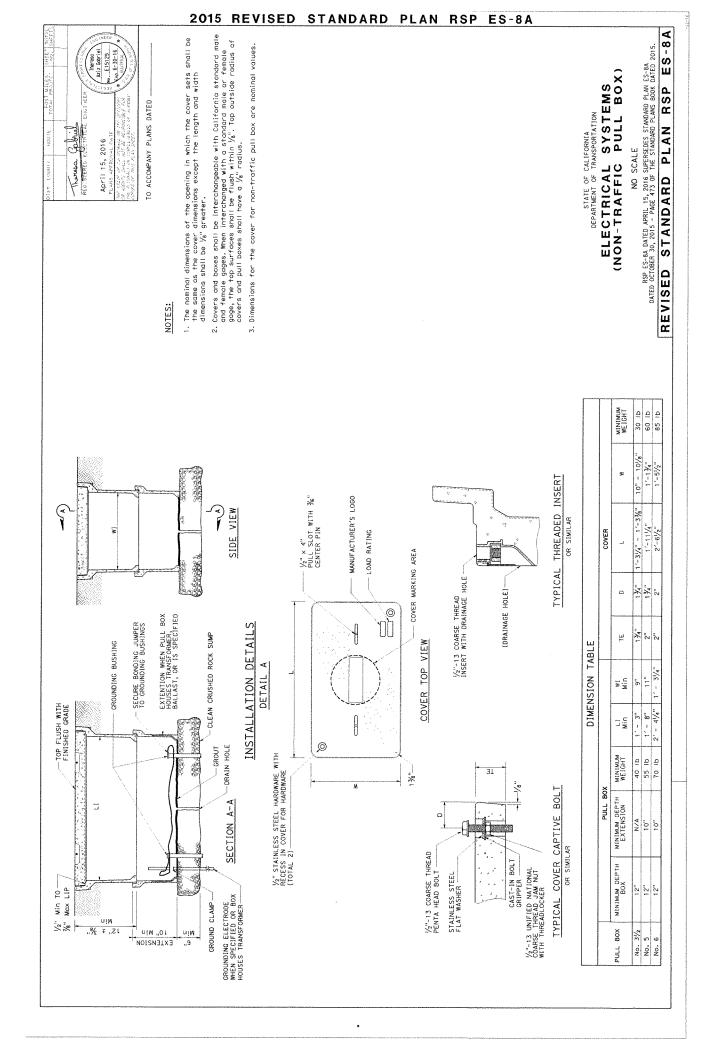
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LIFT HOLE ---HOLD-DOWN BOLT-

- 1. Traffic pull box shall be provided with steel cover and special concrete foothing. Steel cover shall have embossed non-skid pathern.

  2. Steel reinforcing shall be as regularly used in the standard products of the respective manufacturer.
- 3. Bonding jumper for metal covers shall be 3' long, minimum.
- 4. The nominal dimensions of the opening in which the cover sets shall be the same as the cover dimensions except the length and width dimensions shall be \( \infty\$, greater. \)

  5. Covers and baxes shall be interchanged with California standard male and female gages. When interchanged with a standard male gage, the top surfaces shall be flush within \( \infty\$.

### No. 6(T) TRAFFIC PULL BOX No. 31/2(T), No. 5(T) AND SECTION A-A

CLEAN CRUSHED ROCK SUMP

- GROUNDING BUSHING

DRAIN HOLE

3" Min ALL AROUND -6" MIN ALL AROUND ---

GROUT

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WITH FINISHED

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/2" LENGTH SLEEVE NUT WITH BRASS BOLT

GALVANIZED Z-BAR WELDED FRAME

BONDING JUMPER, SEE NOTE 3 -----PULL BOX -

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--- COVER MARKING AREA

TOP VIEW

REINFORCED 1/2" MIN STEEL
PLATE COVER, GALVANIZED AFTER
FABRICATION. SEE NOTE 2

PULL BOX REINFORCED WITH GALVANIZED Z-BAR WELDED FRAME —

-LOAD RATING

MINIMUM * MINIMUM DEPTH BOX   1/2"   1/-0"   1/2"   1/-0"   1/4"   1/-0"   2"   1/-0"   1/-0"
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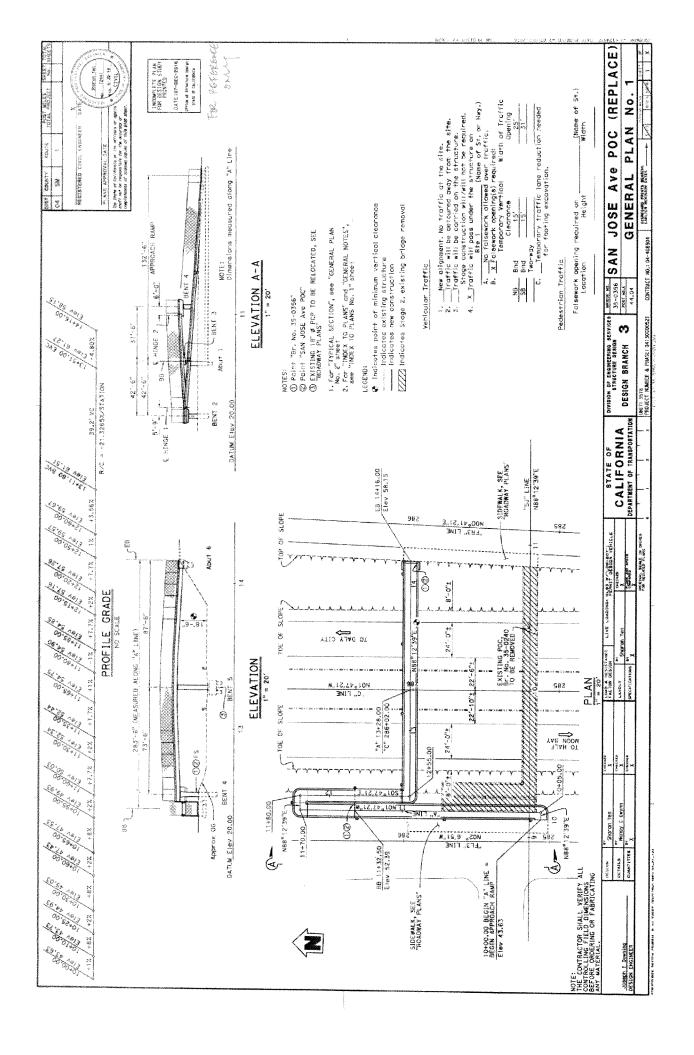
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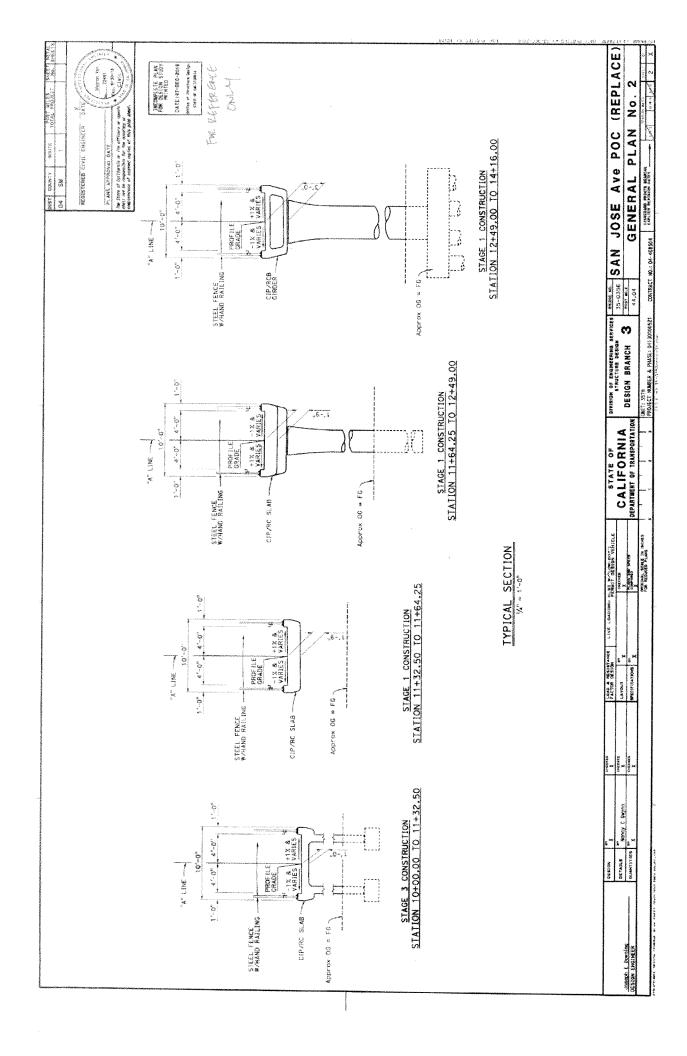
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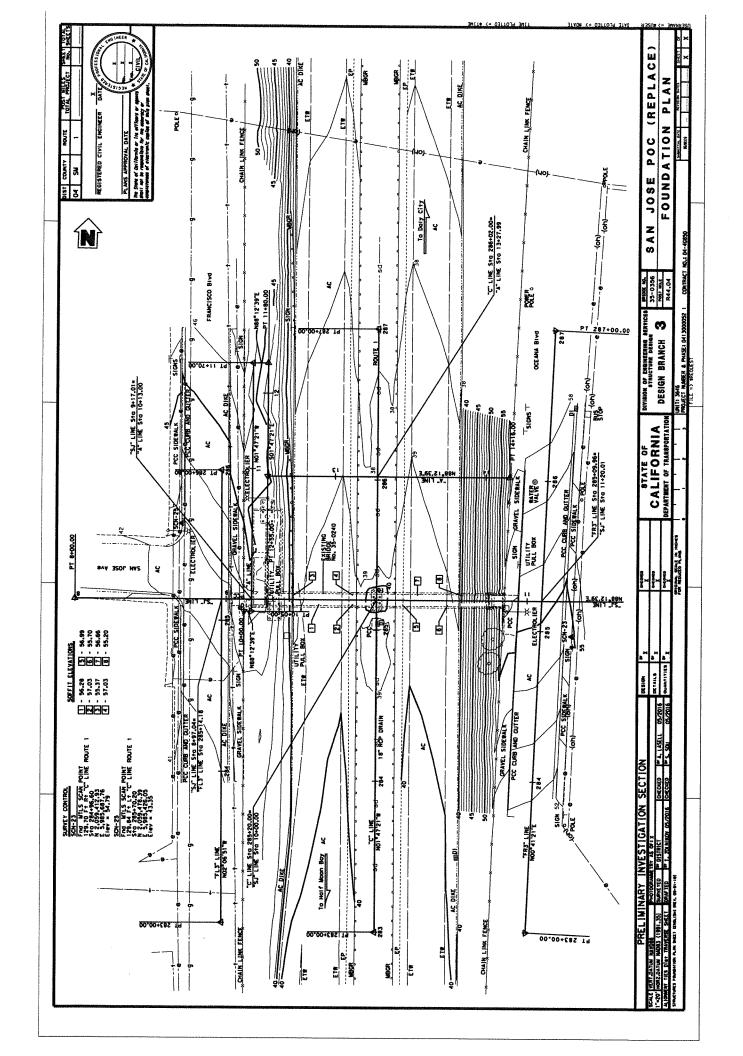
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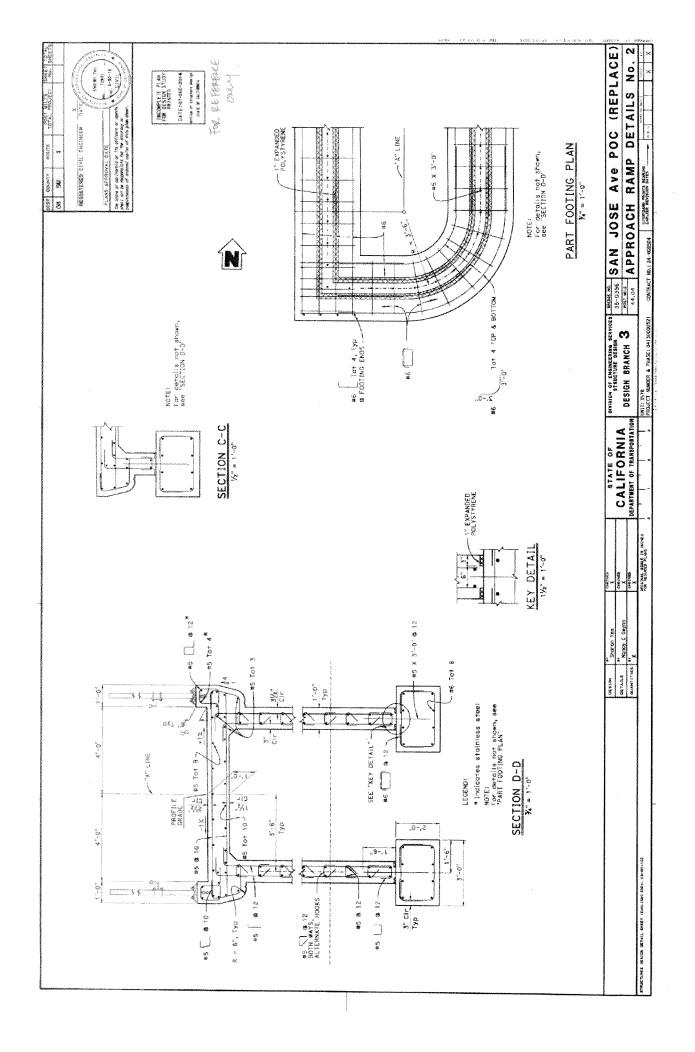
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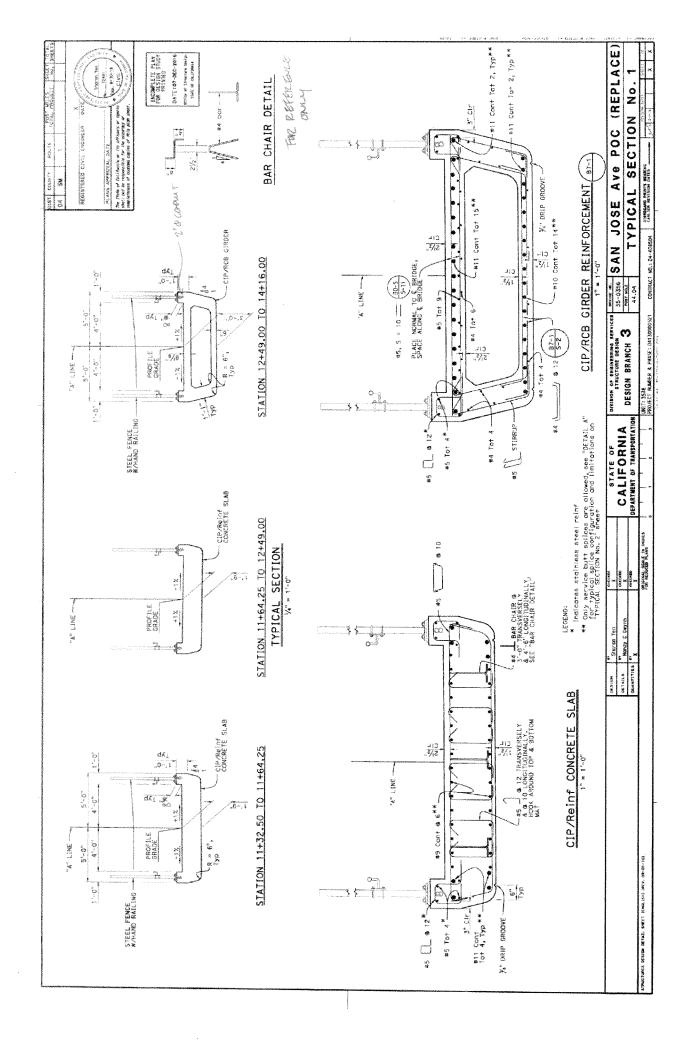
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FUSE CURRENT RATING  LOW PRESSURE SODIUM BALLAST SIGN LIGHTING  180 W 85 W 5 A 5 A 5 A 5 A 5 A De provided with fused connectors.	ED CONNECTORS  CONTINUE KINK TO AT LEAST 90° POSITION AS INDICATED IN STEP 2.  FRONT VIEW  STEP 2	SLACK IN CONDUCTORS REMOVED RE
HPS LAMP BALLAST LOW PRESSURE 70 W 100 W 11 5 A 5 A 5 5 A 5 A 5 5 A 5 A 5 5 A 5 A 5	Files ratings shall be as noted above.  2. See Standard Plan ES-15b, Type SC3 control.  FUSE RATINGS FOR FUSED CONNECTORS  SIDE VIEW  FRONT VIEW  STEP 2  STEP 2	WAKE TIGHT KINK IN EACH CONDUCTOR AT OR SOMEWHERE  BELOW SHEAR PLANE  WRAPPED AND SECURED CONDUCTORS 4 TIMES THEN CONTINUE TO FUSED SPLICE CONNECTOR  KINKING DETAIL FOR  SLIP BASE STANDARDS  DETAIL A
CIRCUIT VOLTAGE HPS 1 VOLTAGE RATING 70 W 120 V 250 V 5 A 240 V 250 V 5 A 480 V 500-600 V 5 A MOJES: 1. Primary lines of multipl	Fuse ratings shall be as noted above.  2. See Standard Plan ES-15b, Type SC3 control.  FUSE RATINGS FOR  SIDE VIEW  STEP 1	BONDING STRAP











### XIV. Architectural Renderings



San Jose Ave POC (Replace) looking south



February 1, 2017

# Via Fax 650-359-5807

Planning Commission C/O Tina Wehrmeister Planning Director City of Pacifica 1800 Francisco Boulevard Pacifica, CA 94044

Re: Coastal Development Permit CDP-375-16

Dear Planning Commission Members:

AIMCO Horizons West Apartments, LLC owns Horizons West Apartments located at 365 Talbot Avenue, Pacifica, CA 94044. Regarding the above-referenced CDP application, as an affected property owner we respectfully request City of Pacifica Planning Staff and the Planning Commission seriously consider mitigating the visual impact as seen from our property on the hillside directly above the proposed pedestrian overcrossing. Specifically, we recommend that Staff and the Planning Commission require the California Department of Transportation to:

- 1. Add mature landscape plant material both in tree and shrub form around the ramp and landing portions of the new bridge/ramp systems; and
- 2. Add decorative concrete stamping or graphics to the face and sides of the proposed bridge as seen from the highway and surrounding streets.

These mitigation measures should fit well with the picturesque town of Pacifica.

Thank you for your consideration.

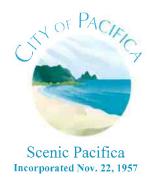
Sincerely,

AIMCO Horizons West Apartments, LLC

By:

Sean Finnegan

Authorized Representative



# PLANNING COMMISSION Staff Report

DATE: February 6, 2017

**FILE:** UP-080-16 PSD-816-16

**ITEM:** 3

PUBLIC NOTICE: Notice of Public Hearing was published in the Pacifica Tribune on January 25, 2017, and was mailed to 394 property owners and occupants within the 300 feet of the Project site.

**APPLICANT/OWNER:** City of Pacifica

170 Santa Maria Avenue Pacifica, CA 94044

PROJECT LOCATION: 540 Crespi Drive (APN: 022-162-420)

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Construction of a 2.1 million-gallon capacity equalization (EQ) basin, a 10-foot tall motor control center building, ventilation and odor-control system, and a cleaning system within the EQ basin at 540 Crespi Drive in Pacifica. The Project would also include construction of two diversion structures to passively divert excess flows from the existing Linda Mar and Arguello sanitary sewer lines and transport the flow via a conveyance pipeline to the EQ basin during storm events and an effluent conveyance pipeline routing flows to the existing Crespi Drive sanitary sewer line and Linda Mar Blvd Pump Station.

SITE DESIGNATIONS:

General Plan: Public Facility

Zoning: M-1 (Controlled Manufacturing District)

RECOMMENDED CEQA STATUS: A Mitigated Negative Declaration and Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program have been prepared and are recommended for adoption.

ADDITIONAL REQUIRED APPROVALS: None. Subject to appeal to the City Council.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Approve, as conditioned.

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#### **PROJECT SUMMARY**

#### 1. Project Background

The City of Pacifica (City) would construct and utilize the proposed wet weather flow equalization basin (EQ basin) and associated pipelines (together referred to as "Project") as a key element to mitigate storm-related sanitary sewer overflows (SSOs) in the City's wastewater collection system and reduce peak wet weather flows to the City's Calera Creek Water Recycling Plant. The City's wastewater collection system is subject to infiltration and inflow (I/I) of extraneous groundwater and storm water into the collection system, resulting in high wet weather flows during storm events. As a result, SSOs have occurred at several locations in the system during large storms.

Since 2004, the City has been required to monitor and report occurrences of SSOs, initially to the San Francisco Bay Regional Quality Control Board (RWQCB), and since 2007 to the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) under the Statewide General Waste Discharge Requirements for Sanitary Sewer Systems adopted in 2006. Under the Regional and State regulations, the City is also required to prepare and adopt a Sewer System Management Plan (SSMP), which must include plans and programs for addressing the operation and maintenance of the system and assessing its condition and capacity. The City prepared the Collection System Master Plan¹ (Master Plan) to meet specific SSMP requirements, as well as to develop a long-term plan for rehabilitation, replacement, and capacity improvements to its system.

As a result of SSOs that have occurred in the system, the RWQCB issued a Cease and Desist Order (CDO) to the City in May 2011, and the City entered into a Consent Decree with Our Children's Earth Foundation in June 2011, requiring it to implement a number of measures targeted at reducing SSOs. The CDO and Consent Decree have similar requirements, including:

- Developing and implementing an SSO reduction plan;
- Implementing a computerized maintenance management system;
- Implementing programs addressing system-wide cleaning, root control, illicit discharge elimination, and private sewer lateral inspection and repair;
- Performing a condition assessment of the collection system;
- Preparing a System Evaluation and Capacity Assurance Plan (SECAP);
- Staff training in implementing the measures; and
- Developing an initial and long-term capital improvement plan (CIP) and financial plan.

The Master Plan specifically addresses the condition assessment of the system (based on inspection data collected), the SECAP, and development of a long-term CIP.

The City evaluated many options to meet the requirements presented in the CDO and Consent Decree. The Master Plan included evaluation of three alternatives, including a capacity enhancement only project, the installation of an EQ basin, and capacity improvements with sewer system rehabilitation. Based on this comparison, the best alternative was determined to be the implementation of an EQ basin. This alternative was determined to provide the best assurance of meeting regulatory and legal

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> RMC. 2011. City of Pacifica Collection System Master Plan Final Report. October. Available Online: <a href="http://www.cityofpacifica.org/civicax/filebank/blobdload.aspx?blobid=5267">http://www.cityofpacifica.org/civicax/filebank/blobdload.aspx?blobid=5267</a>

requirements to eliminate capacity-related SSOs in the near term, and has the lowest estimated capital cost of the three alternatives.

In August 2015 Wet Weather EQ basin Site Feasibility Evaluation<sup>2,3</sup> was released and included an evaluation of multiple locations for the project. The Sites identified in the Feasibility Evaluation and Addendum are shown in Attachment D. The current site (Site 2C) was selected by the City Council as the preferred site for placement of the EQ basin as it was property the City already owned, had a lower cost for construction, and presented the least public impact.

The objective of the Project is to meet the requirements of the CDO and Consent Decree. Specifically, the Project was designed to meet the following condition of the CDO: "By January 1, 2019, the Discharger shall have no insufficient capacity-caused SSOs."

#### 2. Project Description

The Project would include the construction of a 2.1-million-gallon capacity EQ basin, two diversion structures to passively divert excess flows from the existing Linda Mar and Arguello sanitary sewer lines and transport the flow via a conveyance pipeline to the EQ basin during storm events, an effluent conveyance pipeline routing flows to the existing Crespi Drive sanitary sewer line and Linda Mar Blvd Pump Station, a 10-foot tall motor control center building, ventilation and odor-control system, and a cleaning system within the EQ basin.

The EQ basin would be located within the parking lot for the City of Pacifica's Skatepark and Community Center (located at 540 Crespi Drive) on the east side of SR-1. The proposed two diversion structures and conveyance pipelines to and from the EQ basin would be constructed in City-owned right-of-ways or public utility easements.

A description of the construction and operation phases of the Project is provided in Attachment E. During construction of the EQ Basin, the Skatepark parking lot would be closed to the public, and normal parking in this area would be diverted to the Crespi Parking Lot west of the Community Center. The Skatepark and Community Center would maintain their regular hours of operation. Following completion of EQ basin construction, the Skatepark parking lot would be reconstructed over the EQ basin structure to provide, at minimum, the same number of parking spots as in the existing parking lot.

Project construction is anticipated to occur during a 17-month period starting in May 2017 and ending in September 2018. Construction would occur Monday through Friday during the hours as detailed in Table 1.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> RMC. 2015. City of Pacifica Wet Weather Equalization Basin Site Feasibility Evaluation Final Report. August. Available Online: http://www.cityofpacifica.org/civicax/filebank/blobdload.aspx?blobid=7811

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> RMC. 2015. City of Pacifica Wet Weather Equalization Basin Site Feasibility Evaluation Site Alternative 2C and Prioritization Addendum to Site Feasibility Evaluation Report. August. Available Online: <a href="http://www.cityofpacifica.org/civicax/filebank/blobdload.aspx?blobid=7812">http://www.cityofpacifica.org/civicax/filebank/blobdload.aspx?blobid=7812</a>

**Table 1. Construction Hours** 

Location	Hours of Construction
Within the EQ basin area (Skatepark parking lot area including the excavation for the jacking and receiving pits)	8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Along City streets (except at the intersection of Linda Mar Boulevard and De Solo Drive)	9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
At the intersection of Linda Mar Boulevard and De Solo Drive	9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

## 3. General Plan, Zoning, and Surrounding Land Uses

The General Plan land use designation for the site is Public Facilities. The zoning district for the site is M-1 (Controlled Manufacturing District). The M-1 District has the same permitted uses and development regulations as the C-3 District. The proposed EQ basin construction site is bounded by vacant areas to the east and west, residential parcels approximately 80 feet to the southwest, and the Skatepark and Community Center complexes to the west and north, respectively. There is an open, vegetated drainage swale between the southeastern end of the parking lot and the nearby residences.

# 4. Municipal Code

The Pacifica Municipal Code (PMC) requires two discretionary permits for this project, including a Use Permit (UP) and Site Development Permit (PSD).

In accordance with PMC Section 9-4.2303, "in any district where public utility facilities are not expressly permitted, such facilities may be permitted upon securing a use permit [...]." Additionally, the Project site is adjacent to an R-1 (Single Family Residential District) zoning district and per PMC Section 9-4.1202(i), all uses in a C-3 zoning district abutting a residential district require a UP. Lastly, PMC Section 9-4.2306(a)(12) identifies wastewater treatment and reclamation facilities as a special use that Planning Commission can accommodate in any zoning district if it meets the special use permit review criteria detailed in PMC Section 9-4.2306(d).

- Use Permit UP-080-16: The Planning Commission must make the following findings in order to approve an UP [PMC Sec. 9-4.3303(a)]:
  - That the establishment, maintenance, or operation of the use or building applied for will not, under the circumstances of the particular case, be detrimental to the health, safety, and welfare of the persons residing or working in the neighborhood or to the general welfare of the City;
  - ii. That the use or building applied for is consistent with the applicable provisions of the General Plan and other applicable laws of the City and, where applicable, the local Coastal Plan; and
- iii. Where applicable, that the use or building applied for is consistent with the City's adopted Design Guidelines.

In addition, the Planning Commission must determine if the Project meets the following special use permit criteria detailed in PMC Section 9-4.2306(d).

- iv. That the proposed use will be of such size, design, and operating characteristics as will tend to keep it compatible with permitted uses in the district under consideration with respect to bulk, scale, coverage, density, noise, and generation of traffic;
- v. That the proposed development will enhance the successful operation of the community or will provide a service to the community;
- vi. That particular attention is given to the provision of buffering of uses from the surrounding neighborhood;
- vii. That the project conforms with the setback, coverage, landscaping, and other zoning regulations of the district where a use is proposed; and
- viii. That the project is consistent with the goals and policies of the General Plan, Local Coastal Plan and with the adopted Design Guidelines.

PMC Section 9-4.3201(a) requires a PSD for all new construction in a commercial District.

- **Site Development Permit PSD-816-16:** The Planning Commission shall not issue a Site Development Permit if the Commission makes any of the following findings [PMC Sec. 9-4.3204(a)]:
  - i. That the location, size, and intensity of the proposed operation will create a hazardous or inconvenient vehicular or pedestrian traffic pattern, taking into account the proposed use as compared with the general character and intensity of the neighborhood;
  - ii. That the accessibility of off-street parking areas and the relation of parking areas with respect to traffic on adjacent streets will create a hazardous or inconvenient condition to adjacent or surrounding uses;
  - iii. That insufficient landscaped areas have been reserved for the purposes of separating or screening service and storage areas from the street and adjoining building sites, breaking up large expanses of paved areas, and separating or screening parking lots from the street and adjoining building areas from paved areas to provide access from buildings to open areas;
  - iv. That the proposed development, as set forth on the plans, will unreasonably restrict or cut out light and air on the property and on other property in the neighborhood, or will hinder or discourage the appropriate development and use of land and buildings in the neighborhood, or impair the value thereof;
  - v. That the improvement of any commercial or industrial structure, as shown on the elevations as submitted, is substantially detrimental to the character or value of an adjacent R District area;
  - vi. That the proposed development will excessively damage or destroy natural features, including trees, shrubs, creeks, and rocks, and the natural grade of the site, except as provided in the subdivision regulations as set forth in Chapter 1 of Title 10 of this Code;
- vii. That there is insufficient variety in the design of the structure and grounds to avoid monotony in the external appearance;

- viii. That the proposed development is inconsistent with the City's adopted Design Guidelines; or
- ix. That the proposed development is inconsistent with the General Plan, Local Coastal Plan, or other applicable laws of the City.

#### 5. Required Findings

- A. In order to approve UP-080-16 the Planning Commission must make the following three findings required by PMC Sections 9-4.3303(a):
  - That the establishment, maintenance, or operation of the use or building applied for will not, under the circumstances of the particular case, be detrimental to the health, safety, and welfare of the persons residing or working in the neighborhood or to the general welfare of the City;

**Discussion:** As further discussed below in Section 5 and in Attachment E of this staff report, the MND/IS prepared for the proposed Project concludes that the construction, operation and maintenance of the Project would not have a significant impact on the environment with the implementation of the incorporated mitigation measures (MMs). The Project would meet all applicable building code and engineering requirements and would comply with all applicable regulatory requirements.

ii. That the use or building applied for is consistent with the applicable provisions of the General Plan and other applicable laws of the City and, where applicable, the local Coastal Plan; and

**Discussion:** The proposed use is consistent with the General Plan and the local Coastal Plan is not applicable to the Project site. The issue of I/I into the sanitary sewer system during wet weather events and the need to improve the sanitary sewer system capacity is mentioned in multiple locations within the General Plan, as noted below.

#### **Conservation Element**

Inflow and infiltration into the sewage collection system, particularly in the Linda Mar area, results in overflows during long periods of wet weather. The exact locations of this problem are unknown and difficult to assess. The magnitude of the problem and the cost of correction are estimated to be great. The City should seek assistance to investigate and reduce this problem. (Page 114)

**Action Programs, Short Term, 1:** Seek outside assistance to study and correct the infiltration problem in Linda Mar sewage collection system. (Page 16)

#### **Community Facilities Element**

The Regional Board is presently concerned about compliance during wet weather conditions. Reduction of the peak wet weather flows through an inflow and infiltration reduction program and modification to the treatment plant may be required within the next five years. (Page 96)

Policy 1: Maintain and improve the present level of City services. (Page 21)

The City is separately working on directly addressing the I/I issue by replacing sanitary sewer piping as funding will allow. However, the cost and work associated with correcting the I/I in the Linda Mar area is significant and is a long-term goal. Meanwhile, the Linda Mar area experiences SSOs as a result of the I/I. The proposed Project would address the SSOs that result from the I/I during wet weather events by creating additional capacity to the Linda Mar sanitary sewer collection system. SSOs create a significant impact on the environment, and in particular on water quality. The Project would prevent capacity related SSOs from occurring during wet weather events. The objective of the proposed Project would be consistent with the General Plan as the proposed Project would address the results of the I/I issue discussed in the General Plan.

Additionally, construction of the Project is consistent with other resources considered in the General Plan as further discussed below:

#### **Noise Element**

**Action Programs, Short Term, 5:** The noise impact on land uses should be considered when development plans are reviewed and approved. Where existing ambient noise levels are high, or where the proposed use will create additional noise, the builder should be required to mitigate the noise. (Page 18)

**Discussion:** The MND/IS analyzed the impact of the proposed Project on the existing ambient noise levels (See Attachment E and Section 5 of this staff report). It was concluded that, with the incorporation of MM NOISE-1, impacts on noise levels for surrounding receptors would be less than significant during construction and operation of the Project.

#### Seismic Safety and Safety Element

**Policy 1.** Prohibit development in hazardous areas, including flood zones, unless detailed site investigations ensure that risks can be reduced to acceptable levels and the structure will be protected for its design life. Development shall be design to withstand a minimum of a 100 year hazard event regardless of the specific nature of the hazard. (Page 110)

Discussion: The southern part of the Community Center property, including the existing Skatepark parking lot, and the influent pipeline alignment are located within the Special Flood Hazard Zone AH, which is a Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) 100-year flood plain<sup>4</sup>. Proposed site improvements including site grading and construction of the EQ basin, the Motor Control Center (MCC) Building, and the odor control system (fan and granular activated carbon [GAC] absorber) are not anticipated to result in additional displacement of flood flows associated with the 100-year event as the overall grade following the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Federal Emergency Management Agency. 2017. FEMA National Flood Hazard Layer. Accessed January 4, 2017.

installation of the EQ basin would be similar to the existing grade. The elevation at the northern portion of the reconstructed parking lot would be slightly higher than the existing grade, and would slope to the south where the elevation would be slightly lower than existing grade. In addition, the proposed bioretention areas would increase the pervious area of the site, thereby allowing for greater infiltration during storm events. The existing street elevations along the new pipelines would not be changed from existing conditions.

The concrete slab for the MCC building and the odor control system would be constructed above the FEMA 100-year flood elevation of 14 feet above mean sea level <sup>5</sup>.

In addition, the Project would be consistent with the Pacifica Municipal Code, California Building Code, and other applicable regulations.

iii. Where applicable, that the use or building applied for is consistent with the City's adopted Design Guidelines.

**Discussion:** The Project components are primarily located underground. Aboveground features of the Project include the MCC building, odor control system including ambient air intakes, and the redesigned parking lot. These features are consistent with the City's adopted Design Guidelines as further discussed below.

**Building Design, Screening.** All exposed mechanical and electrical equipment must be screened from public view. The design of such screening should be integral part of the building design. (Page 5)

Discussion: A prefabricated, 10-foot tall MCC building equipped with a 4-foot high metal antenna that would allow radio communication with the City's Calera Waste Water Treatment Plant and an odor control system would be located along the northeastern portion of the Skatepark parking lot area. The MCC building would contain four motor starters, one for each of the 10 horsepower (hp) duty pumps and one for each of the 2 hp dewatering pumps, a panel board, a telemetry panel, and a transformer to step down voltages to the ancillary electrical facilities. Two at-grade ambient air inlets would be located on the west side of the EQ basin. The odor control system would appear as an approximate 5.5 foot high cylindrical structure, surrounded by a 6 foot high chain linked fence, located next to the MCC building. Landscaping would be used to reduce the visibility of these structures from public view. Condition of Approval (COA) 2 would require the implementation of a landscaping plan to screen the new aboveground structures.

Electrical, water, and other utility connections would be provided to the Project through underground infrastructure.

Landscaping, Parking areas. All parking areas should be landscaped with fast growing trees and/or shrubs in order to screen vehicles from view and minimize the visual

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Ibid.

impact of expansive areas of asphalt. Such landscaping should not obscure views necessary for traffic safety. (Page 6)

**Discussion:** The effected parking lot is located behind the existing Community Center building and Skatepark and not significantly visible from Crespi Drive or Highway 1. In addition to MM AES-1, which would require the replanting of removed heritage trees at the completion of construction, COA 2 would require the implementation of a landscaping plan in the bioretention areas, the landscaping island on the south side of the parking lot and the landscaping strip bordering the west, south, and north portions of the EQ basin to be planted with trees and shrubs to screen the new aboveground structures.

**Landscaping, Screening.** Dense landscaping should be used to screen unattractive features such as storage areas, trash enclosures, transformers and generators, vacuum breakers, and elements which do not contribute to the visual enhancement of the surroundings. (Page 6)

**Discussion:** See discussions under Design Guidelines: *Building Design, Screening* and *Landscaping, Parking areas* provided above.

Water Conservation Policy and Landscape Design Guidelines for New Development, Irrigation 1. All parks, median strips, landscaped public areas, landscaped areas surrounding residential and commercial developments and industrial parks shall have separately metered automatic irrigation systems designed by a landscape architect or other competent person. (Page 8)

**Discussion:** COA 2 would require the implementation of a landscaping plan. The plan would detail the irrigation needs of the property. However, the landscaping plan would include use of drought tolerant and mostly native vegetation; therefore, irrigation would likely only be required during the establishment of the vegetation and would not require long-term irrigation.

In addition, the Planning Commission must determine if the Project meets the following special use permit criteria detailed in PMC Section 9-4.2306(d).

ix. That the proposed use will be of such size, design, and operating characteristics as will tend to keep it compatible with permitted uses in the district under consideration with respect to bulk, scale, coverage, density, noise, and generation of traffic;

**Discussion:** The Project components are primarily located underground. Aboveground components of the Project include the MCC building, odor control system, and the redesigned parking lot. The MCC would be tallest above ground structure, which would be a 10-foot tall prefabricated building with a 4-foot high metal antenna on top. The aboveground components of the Project would not be out of scale or bulk with the M-1/C-3 zoning district. The M-1/C-3 zoning district does not have a coverage maximum and the project would not add any density to the site. As further discussed in MND/IS (Attachment E) the noise and traffic generated from the construction and operation of the project would not be significant after the

implementation of identified mitigation measures. Therefore, the proposed use would be compatible with the permitted use of the site.

x. That the proposed development will enhance the successful operation of the community or will provide a service to the community;

**Discussion:** The proposed Project would address the SSOs that result from the I/I during wet weather events by creating additional capacity to the Linda Mar sewer system. SSOs create a significant impact on the environment, and in particular on water quality. The Project would prevent capacity related SSOs from occurring during wet weather events. This project would also meet the requirements of the CDO and Consent Decree. Therefore the project would enhance the successful operation of the community.

xi. That the project conforms with the setback, coverage, landscaping, and other zoning regulations of the district where a use is proposed; and

Discussion: PMC Section 9-4.102 details the development regulations applicable to the M-1/C-3 zoning district. The project site is conforming with the minimum building site area and dimension. The M-1/C-3 zoning district does not establish any setbacks or coverage maximums. The existing landscaping on the site, primarily located south of the Skatepark and west and north of the community center would meet the 10 percent landscape minimum of the zoning district. The proposed Project would not alter these areas, therefore the landscaping minimum of the site would be met. The MCC would be tallest above ground structure, which would be a 10-foot tall prefabricated building with a 4-foot high metal antenna on top, and would be below the maximum allowed height of 35 feet. Lastly, as detailed above, the project would obtain a Use Permit and Site Development Permit as the project would abut a R District and the project would include construction within a commercial district. The project would conform with the development regulations of the M-1/C-3 zoning district.

xii. That the project is consistent with the goals and policies of the General Plan, Local Coastal Plan and with the adopted Design Guidelines.

**Discussion:** See discussion provided under Sections 4.A.ii and 4.A.iii of this staff report. The Project would be consistent with the City's General Plan and with the adopted Design Guidelines. The Local Coastal Plan is not applicable to the Project site.

- B. In order to approve PSD-816-16, the Planning Commission shall not make any of the following findings [PMC Sec. 9-4.3204(a)]:
  - i. That the location, size, and intensity of the proposed operation will create a hazardous or inconvenient vehicular or pedestrian traffic pattern, taking into account the proposed use as compared with the general character and intensity of the neighborhood;

**Discussion:** During construction, the Pacifica Skatepark parking lot would be closed to the public. Construction activities for the proposed pipeline along City residential streets would occur in stages in order to minimize disturbance and to maintain circulation and access through the Project area. The Project would require temporary lane closures of sections of

City residential streets during construction. Lane closures would be required during the pipeline installation in the rights-of-way along Anza Drive, Balboa Way, Arguello Boulevard, De Solo Drive, and Linda Mar Boulevard. The construction associated with the influent pipeline and two diversion structure installations would occur over approximately 14 weeks, and would impact each segment of roadway for a shorter period of time. Additionally, a section of the parking on Crespi Drive may be closed temporarily during import or export of materials by truck to the EQ basin location. This could result in disruption to commutes, or confusion by drivers taking a detour. The Contractor would be required to implement MM TRANS-1. This MM, as detailed in Attachment E, would require the preparation and implementation of Traffic Control Plan to manage traffic flow, maintain safety, and identify alternative routes when temporary changes are made to traffic or pedestrian routes.

Additionally, COA 10 would require the contractor would obtain an encroachment permit from the City for all work in the City right-of-way (street/sidewalk), public easements, or utility easements. The encroachment permit would be conditioned with measures to ensure that the construction workers, pedestrian, and motorists safety is maintained through notification and rerouting.

During operation of the Project, traffic and pedestrian patterns along the new pipeline orientation would not be affected. The Project would primarily be located underground and the above ground structures would be located away from vehicular or pedestrian facilities. Access hatches for designated City staff to enter the EQ basin would be located in areas within the reconstructed parking lot as shown in Attachment C. A minimum clearance of 10 feet by 10 feet would be required to provide access with the hatches open and for City staff to place fall protection barriers and confined space entry equipment. Therefore, the parking spaces adjacent to the hatches may become temporarily unavailable when access to the EQ basin is necessary. Barricades with "No Parking" signs (or similar device) would be posted in affected parking spaces in advance of planned entry. The northwest hatch located in the traffic flow lane of the parking lot would require an additional City staff person when the hatch is opened to manage vehicular and pedestrian traffic around the hatch.

Therefore, for all the reasons provided above, the proposed Project would not create a hazardous or inconvenient vehicular or pedestrian traffic pattern.

That the accessibility of off-street parking areas and the relation of parking areas with respect to traffic on adjacent streets will create a hazardous or inconvenient condition to adjacent or surrounding uses;

**Discussion:** During construction, the Skatepark parking lot would be closed to the public. As mentioned above in Section 5.A.i of this staff report, the vehicular and pedestrian traffic around the Project area would be managed through the implementation of MM TRANS-1. In addition, a section of street parking along the south side Crespi Drive and located immediately north of the Community Center would be restricted to parking by the Wheels on Wheels staff, Community Center kitchen deliveries, and Senior Citizen buses between the weekday hours of 6 a.m. to 5 p.m. throughout the construction of the EQ basin. Parking along this portion of Crespi Drive would be restored to existing conditions at the completion of the Project.

Lane closures along the pipeline alignment may temporarily block access to private driveways. COA 10 would require the contractor to obtain an encroachment permit from the City would be required for all work in the City right-of-way (street/sidewalk), public easements, or utility easements. A condition of the encroachment permit would ensure that local homeowners are notified in advance of any work that would potentially block access to and from private driveways and would require that access to private driveways be restored at the end of each day. Following construction of the new pipeline and during operation, access to off-street parking would be restored to preconstruction conditions. Therefore, the Project would not create hazardous or inconvenient conditions to the accessibility of off-street parking areas.

iii. That insufficient landscaped areas have been reserved for the purposes of separating or screening service and storage areas from the street and adjoining building sites, breaking up large expanses of paved areas, and separating or screening parking lots from the street and adjoining building areas from paved areas to provide access from buildings to open areas;

**Discussion:** The Project would primarily be located underground. The aboveground components of the Project include the odor control system and the MCC building. COA 2 would require the preparation of a Landscape Plan to include the planting of species to reduce the visual appearance of the aboveground structures. The Landscaping Plan would detail the type and number of species to be planted around the parameter of the EQ basin, the landscaping island on the south of the parking lot, as well as the bioretention basins. The species listed in the Landscaping Plan would be mostly native and drought tolerant species.

The redesigned parking lot would remove the existing planting strip in the center of the parking lot as the top of the basin would not be able to accommodate landscaping. However, two bioretention areas, and a landscaped island would be located on the south end of the redesigned parking lot. Additionally, the existing perimeter of the parking lot would be revegetated. Therefore the Project would include sufficient landscaping to break up large expansive paved areas.

iv. That the proposed development, as set forth on the plans, will unreasonably restrict or cut out light and air on the property and on other property in the neighborhood, or will hinder or discourage the appropriate development and use of land and buildings in the neighborhood, or impair the value thereof;

**Discussion:** The Project components are primarily located underground. Aboveground features of the Project include the MCC building, odor control system, and the redesigned parking lot. The MCC would be tallest above ground structure, which would be a 10-foot tall prefabricated building with a 4-foot high metal antenna on top. This structure would be located approximately 14.5 feet from the east property line and 240 feet from the south property line, and would not unreasonably restrict or cut out light on neighboring property.

The Project includes an odor control system. During active operation of the EQ basin, the odor control system would circulate fresh, ambient air from intake vents located along the west side of the basin and draw it along underground piping into the EQ basin. The air from the EQ basin would then be pushed through a GAC absorber vessel on the east side of the basin to remove any associated odor from the EQ basin before being released back into the environment. Air released from the GAC absorber would be odorless and would not impact air

quality on the surrounding properties. Therefore the Project would not hinder or discourage appropriate development of adjacent properties.

v. That the improvement of any commercial or industrial structure, as shown on the elevations as submitted, is substantially detrimental to the character or value of an adjacent R District area;

**Discussion:** The propose Project does not include improvements of a commercial or industrial structure; therefore, this finding does not apply.

vi. That the proposed development will excessively damage or destroy natural features, including trees, shrubs, creeks, and rocks, and the natural grade of the site, except as provided in the subdivision regulations as set forth in Chapter 1 of Title 10 of this Code;

**Discussion:** The proposed Project would include removal of 10 heritage trees from the Project site to allow for the construction of the EQ basin and staging of materials and equipment during construction. As detailed in MM AES-1, the City would replant trees at a one-to-one ratio of the removed heritage trees. The proposed Project would not excessively damage or destroy any other natural features of the Project site.

vii. That there is insufficient variety in the design of the structure and grounds to avoid monotony in the external appearance;

Discussion: The Project is primarily located underground. Above ground features of the Project include the MCC building, odor control system, and the redesigned parking lot. A prefabricated, 10-foot tall MCC building equipped with a 4-foot high metal antenna would be located along the southern border of the property. The approximately 5.5 foot high cylindrical odor control system (fan and GAC absorber) would be located on the east side of the EQ basin and would be surrounded by a 6 foot high chain linked fence. Landscaping would be used to reduce the visibility of these structures from public view. COA 2 would require the implementation of a landscaping plan to screen the new aboveground structures. Additionally, the redesigned parking lot includes the bioretention areas, the landscaping island on the south side of the parking lot and the landscaping strip bordering portions of the basin

Therefore, due to the small size of the above ground structures and the screening that would be provided by landscaping, the design of the above ground structures would not have a monotonous external appearance.

viii. That the proposed development is inconsistent with the City's adopted Design Guidelines; or

**Discussion:** See discussion provided under Section 5.A.iii of this staff report. The Project would be consistent with the City's adopted Design Guidelines.

ix. That the proposed development is inconsistent with the General Plan, Local Coastal Plan, or other applicable laws of the City.

**Discussion:** See discussion provided under Section 5.A.ii of this staff report. The Project would be consistent with the General Plan, and other applicable laws of the City. The Local Coastal Plan is not applicable to the Project site.

#### 6. CEQA Recommendation

The proposed Project is not exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). Terraphase Engineering Inc. (Terraphase), on behalf of the City of Pacifica as the CEQA Lead Agency, prepared an Initial Study (IS) to determine whether the Project may have a significant adverse effect on the environment. Based on the results of the IS, the City determined that the potential adverse effects would be reduced to a level that is less than significant through Project revisions, therefore the City determined adoption of a Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) would appropriate for the Project.

#### Draft MND/IS

Terraphase, on the City of Pacifica's behalf, prepared a Draft MND/IS. Table 2 summarizes the level of impact the Project would have on each environmental resource considered under CEQA.

Table 2. Summary of Environmental Impacts Identified in the Draft MND/IS

Resource	Level of Impact
Aesthetics	Less than Significant Impact with Mitigation
Agricultural and Forestry Resources	No Impact
Air Quality	Less than Significant Impact with Mitigation
Biological Resources	Less than Significant Impact with Mitigation
Cultural Resources/Tribal Resources	Less than Significant Impact with Mitigation
Geology and Soils	Less than Significant Impact
Greenhouse Gas Emissions	Less than Significant Impact
Hazards and Hazardous Materials	Less than Significant Impact with Mitigation
Hydrology and Water Quality	Less than Significant Impact with Mitigation
Land Use and Planning	Less than Significant Impact
Mineral Resources	No Impact
Noise	Less than Significant Impact with Mitigation
Population and Housing	No Impact
Public Services	Less than Significant Impact with Mitigation
Recreation	Less than Significant Impact
Transportation and Circulation	Less than Significant Impact with Mitigation
Utilities and Service Systems	Less than Significant Impact

The Draft MND/IS identified that the proposed Project would have potential significant impacts on nine resources, however, with the implementation of the mitigation measures detailed in the Draft MND, it was concluded no impact would remain significant. The potential significant impacts and the MMs are fully detailed in the MND/IS (Attachment E), and are summarized below.

- Aesthetics. Removal of heritage trees would impact scenic resources along eligible State Scenic
  Highway 1 and existing visual character of the site and surroundings. MM AES-1 would require
  replacement of the trees as close as possible to the original tree location.
- Air Quality. Dust and emissions from construction equipment would exceed Bay Area Air Quality
  Management District (BAAQMD) significance threshold for particulate matter emissions. MM
  AQ-1 would require implementation of BAAQMD recommended dust control measures and

utilization of more construction equipment with greater emissions controls than typical equipment.

- Biological Resources. Sensitive species, sensitive natural communities, and movement of
  wildlife that could be present within the Project boundaries could be disturbed. MMs BIO-1 and
  BIO-2 would require pre-construction surveys for species by biologist, wildlife exclusion fencing
  to prevent access of species to work area, daily inspections by biologist, best management
  practices to avoid disturbance of previously undisturbed areas, etc.
- Cultural Resources. Previously undiscovered prehistoric, historic, paleontological, human remains, or tribal cultural resources which may be present could be disturbed. MMs CUL-1 and CUL-2 would require training of work crew on identification of cultural resources and stop work if potential cultural resources are observed, and consultation with archaeologist or paleontologist.
- Hazards and Hazardous Materials. Contaminated soil or groundwater could be encountered
  during construction, and there is the potential for accidental release of hazardous materials
  during construction. MM HAZ-1 would require pre-construction survey for utilities, training for
  workers on identifying contaminated soil, stop work if contamination is observed, and consult
  with an environmental consultant. MM HAZ-2 would require the implementation of best
  management practices for onsite hazardous materials to mitigate spill potential.
- Hydrology and Water Quality. Improper management of stormwater and dewatered could result in a violation of waste discharge requirements. MM HYDRO-1 would require the development of a dewatering plan, including specified elements.
- Noise. Construction of the Project, and operation of the ventilation system blower, could
  increase ambient noise or the thresholds in the City's Draft General Plan. MM NOISE-1 would
  require the contractor to prepare a Noise Control Plan including specified elements, and shall
  construct a temporary noise barrier to shield nearby receptors.
- Public Services. Road closures during construction could impact emergency vehicle routes. MM
   PUB-1 would require 48-hour notification to emergency service providers prior to road closures.
- Transportation and Circulation. Construction traffic would impact the level of service of local highways and roads. MM TRANS-1 would require the preparation of a Traffic Control Plan with specified elements.

#### **Public Outreach and Comments**

The Draft MND/IS was released for public review on December 8, 2016, which commenced a 37 day public review period. A Notice of Intent to Adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration (NOI) was prepared in accordance with Section 15072(g) of the CEQA Guidelines. The NOI was provided to the State Clearinghouse, the San Mateo County Clerk on December 8, 2016. The NOI was also published on

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> CEQA Guideline Sections 15073(a) and 15105(b) requires at least a 30 day public review period for an MND/IS.

December 8, 2016 in the San Mateo County Times-Mercury News and mailed to owners and occupants of property within 300 feet of the proposed Project. Public outreach efforts are summarized in Table 3.

**Table 3. Summary of Public Outreach Efforts** 

Media	Information Provided	Date(s) Published
California State Clearinghouse	NOI to Adopt a MND/IS, MND/IS Document	December 8, 2016
San Mateo County Times- Mercury News	NOI to Adopt a MND/IS	December 8, 2016
San Mateo County Clerk	NOI to Adopt a MND/IS	December 8, 2016
Owners/Occupants within 300 feet of Project.	NOI to Adopt a MND/IS	December 8, 2016
City of Pacifica Website	MND/IS Document, Notification of City Council Meeting, CEQA Public Meeting, Public Review Period	December 8, 2016
Connect with Pacifica (E-newsletter)	Notification of City Council Meeting, CEQA Public Meeting, Public Review Period	December 2, 2016 December 9, 2016 December 16, 2016 December 22, 2016
NextDoor	Notification of CEQA Public Meeting, Public Review Period	December 13, 2016
On site Posting  Notes:	Public Review Period	December 29, 2016 through January 13, 2017

Notes:

NOI - Notice of Intent

CEQA - California Environmental Quality Act

MND/IS -Mitigated Negative Declaration/Initial Study

Staff hosted a public meeting for the CEQA document at the Community Center on December 15, 2016. Notification for the meeting was included in the NOI and was advertised as noted in Table 3. Approximately 12 members of the public attended the meeting. Staff noted that attendees mainly had questions to better understand the purpose, need, and description of the Project. Staff noted a verbal comment made on the document, which was regarding concerns of impacts on traffic during drop off and pickup of students at the nearby Cabrillo Elementary School during construction.

During the public comment period, a total of 5 comment letters were received. Table 4 provides a list of the commenters and a summary of the comment topics. The written comments and the verbal comment noted above were addressed in the Final MND/IS.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> CEQA Guideline Section 15072(b) requires only one of these notification methods.

Table 4. Commenters on Draft MND/IS and Summary of Comment Topics

Commenter	Summary of Comment Topics
California Department of Fish and Wildlife, Bay Delta Region	San Francisco Gartner Snake Mitigation Measure (BIO-1), Filing Fees
California Department of Transportation,	Transportation and Encroachment Permits, Cultural
District 4	Resources
Mike O'Connell	Sea level rise
Lorie Bowie	Flooding, sanitary sewer equipment status
Eamon Murphy	Soil off haul

#### Final MND/IS and Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program

The Final MND/IS includes written public comment letters on the Draft MND/IS (Table 4) and presents responses to the written public comments; and as necessary makes corrections and clarifications to the Draft MND/IS. The Final MND/IS document, together with the Draft MND/IS constitute the Final MND/IS for the Project (Attachment E). Public Resources Code Section 21081.6(a) requires the Lead Agency to adopt a Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program (MMRP) for projects subject to the preparation of MNDs. The MMRP for the Project is included as part of the Final MND in Attachment E.

The edits included in the Final MND as a result of the comments received provide clarification of information and do not constitute a "substantial revision" as defined under Section 15073.5(b) of the CEQA Guidelines. None of the circumstances that would require recirculation of the Draft MND/IS, as detailed in Section 15073.5(c), apply to the document. Information presented in Final MND support the City's determination that recirculation of the Draft MND/IS is not required and the impacts of the project would be less than significant with the implementation of the identified mitigation. The City has prepared this document pursuant to Sections 15070 through 15074 of the CEQA Guidelines which address the preparation of MNDs.

#### 7. Staff Analysis

Staff has carefully evaluated various project types and locations to address the serious issue that is SSOs in the Linda Mar area while balancing the cost and timing of implementation of the alternatives. Based on the results of the evaluation, staff finds that the proposed Project would best address the SSOs while minimizing potential environmental impacts of the Project itself as well as the known environmental impacts of SSOs. While the construction of the Project may create short-term inconveniences to the visitors to the Community Center and Skatepark, residences located adjacent to the pipeline route, and motorists traveling along Crespi Drive, the long-term benefit of the Project to the Linda Mar area and to the City would quickly overshadow these minor disruptions. The Project, as conditioned, would not create a significant impact on the environment and is consistent with the General Plan, the City's adopted Design Guidelines, and other local regulations.

#### **COMMISSION ACTION**

### **MOTION FOR APPROVAL:**

Move that the Planning Commission certify and adopt the Final Mitigated Negative Declaration and Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program, pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act and APPROVE Use Permit UP-080-16 and Site Development Permit PSD-816-16, by adopting the resolution

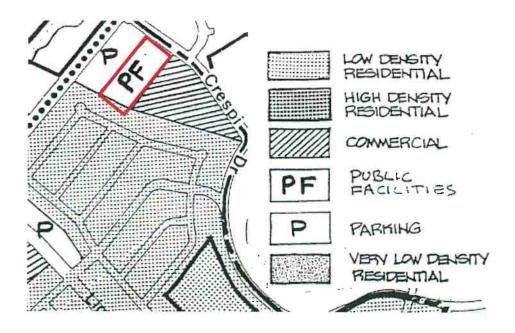
included as Attachment B to the staff report, including conditions of approval in Exhibit A to the resolution; and, incorporate all maps and testimony into the record by reference.

## **ATTACHMENTS:**

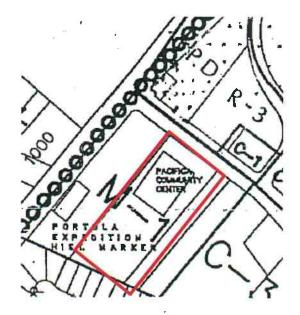
- A. Land Use and Zoning Exhibit
- B. Resolution of Approval and Conditions of Approval (Exhibit A)
- C. Selected Sheets of 100 percent Building Plans
- D. Figure of Alternative Locations Considered for the EQ Basin
- E. City of Pacifica Wet Weather Equalization Basin Project Final Mitigated Negative Declaration/Initial Study (The Draft MND/IS was provided to Planning Commissioners in December 2016 and is available online at <a href="http://www.cityofpacifica.org/depts/planning/environmental\_documents/default.asp">http://www.cityofpacifica.org/depts/planning/environmental\_documents/default.asp</a>)
- F. Comment Letters Received After the Public Comment Period

# Land Use and Zoning Exhibit

General Plan Land Use Designation



**Zoning District** 



# ATTACHMENT A

DLUTION NO.
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A RESOLUTION OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF PACIFICA APPROVING USE PERMIT UP-080-16 AND SITE DEVELOPMENT PERMIT PSD-816-16, SUBJECT TO CONDITIONS, FOR CONSTRUCTION OF A WET WEATHER EQUALIZATION BASIN AT 540 CRESPI DRIVE (APN 022-162-420) AND CERTIFYING THE MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION AND ADOPTING THE MITIGATION MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT (CEQA).

Initiated by: City of Pacifica ("Applicant").

WHEREAS, an application has been submitted to construct a 2.1-million-gallon capacity equalization basin, a 10-foot tall motor control center building, ventilation and odor-control system, and a cleaning system within the equalization basin (Project) at 540 Crespi Drive in Pacifica (APN 022-162-420); and

WHEREAS, the Project would also include construction of two diversion structures to passively divert excess flows from the existing Linda Mar and Arguello sanitary sewer lines and transport the flow via a conveyance pipeline to the equalization basin during storm events and an effluent conveyance pipeline routing flows to the existing Crespi Drive sanitary sewer line and Linda Mar Blvd pump; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission considered the Project and application at its regular meeting of February 6, 2017. Prior to taking action on the application, the Planning Commission received written and oral reports by the staff, and received public testimony; and

WHEREAS, the Project site would be located in a zoning district where public utility facilities are not expressly permitted and a use permit is necessary per PMC Section 9-4.2303; and

WHEREAS, the Project site is adjacent to an R-1 (Single Family Residential District) zoning district and a use permit is necessary per PMC Section 9-4.1202(i); and

WHEREAS, wastewater treatment and reclamation facilities can be accommodated in any zoning district if it meets the special use permit review criteria detailed in PMC Section 9-4.2306(d); and

WHEREAS, new construction in a commercial district requires a Site Development Permit per PMC Section 9-4.3201(a); and

WHEREAS, City of Pacifica Planning Division is the Lead Agency for preparing the environmental review for the Project pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and for project approval,

# ATTACHMENT B

- WHEREAS, Terraphase Engineering Inc., on behalf of the City of Pacifica Planning Division prepared the City of Pacifica Wet Weather Equalization Basin Project Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration/ Initial Study (MND/IS) for the Project in accordance with Public Resources Code Section 21000 et seq. and CEQA Guidelines Section 15000 et seq.; and
- WHEREAS, the Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration concluded that implementation of the Project could result in a number of significant effects on the environment and identified mitigation measures that would reduce the significant effects to a less-than-significant level; and
- WHEREAS, in connection with the approval of a project involving the preparation of an initial study/mitigated negative declaration that identifies one or more significant environmental effects, CEQA requires the decision-making body of the lead agency to incorporate feasible mitigation measures that would reduce those significant environment effects to a less-than-significant level; and
- WHEREAS, whenever a lead agency approves a project requiring the implementation of measures to mitigate or avoid significant effects on the environment, CEQA also requires a lead agency to adopt a Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program to ensure compliance with the mitigation measures during project implementation; and
- WHEREAS, on December 8, 2016 the City of Pacifica Planning Division issued a Notice of Intent to Adopt a MND/IS for the Project, which was distributed in compliance with CEQA Guidelines Section 15072 and Public Resources Code Section 21092; and
- WHEREAS, on December 8, 2016, the City of Pacifica Planning Division distributed copies of the Draft MND/IS to public agencies which have jurisdiction by law with respect to the Project and to publically accessible repositories and invited comments on the Draft MND/IS in compliance with CEQA Guidelines Section 15072; and
- WHEREAS, on December 15, 2016, City of Pacifica Planning Division noticed and held a public meeting to present the Project and the conclusions of the analysis in the Draft MND/IS; and
- WHEREAS, on January 13, 2017, the 37-day public comment period for the Draft MND ended;
- WHEREAS, written comments on the Draft MND/IS were collected and responses to comments were considered in the revisions made to the Draft MND/IS to comprise the Final MND/IS; and
- WHEREAS, the Final MND/IS identified certain potentially significant adverse environmental impacts and recommends certain mitigation measures regarding such effects; and

WHEREAS, there is no substantial evidence that the project would have significant effects on the environment after implementation of identified mitigation measures; and

WHEREAS, the Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration and the Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program for the Project are, by this reference, incorporated into this Resolution as if fully set forth herein; and

**WHEREAS**, the Project will not individually or cumulatively have an adverse effect on wildlife resources, as defined in Section 711.2 of the California Department of Fish and Game Code.

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission of the City of Pacifica did hold a duly noticed public hearing on February 6, 2017, at which time it considered all oral and documentary evidence presented, and incorporated all testimony and documents into the record by reference.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Planning Commission of the City of Pacifica as follows:

- 1. The above recitals are true and correct and material to this Resolution.
- 2. In making its findings, the Planning Commission relied upon and hereby incorporates by reference all correspondence, staff reports, and other related materials.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Planning Commission of the City of Pacifica does hereby make the following findings pertaining to the Use Permit:

a) That the establishment, maintenance, or operation of the use or building applied for will not, under the circumstances of the particular case, be detrimental to the health, safety, and welfare of the persons residing or working in the neighborhood or to the general welfare of the City;

**Discussion:** The MND/IS prepared for the proposed Project concludes that the construction, operation and maintenance of the Project would not have a significant impact on the environment with the implementation of the incorporated mitigation measures (MMs). The Project would meet all applicable building code and engineering requirements and would comply with all applicable regulatory requirements.

b) That the use or building applied for is consistent with the applicable provisions of the General Plan and other applicable laws of the City and, where applicable, the local Coastal Plan; and

**Discussion:** The proposed use is consistent with the General Plan and the local Coastal Plan is not applicable to the Project site. The issue of I/I into the sanitary sewer system

during wet weather events and the need to improve the sanitary sewer system capacity is mentioned in multiple locations within the General Plan, as noted below.

# **Conservation Element**

Inflow and infiltration into the sewage collection system, particularly in the Linda Mar area, results in overflows during long periods of wet weather. The exact locations of this problem are unknown and difficult to assess. The magnitude of the problem and the cost of correction are estimated to be great. The City should seek assistance to investigate and reduce this problem. (Page 114)

Action Programs, Short Term, 1: Seek outside assistance to study and correct the infiltration problem in Linda Mar sewage collection system. (Page 16)

# **Community Facilities Element**

The Regional Board is presently concerned about compliance during wet weather conditions. Reduction of the peak wet weather flows through an inflow and infiltration reduction program and modification to the treatment plant may be required within the next five years. (Page 96)

**Policy 1:** Maintain and improve the present level of City services. (Page 21)

The City is separately working on directly addressing the I/I issue by replacing sanitary sewer piping as funding will allow. However, the cost and work associated with correcting the I/I in the Linda Mar area is significant and is a long-term goal. Meanwhile, the Linda Mar area experiences SSOs as a result of the I/I. The proposed Project would address the SSOs that result from the I/I during wet weather events by creating additional capacity to the Linda Mar sanitary sewer collection system. SSOs create a significant impact on the environment, and in particular on water quality. The Project would prevent capacity related SSOs from occurring during wet weather events. The objective of the proposed Project would be consistent with the General Plan as the proposed Project would address the results of the I/I issue discussed in the General Plan.

Additionally, construction of the Project is consistent with other resources considered in the General Plan as further discussed below:

# **Noise Element**

Action Programs, Short Term, 5: The noise impact on land uses should be considered when development plans are reviewed and approved. Where existing ambient noise levels are high, or where the proposed use will create additional noise, the builder should be required to mitigate the noise. (Page 18)

**Discussion:** The MND/IS analyzed the impact of the proposed Project on the existing ambient noise levels (See Attachment E and Section 5 of this staff report). It was concluded that, with the incorporation of MM NOISE-1, impacts on noise levels for surrounding receptors would be less than significant during construction and operation of the Project.

# Seismic Safety and Safety Element

**Policy 1.** Prohibit development in hazardous areas, including flood zones, unless detailed site investigations ensure that risks can be reduced to acceptable levels and the structure will be protected for its design life. Development shall be design to withstand a minimum of a 100 year hazard event regardless of the specific nature of the hazard. (Page 110)

Discussion: The southern part of the Community Center property, including the existing Skatepark parking lot, and the influent pipeline alignment are located within the Special Flood Hazard Zone AH, which is a Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) 100-year flood plain<sup>1</sup>. Proposed site improvements including site grading and construction of the EQ basin, the Motor Control Center (MCC) Building, and the odor control system (fan and granular activated carbon [GAC] absorber) are not anticipated to result in additional displacement of flood flows associated with the 100-year event as the overall grade following the installation of the EQ basin would be similar to the existing grade. The elevation at the northern portion of the reconstructed parking lot would be slightly higher than the existing grade, and would slope to the south where the elevation would be slightly lower than existing grade. In addition, the proposed bioretention areas would increase the pervious area of the site, thereby allowing for greater infiltration during storm events. The existing street elevations along the new pipelines would not be changed from existing conditions.

The concrete slab for the MCC building and the odor control system would be constructed above the FEMA 100-year flood elevation of 14 feet above mean sea level <sup>2</sup>.

In addition, the Project would be consistent with the Pacifica Municipal Code, California Building Code, and other applicable regulations.

c) Where applicable, that the use or building applied for is consistent with the City's adopted Design Guidelines.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Federal Emergency Management Agency. 2017. FEMA National Flood Hazard Layer. Accessed January 4, 2017.

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**Discussion:** The Project components are primarily located underground. Aboveground features of the Project include the MCC building, odor control system including ambient air intakes, and the redesigned parking lot. These features are consistent with the City's adopted Design Guidelines as further discussed below.

**Building Design, Screening.** All exposed mechanical and electrical equipment must be screened from public view. The design of such screening should be integral part of the building design. (Page 5)

**Discussion:** A prefabricated, 10-foot tall MCC building equipped with a 4-foot high metal antenna that would allow radio communication with the City's Calera Waste Water Treatment Plant and an odor control system would be located along the northeastern portion of the Skatepark parking lot area. The MCC building would contain four motor starters, one for each of the 10 horsepower (hp) duty pumps and one for each of the 2 hp dewatering pumps, a panel board, a telemetry panel, and a transformer to step down voltages to the ancillary electrical facilities. Two at-grade ambient air inlets would be located on the west side of the EQ basin. The odor control system would appear as an approximate 5.5 foot high cylindrical structure, surrounded by a 6 foot high chain linked fence, located next to the MCC building. Landscaping would be used to reduce the visibility of these structures from public view. Condition of Approval (COA) 2 would require the implementation of a landscaping plan to screen the new aboveground structures.

Electrical, water, and other utility connections would be provided to the Project through underground infrastructure.

Landscaping, Parking areas. All parking areas should be landscaped with fast growing trees and/or shrubs in order to screen vehicles from view and minimize the visual impact of expansive areas of asphalt. Such landscaping should not obscure views necessary for traffic safety. (Page 6)

**Discussion:** The effected parking lot is located behind the existing Community Center building and Skatepark and not significantly visible from Crespi Drive or Highway 1. In addition to MM AES-1, which would require the replanting of removed heritage trees at the completion of construction, COA 2 would require the implementation of a landscaping plan in the bioretention areas, the landscaping island on the south side of the parking lot and the landscaping strip bordering the west, south, and north portions of the EQ basin to be planted with trees and shrubs to screen the new aboveground structures.

Landscaping, Screening. Dense landscaping should be used to screen unattractive features such as storage areas, trash enclosures, transformers and

generators, vacuum breakers, and elements which do not contribute to the visual enhancement of the surroundings. (Page 6)

**Discussion:** See discussions under Design Guidelines: Building Design, Screening and Landscaping, Parking areas provided above.

Water Conservation Policy and Landscape Design Guidelines for New Development,

Irrigation 1. All parks, median strips, landscaped public areas, landscaped areas surrounding residential and commercial developments and industrial parks shall have separately metered automatic irrigation systems designed by a landscape architect or other competent person. (Page 8)

**Discussion:** COA 2 would require the implementation of a landscaping plan. The plan would detail the irrigation needs of the property. However, the landscaping plan would include use of drought tolerant and mostly native vegetation; therefore, irrigation would likely only be required during the establishment of the vegetation and would not require long-term irrigation.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Planning Commission of the City of Pacifica does hereby determine that the Project meets the following special use permit criteria:

a) That the proposed use will be of such size, design, and operating characteristics as will tend to keep it compatible with permitted uses in the district under consideration with respect to bulk, scale, coverage, density, noise, and generation of traffic;

**Discussion:** The Project components are primarily located underground. Aboveground components of the Project include the MCC building, odor control system, and the redesigned parking lot. The MCC would be tallest above ground structure, which would be a 10-foot tall prefabricated building with a 4-foot high metal antenna on top. The aboveground components of the Project would not be out of scale or bulk with the M-1/C-3 zoning district. The M-1/C-3 zoning district does not have a coverage maximum and the project would not add any density to the site. As further discussed in MND/IS (Attachment E) the noise and traffic generated from the construction and operation of the project would not be significant after the implementation of identified mitigation measures. Therefore, the proposed use would be compatible with the permitted use of the site.

b) That the proposed development will enhance the successful operation of the community or will provide a service to the community;

**Discussion:** The proposed Project would address the SSOs that result from the I/I during wet weather events by creating additional capacity to the Linda Mar sewer system. SSOs create a significant impact on the environment, and in particular on water

quality. The Project would prevent capacity related SSOs from occurring during wet weather events. This project would also meet the requirements of the CDO and Consent Decree. Therefore the project would enhance the successful operation of the community.

c) That the project conforms with the setback, coverage, landscaping, and other zoning regulations of the district where a use is proposed; and

**Discussion:** PMC Section 9-4.102 details the development regulations applicable to the M-1/C-3 zoning district. The project site is conforming with the minimum building site area and dimension. The M-1/C-3 zoning district does not establish any setbacks or coverage maximums. The existing landscaping on the site, primarily located south of the Skatepark and west and north of the community center would meet the 10 percent landscape minimum of the zoning district. The proposed Project would not alter these areas, therefore the landscaping minimum of the site would be met. The MCC would be tallest above ground structure, which would be a 10-foot tall prefabricated building with a 4-foot high metal antenna on top, and would be below the maximum allowed height of 35 feet. Lastly, as detailed above, the project would obtain a Use Permit and Site Development Permit as the project would abut a R District and the project would include construction within a commercial district. The project would conform with the development regulations of the M-1/C-3 zoning district.

d) That the project is consistent with the goals and policies of the General Plan, Local Coastal Plan and with the adopted Design Guidelines.

**Discussion:** The Project would be consistent with the City's General Plan and with the adopted Design Guidelines. The Local Coastal Plan is not applicable to the Project site.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Planning Commission of the City of Pacifica does not hereby make the following findings pertaining to the Site Development Permit:

a) That the location, size, and intensity of the proposed operation will create a hazardous or inconvenient vehicular or pedestrian traffic pattern, taking into account the proposed use as compared with the general character and intensity of the neighborhood;

**Discussion:** During construction, the Pacifica Skatepark parking lot would be closed to the public. Construction activities for the proposed pipeline along City residential streets would occur in stages in order to minimize disturbance and to maintain circulation and access through the Project area. The Project would require temporary lane closures of sections of City residential streets during construction. Lane closures would be required during the pipeline installation in the rights-of-way along Anza Drive, Balboa Way, Arguello Boulevard, De Solo Drive, and Linda Mar Boulevard. The construction associated with the influent pipeline and two diversion structure installations would occur over approximately 14 weeks, and would impact each segment of roadway for a shorter period of time. Additionally, a section of the parking

on Crespi Drive may be closed temporarily during import or export of materials by truck to the EQ basin location. This could result in disruption to commutes, or confusion by drivers taking a detour. The Contractor would be required to implement MM TRANS-1. This MM, as detailed in Attachment E, would require the preparation and implementation of Traffic Control Plan to manage traffic flow, maintain safety, and identify alternative routes when temporary changes are made to traffic or pedestrian routes.

Additionally, COA 10 would require the contractor would obtain an encroachment permit from the City for all work in the City right-of-way (street/sidewalk), public easements, or utility easements. The encroachment permit would be conditioned with measures to ensure that the construction workers, pedestrian, and motorists safety is maintained through notification and rerouting.

During operation of the Project, traffic and pedestrian patterns along the new pipeline orientation would not be affected. The Project would primarily be located underground and the above ground structures would be located away from vehicular or pedestrian facilities. Access hatches for designated City staff to enter the EQ basin would be located in areas within the reconstructed parking lot as shown in Attachment C. A minimum clearance of 10 feet by 10 feet would be required to provide access with the hatches open and for City staff to place fall protection barriers and confined space entry equipment. Therefore, the parking spaces adjacent to the hatches may become temporarily unavailable when access to the EQ basin is necessary. Barricades with "No Parking" signs (or similar device) would be posted in affected parking spaces in advance of planned entry. The northwest hatch located in the traffic flow lane of the parking lot would require an additional City staff person when the hatch is opened to manage vehicular and pedestrian traffic around the hatch.

Therefore, for all the reasons provided above, the proposed Project would not create a hazardous or inconvenient vehicular or pedestrian traffic pattern.

b) That the accessibility of off-street parking areas and the relation of parking areas with respect to traffic on adjacent streets will create a hazardous or inconvenient condition to adjacent or surrounding uses;

**Discussion:** During construction, the Skatepark parking lot would be closed to the public. As mentioned above in Section 5.A.i of this staff report, the vehicular and pedestrian traffic around the Project area would be managed through the implementation of MM TRANS-1. In addition, a section of street parking along the south side Crespi Drive and located immediately north of the Community Center would be restricted to parking by the Wheels on Wheels staff, Community Center kitchen deliveries, and Senior Citizen buses between the weekday hours of 6 a.m. to 5 p.m. throughout the construction of the EQ basin. Parking along this portion of Crespi Drive would be restored to existing conditions at the completion of the Project.

Lane closures along the pipeline alignment may temporarily block access to private driveways. COA 10 would require the contractor to obtain an encroachment permit from the City would be required for all work in the City right-of-way (street/sidewalk), public easements, or utility easements. A condition of the encroachment permit would ensure that local homeowners are notified in advance of any work that would potentially block access to and from private driveways and would require that access to private driveways be restored at the end of each day. Following construction of the new pipeline and during operation, access to off-street parking would be restored to preconstruction conditions. Therefore, the Project would not create hazardous or inconvenient conditions to the accessibility of off-street parking areas.

c) That insufficient landscaped areas have been reserved for the purposes of separating or screening service and storage areas from the street and adjoining building sites, breaking up large expanses of paved areas, and separating or screening parking lots from the street and adjoining building areas from paved areas to provide access from buildings to open areas;

**Discussion:** The Project would primarily be located underground. The aboveground components of the Project include the odor control system and the MCC building. COA 2 would require the preparation of a Landscape Plan to include the planting of species to reduce the visual appearance of the aboveground structures. The Landscaping Plan would detail the type and number of species to be planted around the parameter of the EQ basin, the landscaping island on the south of the parking lot, as well as the bioretention basins. The species listed in the Landscaping Plan would be mostly native and drought tolerant species.

The redesigned parking lot would remove the existing planting strip in the center of the parking lot as the top of the basin would not be able to accommodate landscaping. However, two bioretention areas, and a landscaped island would be located on the south end of the redesigned parking lot. Additionally, the existing perimeter of the parking lot would be revegetated. Therefore the Project would include sufficient landscaping to break up large expansive paved areas.

d) That the proposed development, as set forth on the plans, will unreasonably restrict or cut out light and air on the property and on other property in the neighborhood, or will hinder or discourage the appropriate development and use of land and buildings in the neighborhood, or impair the value thereof;

**Discussion:** The Project components are primarily located underground. Aboveground features of the Project include the MCC building, odor control system, and the redesigned parking lot. The MCC would be tallest above ground structure, which would be a 10-foot tall prefabricated building with a 4-foot high metal antenna on top. This structure would be located approximately 14.5 feet from the east property line and 240

feet from the south property line, and would not unreasonably restrict or cut out light on neighboring property.

The Project includes an odor control system. During active operation of the EQ basin, the odor control system would circulate fresh, ambient air from intake vents located along the west side of the basin and draw it along underground piping into the EQ basin. The air from the EQ basin would then be pushed through a GAC absorber vessel on the east side of the basin to remove any associated odor from the EQ basin before being released back into the environment. Air released from the GAC absorber would be odorless and would not impact air quality on the surrounding properties. Therefore the Project would not hinder or discourage appropriate development of adjacent properties.

e) That the improvement of any commercial or industrial structure, as shown on the elevations as submitted, is substantially detrimental to the character or value of an adjacent R District area;

**Discussion:** The propose Project does not include improvements of a commercial or industrial structure; therefore, this finding does not apply.

f) That the proposed development will excessively damage or destroy natural features, including trees, shrubs, creeks, and rocks, and the natural grade of the site, except as provided in the subdivision regulations as set forth in Chapter 1 of Title 10 of this Code;

**Discussion:** The proposed Project would include removal of 10 heritage trees from the Project site to allow for the construction of the EQ basin and staging of materials and equipment during construction. As detailed in MM AES-1, the City would replant trees at a one-to-one ratio of the removed heritage trees. The proposed Project would not excessively damage or destroy any other natural features of the Project site.

g) That there is insufficient variety in the design of the structure and grounds to avoid monotony in the external appearance;

**Discussion:** The Project is primarily located underground. Above ground features of the Project include the MCC building, odor control system, and the redesigned parking lot. A prefabricated, 10-foot tall MCC building equipped with a 4-foot high metal antenna would be located along the southern border of the property. The approximately 5.5 foot high cylindrical odor control system (fan and GAC absorber) would be located on the east side of the EQ basin and would be surrounded by a 6 foot high chain linked fence. Landscaping would be used to reduce the visibility of these structures from public view. COA 2 would require the implementation of a landscaping plan to screen the new aboveground structures. Additionally, the redesigned parking lot includes the bioretention areas, the landscaping island on the south side of the parking lot and the landscaping strip bordering portions of the basin

Therefore, due to the small size of the above ground structures and the screening that would be provided by landscaping, the design of the above ground structures would not have a monotonous external appearance.

h) That the proposed development is inconsistent with the City's adopted Design Guidelines; or

**Discussion:** The Project would be consistent with the City's adopted Design Guidelines.

i) That the proposed development is inconsistent with the General Plan, Local Coastal Plan, or other applicable laws of the City.

**Discussion:** The Project would be consistent with the General Plan, and other applicable laws of the City. The Local Coastal Plan is not applicable to the Project site.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Planning Commission of the City of Pacifica does hereby make the following CEQA FINDINGS:

- 1) The Planning Commission has independently reviewed and analyzed the Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration and other information in the record and has considered the information contained therein, prior to acting upon or approving the Project,
- 2) The Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration prepared for the Project has been completed in compliance with CEQA and consistent with state and local guidelines implementing CEQA,
- 3) On the basis of the whole record, there is no substantial evidence that the Project as designed, conditioned, and mitigated, will have a significant effect on the environment
- 4) The Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration represents the independent judgment and analysis of the City as lead agency for the Project.
- 5) The Planning Commission hereby adopts the Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program prepared for the Project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Planning Commission of the City of Pacifica does hereby adopt the *Wet Weather Equalization Basin Project* Final MND/IS and MMRP and approve Use Permit UP-080-16 and Site Development Permit PSD-816-16 for construction of the a 2.1-million-gallon capacity equalization basin and associated components as detailed above at 540 Crespi Drive (APN 022-162-420), subject to conditions of approval included as Exhibit A to this resolution.

Passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the Planning Commission of the City of Pacifica, California, held on the 6th day of February 2017.

AYES, Commissioner:

NOES, Commissioner:

ABSENT, Commissioner:

ABSTAIN, Commissioner:

Josh Gordon, Chair

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Tina Wehrmeister, Planning Director

Michelle Kenyon, City Attorney

## Exhibit A

Conditions of Approval: Use Permit UP-080-16 and Site Development Permit PSD-816-16 to construct a wet weather equalization basin at 540 Crespi Drive (APN 022-162-420)

# Planning Commission Meeting February 6, 2017

# **Planning Division**

- 1. Development shall be substantially in accord with the plans entitled "City of Pacifica, Department of Public Works, Waste Water Division, 100% Submittal Wet Weather Equalization Basin Project" received by the City of Pacifica on January 18, 2017, except as modified by the following conditions.
- 2. A landscaping plan shall be prepared to detail the number and type of species that will be planted and location of plantings in the bioretention basins, the landscaping island on the south side of the parking lot, the landscaping strip the partially surrounds the southwest. Additionally, the landscaping plan shall detail the revegetation of the north side of the parcel that will be temporarily used for staging of equipment and materials during construction. Location and species type of replacement heritage trees, as required under MM AES-1 in the City of Pacifica Wet Weather Equalization Basin Project Final Mitigated Negative Declaration/Initial Study (February 2017) for the project shall also be detailed. Landscaping shall include the drought tolerant and mostly native species as to minimize the need for irrigation after the plants are established. Additionally, plants shall be used to reduce the visibility of the motor control center building and the odor control system on the northeast side of the equalization basin.
- 3. Mitigation measures included in the City of Pacifica Wet Weather Equalization Basin Project Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Project (February 2017) shall be incorporated into the project as detailed.
- 4. That the approval is valid for a period of one year from the date of final determination. If the use or uses approved is/are not established within such period of time, the approval shall expire unless Applicant submits a written request for an extension and applicable fee prior to the expiration date, and the Planning Director or Planning Commission approves the extension request as provided below. The Planning Director may administratively grant a single, one year extension provided, in the Planning Director's sole discretion, the circumstances considered during the initial project approval have not materially changed. Otherwise, the Planning Commission shall consider a request for a single, one year extension.

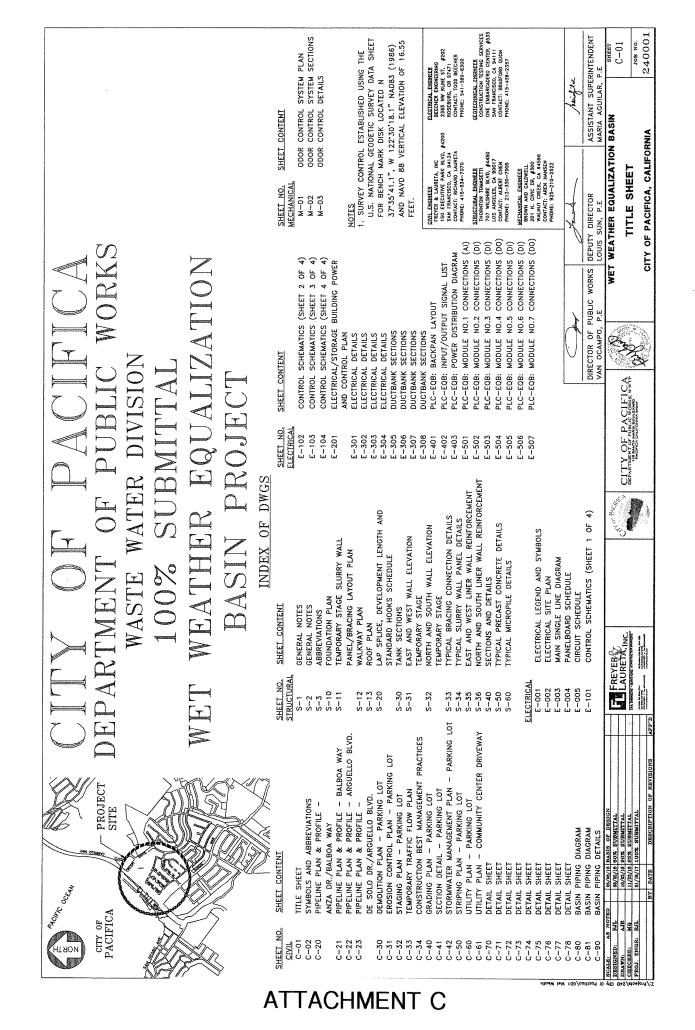
- 5. The Applicant shall incorporate all mitigation measures, as detailed, in the *Final Mitigated Negative Declaration* (February 2017).
- 6. The property owner shall continue to monitor and maintain the site after the EQ basin and associated equipment and pipelines are constructed. This includes cleaning the interior of the EQ basin after each use, periodic landscape maintenance, fence maintenance, removal of dumping or litter, and maintenance of drainage and storm water facilities.

## **Engineering Division of Public Works**

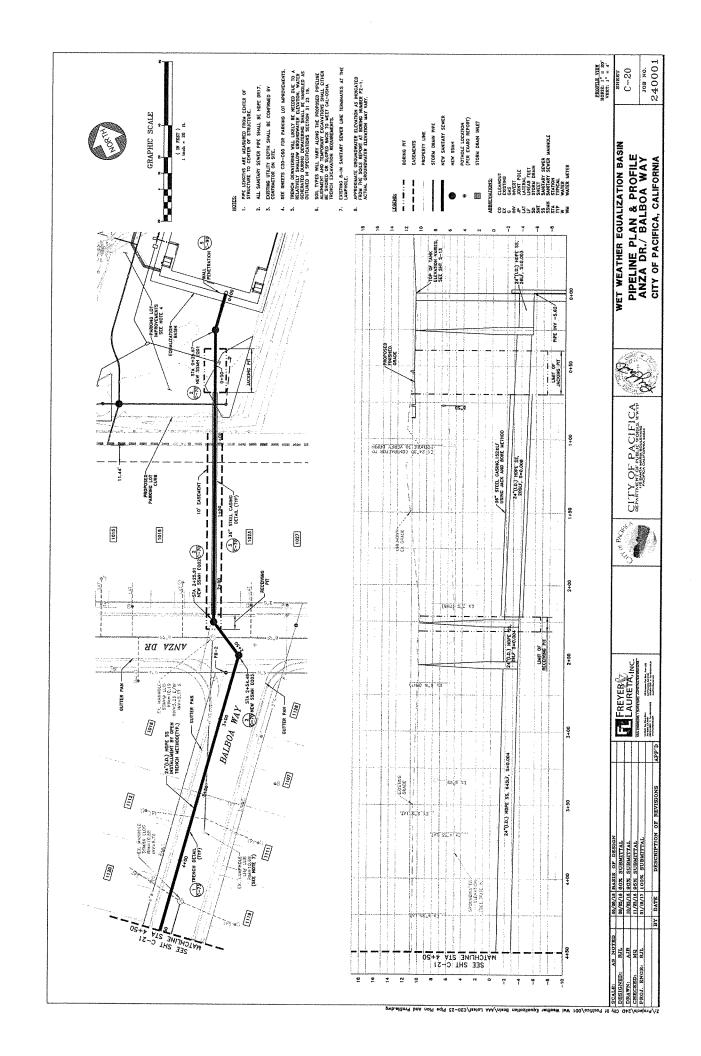
- 7. Construction shall be in conformance with the San Mateo Countywide Storm Water Pollution Prevention Program. Best Management Practices (BMPs) such as straw mulch, silt fences, sediment basins or traps and/or other measures shall be employed during construction to control erosion/siltation. The project will comply with current State and Regional Water Quality Control Board permit requirements and the Municipal Regional Stormwater NPDES Permit (MRP) requirements and standards.
- 8. Roadways shall be maintained clear of construction equipment, materials and debris, especially mud and dirt tracked onto Crespi Drive. Dust control and daily road cleanup will be strictly enforced.
- 9. Existing curb, sidewalk or other street improvements adjacent to the property frontage that is damaged or displaced shall be repaired or replaced as deemed by the City Engineer even if damage or displacement occurred prior to any work performed for this project.
- 10. Encroachment Permit shall be obtained for work within City right-of-way, utility easements, and public easements. Permits shall be conditioned to require proper notification to affected motorists and residents.

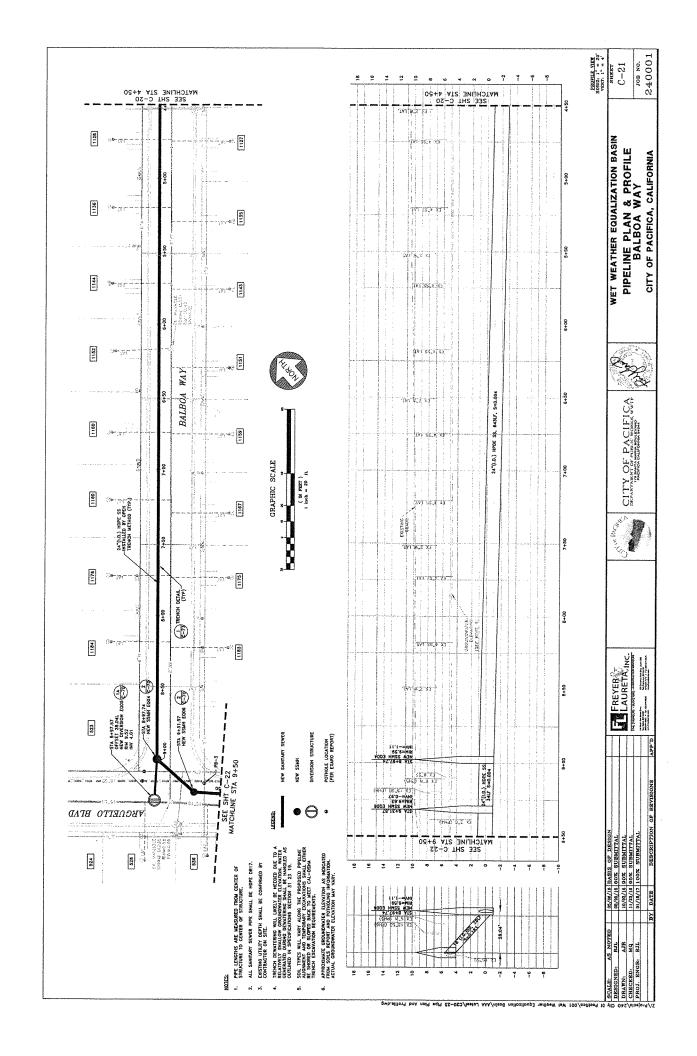
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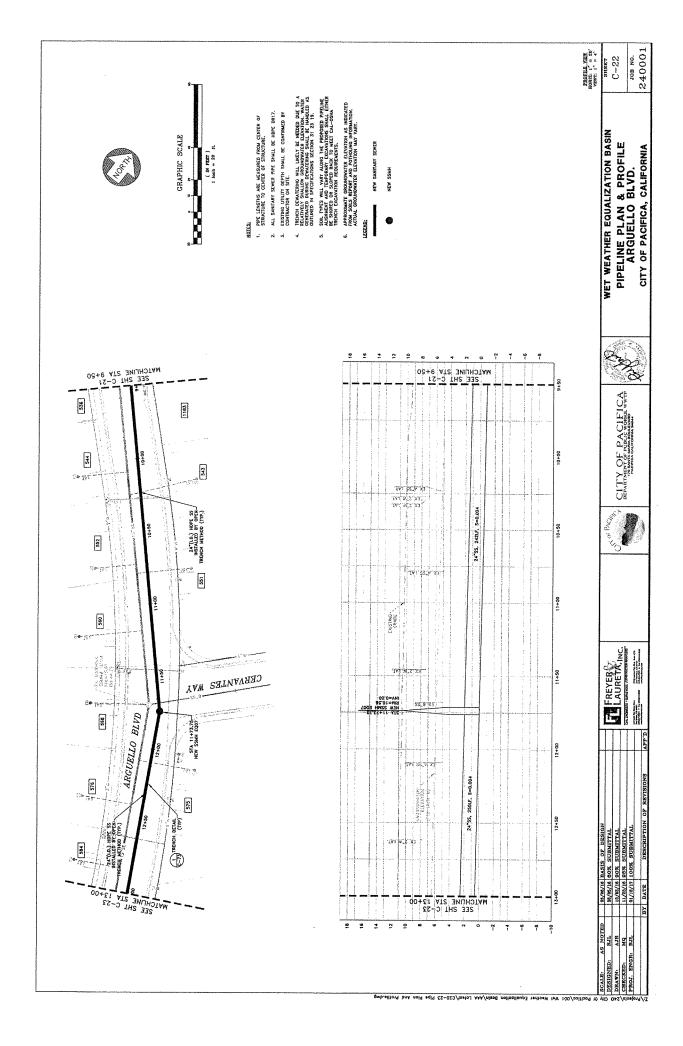
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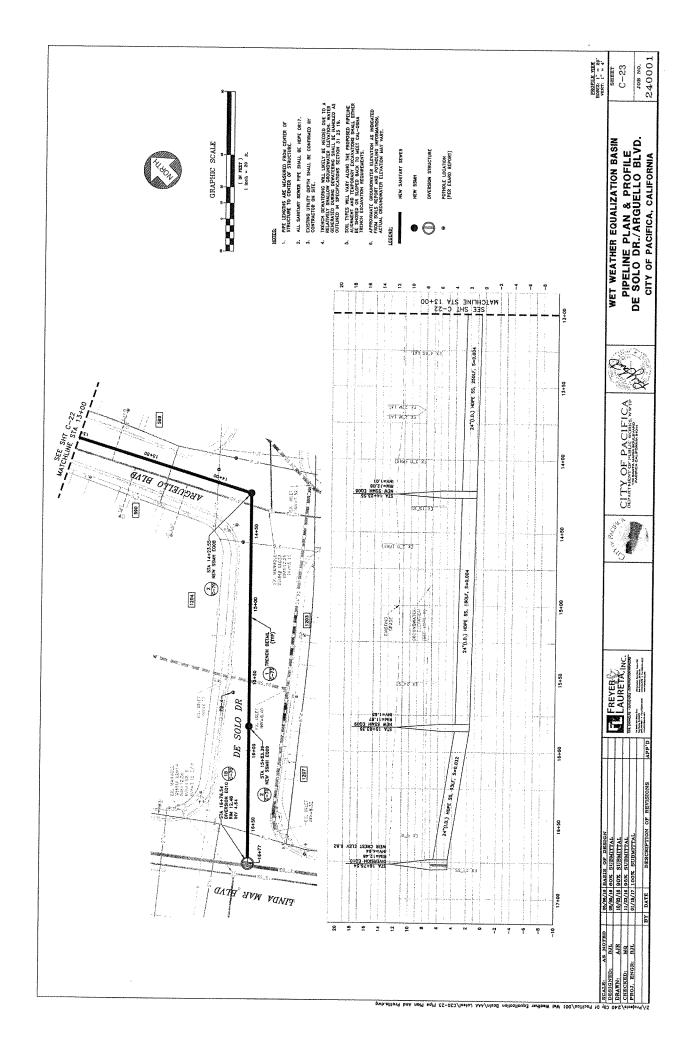


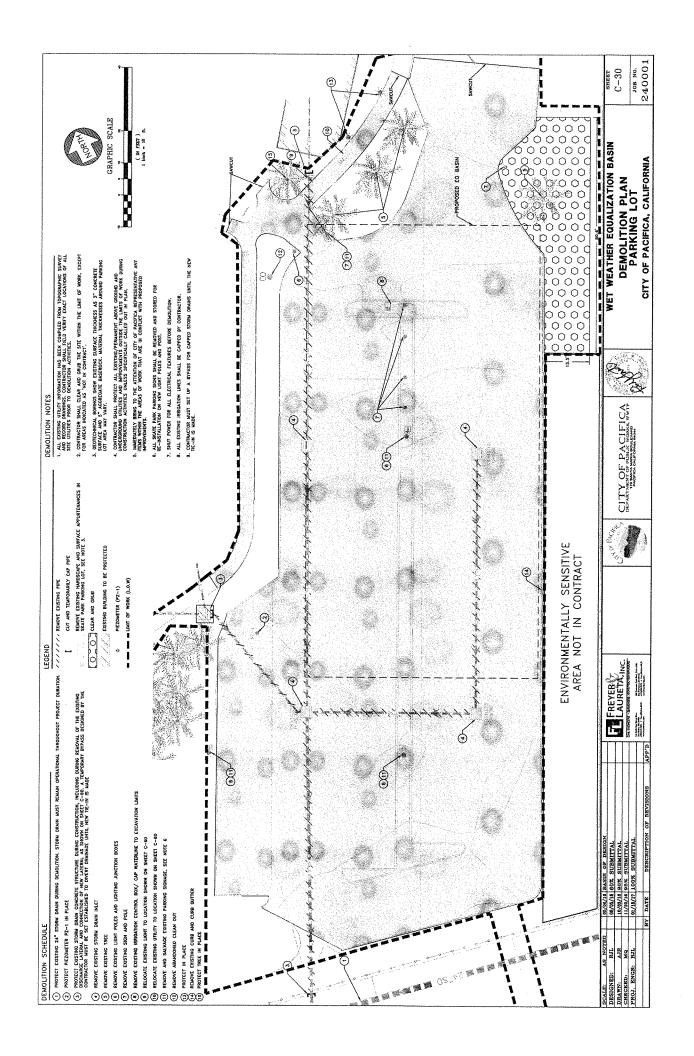
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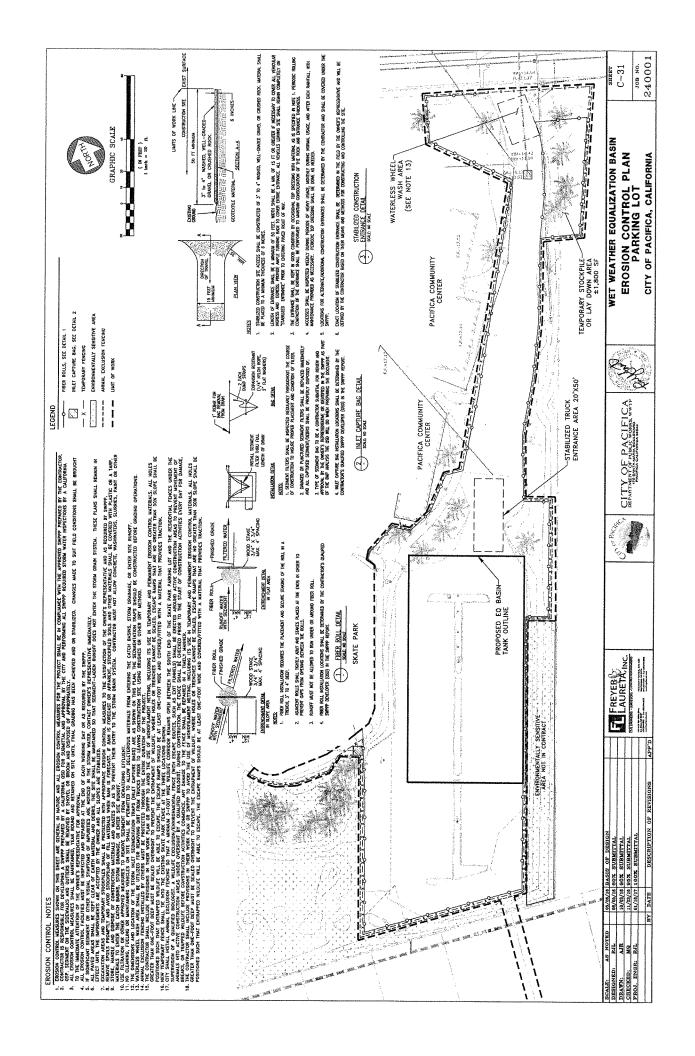


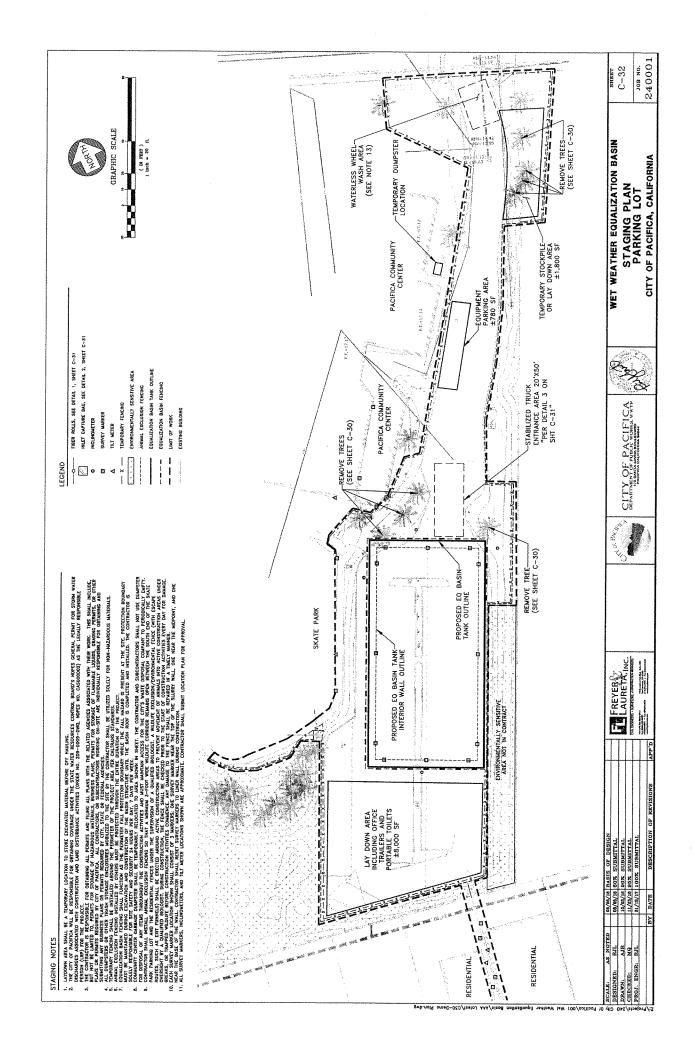


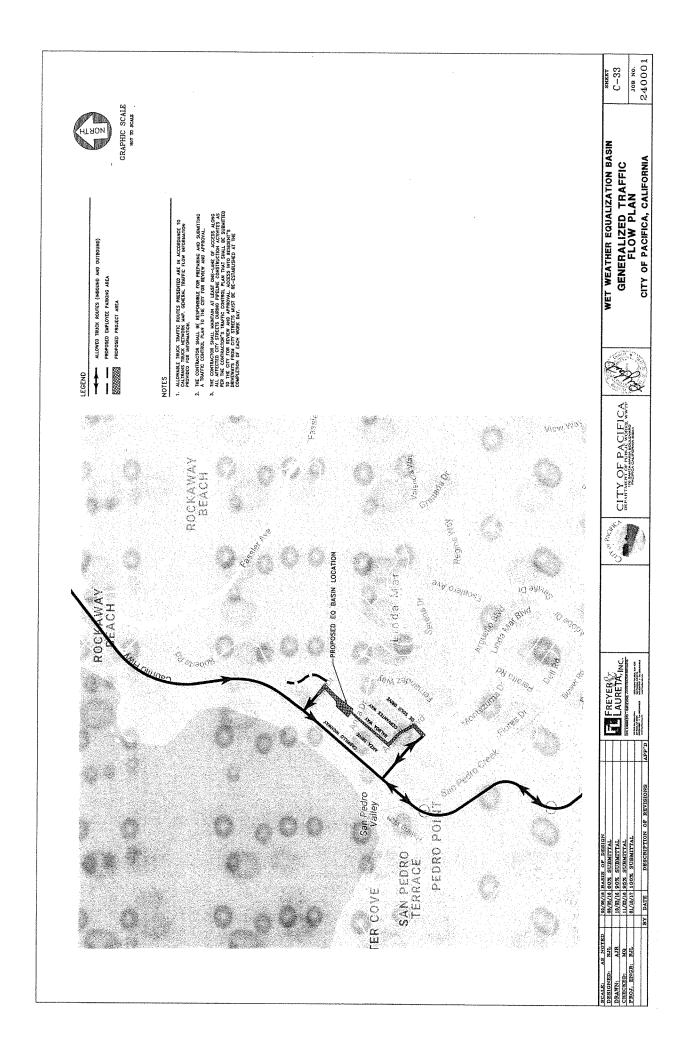


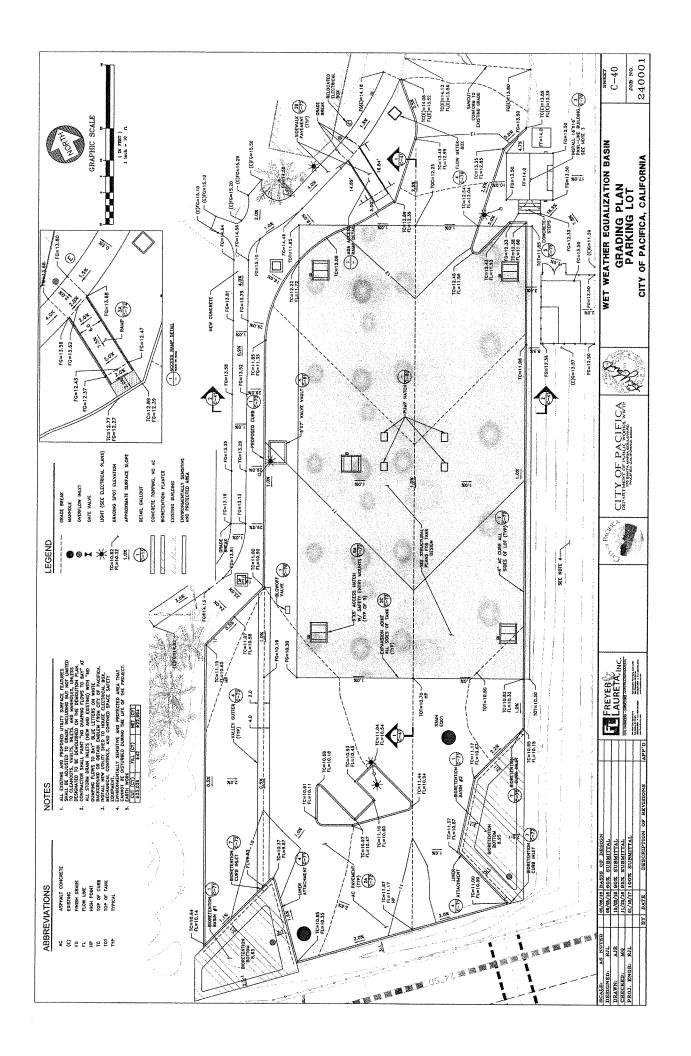


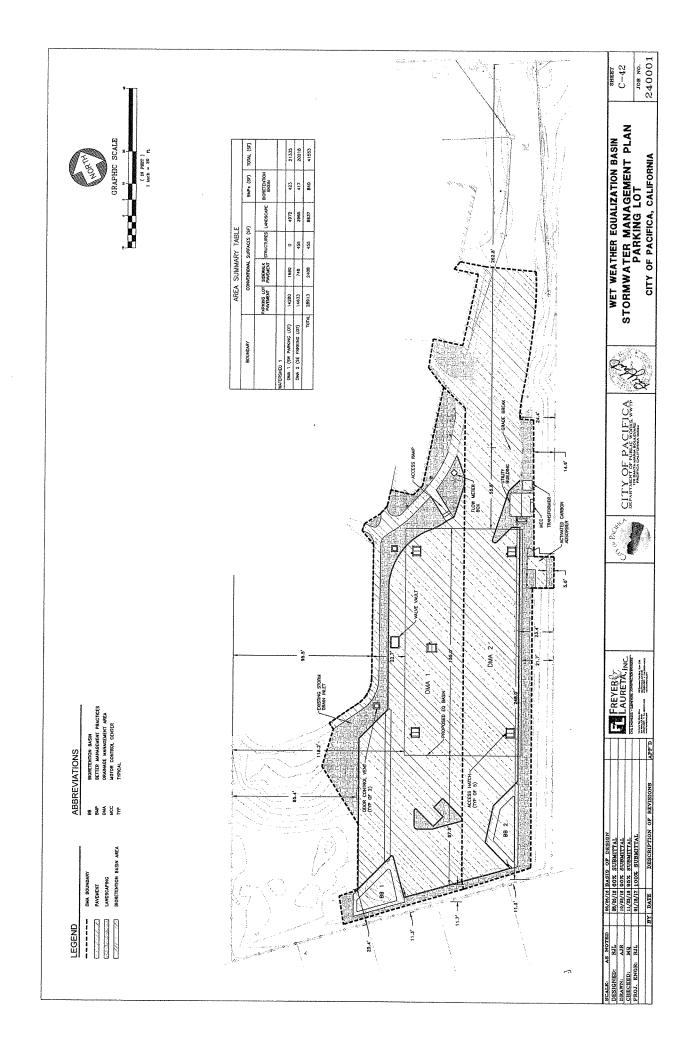


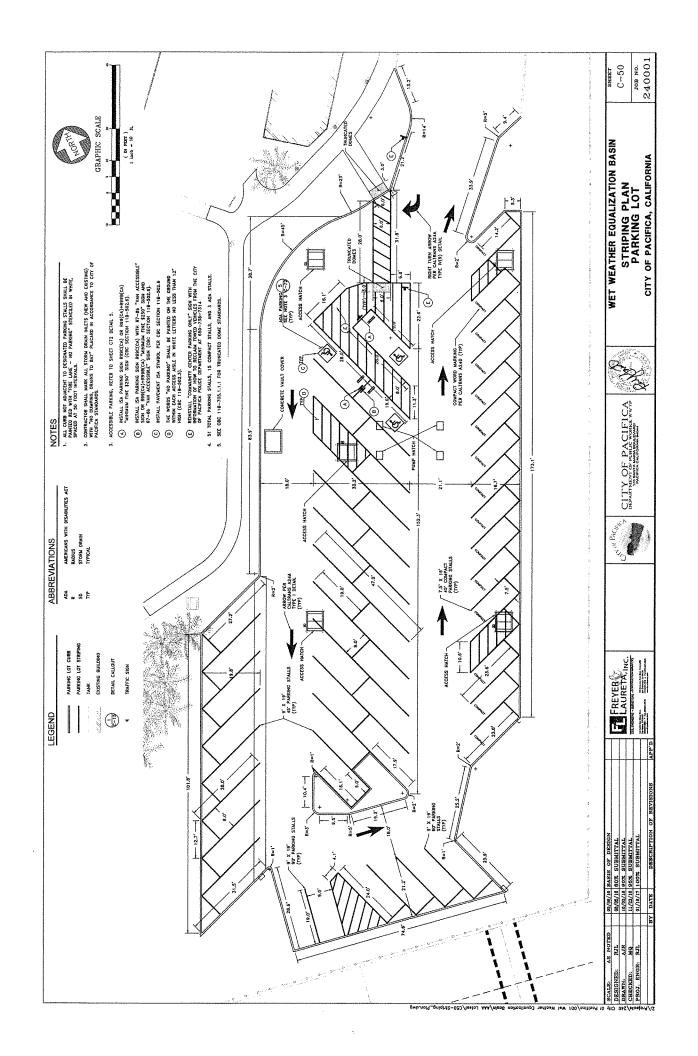


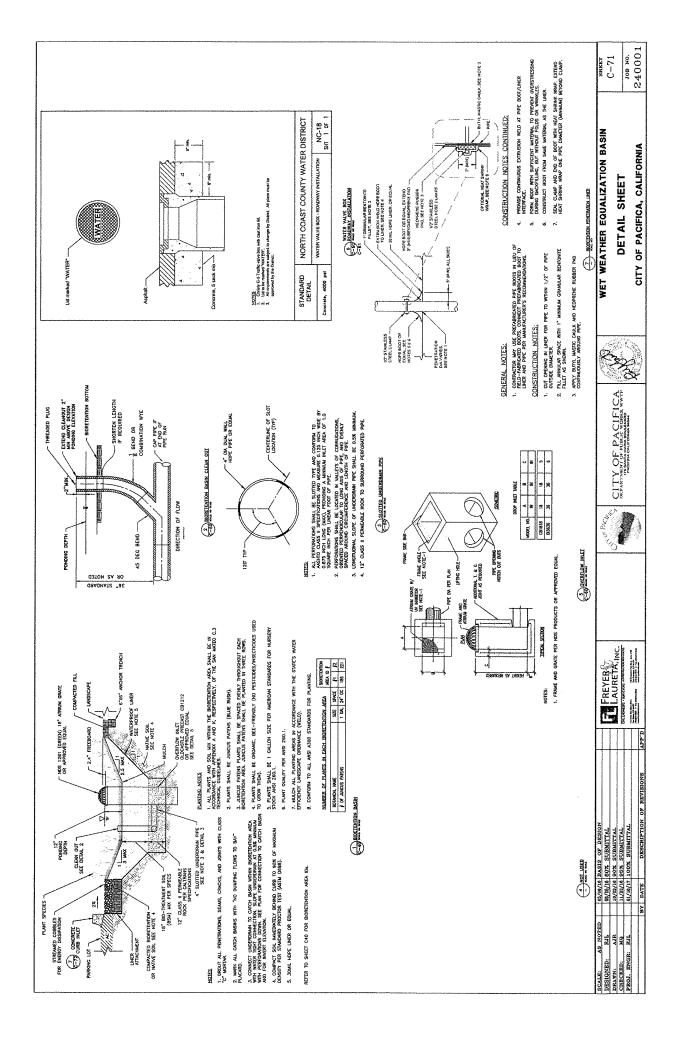


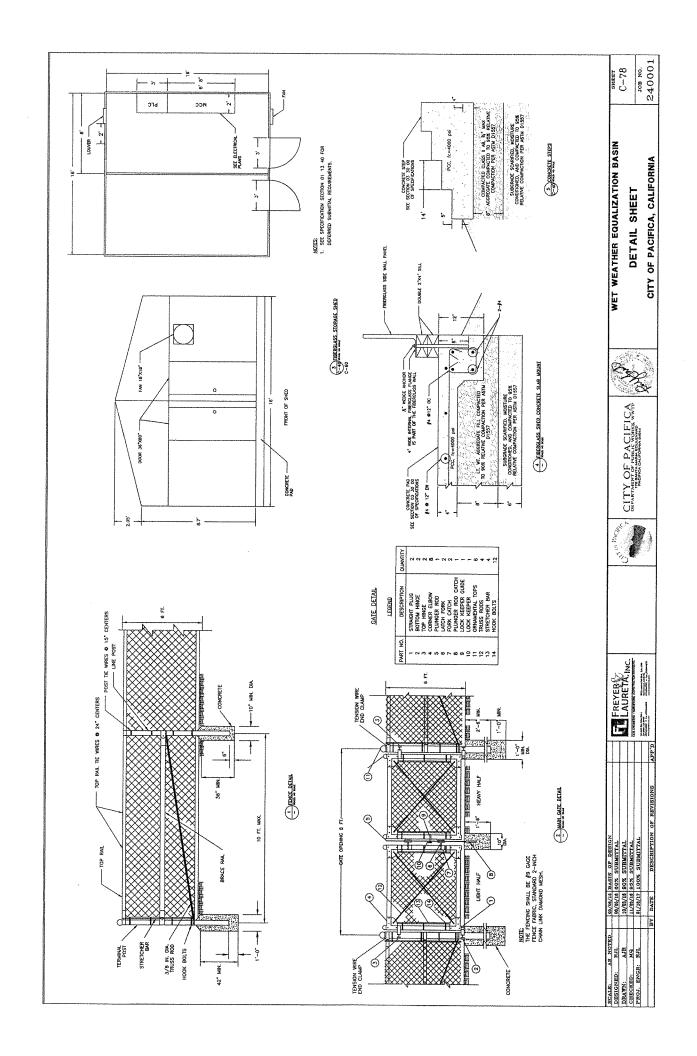


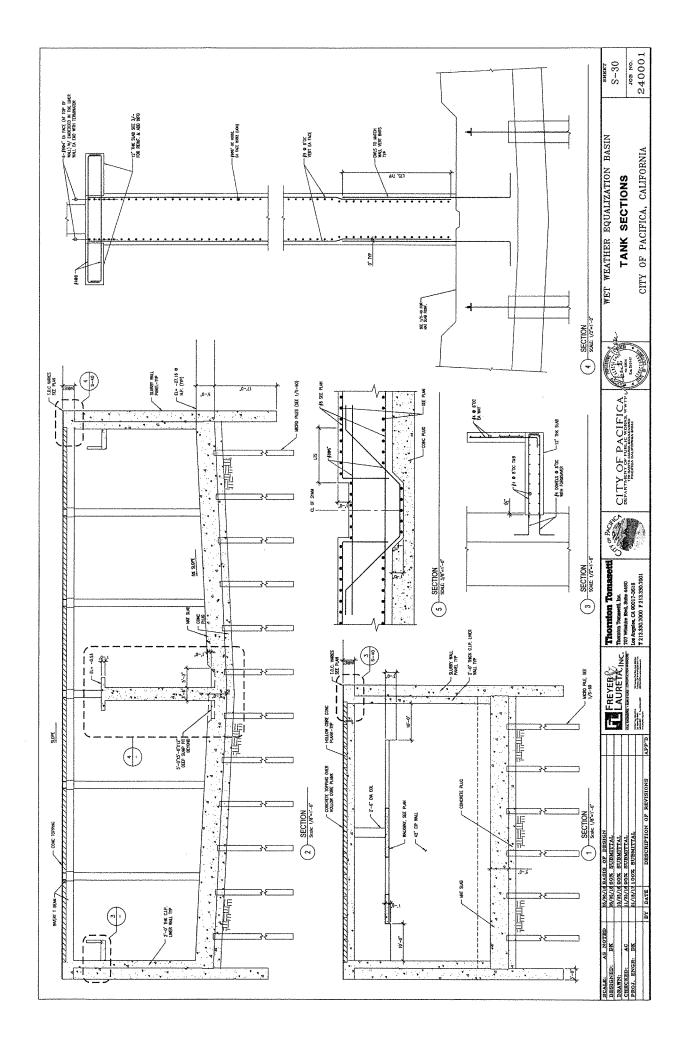


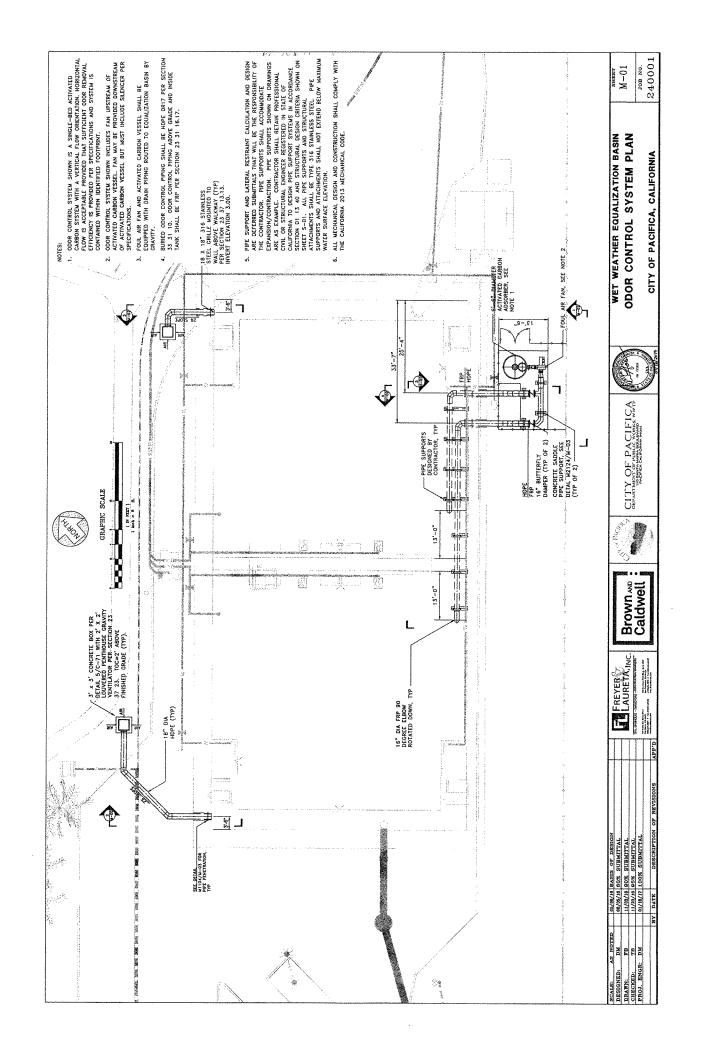










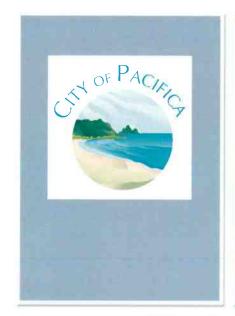




Wet Weather Equalization Basin Site Feasibility Evaluation

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# **APPENDIX**

A Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program Checklist



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### INTRODUCTION

### Purpose of the Final MND/IS

The Final Mitigated Declaration/Initial Study (MND/IS) is an informational document prepared by the City of Pacifica (City), the Lead Agency. This document includes written public comment letters on the Draft MND/IS and presents responses to the written public comments, and as necessary, makes corrections and clarifications to the Draft MND/IS. This document, together with the Draft MND/IS, constitutes the Final MND/IS for the Project. Due to its length, the text of the Draft MND/IS is not included with this document but is included by reference as part of the Final MND/IS. The City has prepared this document pursuant to Sections 15070 – 15074 of the CEQA Guidelines which address the preparation of Negative and Mitigated Negative Declarations. Furthermore, the governing body of the City, the Pacifica City Council, along with the Pacifica Planning Commission, will consider both this document and the Draft MND/IS in their determinations on environmental certification.

Public Resources Code Section 21081.6(a) requires the Lead Agency to adopt a monitoring or reporting program for projects subject to the preparation of Environmental Impacts Reports (EIRs) or MNDs. The Draft Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program Checklist (MMRP) for the Project is included in Appendix E of the Draft IS.

# No New Significant Information

If significant new information is added to a Draft MND/IS after notice of public review has been given, but before adoption of the Final MND/IS, the lead agency must issue a new notice and recirculate the Draft MND/IS for further comment and consultation.

Although this document contains additions and clarifications to information presented in the Draft MND/IS, none of these additions and clarifications constitute a "substantial revision" as defined under Section 15073.5 of the CEQA Guidelines, defined as:

- A new avoidable significant effect is identified and mitigation measures or project revisions must be added in order to reduce the effect to insignificance.
- The lead agency determines that the proposed mitigation measures or project revisions will not reduce potential effects to less than significance and new measures or revisions must be required.

Information presented in this document support the City's determination that recirculation of the Draft MND/IS is not required because:

• Revisions to mitigation measures are more effective as revised pursuant to Section 15074.1 of the CEQA Guidelines.

- Revisions to the Project do not represent new avoidable significant effects.
- New information is added to clarify the Project based on community input.

# Organization of this Final MND/IS

This Final MND/IS contains information about the proposed Project, supplemental environmental information, and responses to comments raised during the public review and comment period on the Draft MND/IS. Following this Introduction, the document is organized as described below.

**Project Summary:** summarizes the proposed Project, potential environmental impacts, and recommended mitigation measures.

**List of Commenters on Draft MND/IS:** lists public agencies and individuals that submitted written comments on the Draft MND/IS during the public review and comment period.

Written Comments on the Draft MND/IS and Responses to these Comments: contains the comment letters received on the Draft MND/IS and presents individual responses to the specific CEQA-related comments raised.

**Revisions to the Draft MND/IS:** contains text changes and corrections to the Draft MND/IS initiated by the City (as the Lead Agency) or resulting from comments received on the Draft MND/IS.

#### PROJECT SUMMARY

# Summary of the Project

Project Description and Location

The City intends to construct and utilize the proposed wet weather flow equalization basin ("the EQ basin") and associated pipelines (together referred to as "the Project") as a key element to mitigate storm-related sanitary sewer overflows (SSOs) in the City's wastewater collection system and reduce peak wet weather flows to the City's Calera Creek Water Recycling Plant. The City's sanitary sewer collection system is subject to infiltration and inflow (I/I) of extraneous groundwater and stormwater into the system, resulting in high wet weather flows during storm events. As a result, SSOs have occurred at several locations in the system during large storms.

The Project would include the installation of a 2.1-million-gallon capacity EQ basin, two diversion structures to passively divert excess flows from the existing Linda Mar Boulevard and Arguello Boulevard sanitary sewer lines and transport the flow via a conveyance pipeline to the EQ basin during storm events, an effluent conveyance pipeline routing flows to the existing Crespi Drive sanitary sewer line and the Linda Mar Pump Station, a 10-foot-tall motor control center (MCC) building equipped with a 4-foot-high metal antenna that would allow radio communication with the City's Calera Waste Water Treatment Plant, a ventilation and odorcontrol system, and a potable-water-supplied cleaning system within the EQ basin.

The EQ basin would be located within the parking lot for the Skatepark and immediately southwest of the Community Center (located at 540 Crespi Drive) on the east side of SR-1. The property for the proposed EQ basin is owned by the City, zoned for Controlled Manufacturing, and is identified as Public Facilities in the City's General Plan.

The proposed EQ basin construction site is bounded by open space areas to the east and west, residential parcels approximately 80 feet to the southwest, and the Skatepark and Community Center complexes to the northwest and northeast, respectively. There is an open, vegetated drainage swale between the southwestern end of the parking lot and the nearby residences.

The proposed two diversion structures and conveyance pipelines to and from the EQ basin would be constructed in City-owned rights-of-way or public utility easements.

During construction of the EQ Basin, the Skatepark parking lot would be closed to the public, and normal parking in this area would be diverted to the Crespi Parking Lot west of the Community Center. Following completion of EQ basin construction, the Skatepark parking lot would be reconstructed above the EQ basin structure to provide, at minimum, the same number of parking spots as in the existing parking lot.

Project construction is anticipated to occur during a 17-month period starting in May 2017 and ending in late September 2018. Construction hours would be limited to the following:

- Within the EQ basin area (Skatepark parking lot area including the excavation for the jacking and receiving pits): 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday
- Along City streets (except at the intersection of Linda Mar Boulevard and De Solo Drive):
   9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
- At the intersection of Linda Mar Boulevard and De Solo Drive: 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Weekend and night work is not anticipated.

#### **CEQA Process and Schedule**

The City has conducted several public meetings in order to involve the community in the EQ basin site evaluation and selection process. The following provides a summary of the public meetings conducted, and notices transmitted, to date:

- Presentation of the EQ Basin Project and potential site locations at the City Council Chambers (August 14, 2013). Notices for the meeting were distributed on July 29, 2013, to the residences within a 300-foot radius of each of the four potential EQ basin sites. The purposes of the meeting were to: (1) provide an overview of the Project, (2) discuss the possible locations of the EQ basin, and (3) obtain public input on the Project and the possible locations. Approximately 20 community members attended the meeting.
- Presentation of the Draft Feasibility Study findings to the City Council (March 23, 2015).
   Notices for the meeting were distributed on March 18, 2015, to the residences within a 300-foot radius of each of the four potential EQ basin sites. The meeting was also posted on the City's website under the City Council and Wastewater categories at least seven days prior to the meeting. The purpose of the meeting was to present the findings of the Feasibility Study to the City Council, and to allow the community an opportunity to provide comments.
- Presentation of the Final Feasibility Study findings to the City Council (September 28, 2015).
  The meeting was posted on the City's website under the City Council and Wastewater
  categories at least seven days prior to the meeting. The purposes of the meeting were to
  present staff's final preferred site alternative for the EQ Basin Project and for the City
  Council to approve and direct staff to move forward with the necessary processes for a
  successful completion of the Project. The meeting also provided the community with an
  opportunity to provide comments.
- Presentation of the Wet-Weather Equalization Basin Project to the City Council (December 12, 2016). Notices for the meeting were distributed on November 28, 2016, to the residences within a 300-foot radius of the proposed EQ basin site. On November 30, 2016, Mr. Louis Sun and Ms. Maria Aguilar of the City of Pacifica Public Works Department visited the two residences on Anza Boulevard which border the utility easement to notify them of the presentation to the City Council. Informational letters were left at each residence. The

purposes of the meeting were to present a status update on the EQ basin and for the City Council to request any additional information on the Project.

- Public Meeting on the Draft MND/IS (December 15, 2016). An information sheet was posted to the City's website, NextDoor, and at Project site, and multiple times on the Connect with Pacifica e-newsletter. The Notice of Intent, which included the meeting information, was distributed on December 6, 2016, to the residences within a 300-foot radius of the proposed EQ basin site and the pipeline alignments. The Notice of Intent was published in the San Mateo County Times and at the San Mateo County Clerk's office on December 8, 2016. The purpose of the meeting was to present the findings of the Draft MND/IS and provide the community with an opportunity to ask question and provide written comments. During the public meeting, participants were notified that comments would not recorded as formal comments, and participants were invited to fill out comment forms during the meeting to ensure that any comments were fully addressed. The general themes of questions and comments raised during the meeting were noted as summarized below.
  - a. Questions related to the practicability of the solution to meet the requirements of the requirements of the Cease and Desist Order (CDO), and discussion of alternative solutions that had been evaluated by the City. The City summarized the findings of the feasibility study which evaluated multiple options to address the CDO.
  - b. Clarification regarding construction methods and operation of the basin and pipelines. The City provided additional detail on the construction methods for the Project, and how the Project would operate (i.e., during storm events).
  - c. Comments regarding flood zone impact on neighborhoods (written comment provided).
     See Response to Comment Letter 4.
  - d. Concerns regarding noise and odor and noise associated with the operation of the Project. The City clarified that operational noise and odor would occur only when the EQ basin was in use (estimated to be up to 5 times per year). The City described the odor control system included in the Project design. Construction-related noise would be below significance thresholds with mitigation.
  - e. Traffic impacts to the pick-up/drop-off schedule at Cabrillo School to the north of the Project area. Cabrillo Elementary School has a start time of 8:20 am and end times of 1:20 (Kindergarten), 2:20 (first through third grades), and 2:45 (fourth through eighth grades) on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday (depending on grade level), and end times of 1:10 pm (Kindergarten through third grades) and 1:20 pm (fourth through eighth grades) on Wednesday and minimum days. Mitigation Measure TRANS-1 would limit the arrival of trucks onsite to after 8:00 am and would prevent trucks from leaving the site prior to 9:00 am. The Project site would only be able to accommodate an estimated two to three vehicles at a time; therefore, no more than three trucks would

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Pacifica School District. 2016. Cabrillo School Family Handbook 2016-2017. http://pacificasd.org/files/user/6/file/2016-17%20Cabrillo%20Student%20Handbook%208 10 16.pdf

be anticipated to be traveling along Crespi Drive between 8:00 am and 9:00 am, when morning school traffic would be present.

Additionally, Mitigation Measure TRANS-1 would prevent trucks from leaving the site after 3:00 pm. It is anticipated that trucks would be filled one at a time and would leave immediately upon filling, if within the allowed timing of Mitigation Measure TRANS-1. The timing associated with filling a truck, covering the load, and signing waste manifests would be approximately 30 minutes. Therefore, afternoon school traffic would likely experience one to two trucks leaving the site during a 30-minute period. In addition to the limitation on truck traffic timing, MM TRANS-1 includes requirements for traffic control personnel such as flaggers during disruptions to the City rights-of-way. The presence of two to three trucks between 8:00 and 9:00 am and two trucks during a half-hour period in the afternoon may cause a slight delay to school traffic; however, the impact would be short-term, temporary, and would not be considered significant with the implementation of Mitigation Measure TRANS-1.

f. Concern regarding the potential wetland area to the west of the EQ basin site. The Project would not encroach into this area.

The purpose of the City's community engagement effort was to inform the public about the Project and its environmental review process and to receive comments from the community regarding their concerns about the environmental effects of the Project.

On December 8, 2016, the City issued a Notice of Intent to Adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration for the Wet Weather Flow Equalization Basin Project. The public review and comment period on that Draft MND/IS ended on January 13, 2017. The Final MND/IS will be presented to the City of Pacifica Planning Commission for adoption on February 6, 2017.

# **Summary of Impacts and Mitigation Measures**

The summary table presented below identify the potentially significant impacts and recommended mitigation measures that would reduce the potentially significant impacts to less than significant. The City agreed to incorporate the recommended mitigation measures identified in the Draft Initial Study. Thus, a Mitigated Negative Declaration was prepared for the proposed Project in conformance with Public Resources Code Section 21080.

Mitigation Measures  Initial Study Section 3 - Air Quality  During Project construction, heritage trees would be significant removed.  During Project construction, Potentially A grading and soil disturbing servicities would generate fugitive dust.  Interpolate the study of the	AES-1: The Tree Protection Plan prepared by the City (or designee) shall include a schedule and replacement ratio for heritage tree removal. The Tree Protection Plan shall require that replacement trees shall be placed as closely as feasible to the removal sites in order to return aesthetics to pre-project conditions.  AQ-1: The Project's general contractor and their subcontractors shall implement basic measures to control dust and exhaust during construction as recommended by the Bay Area Air Quality Management District (BAAQMD). During any construction period with ground disturbance, the Project's general contractor and their subcontractors shall implement the following BAAQMD-recommended best management practices (BMPs):  1. All exposed non-hardscaped surfaces (e.g., temporary parking areas, staging areas, soil piles, graded areas, and unpaved access roads) shall be watered appropriately to maintain a damp
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A   A   A   A   A   A   A   A   A   A	2. All haul trucks transporting soil, sand, or other loose material offsite shall be covered.  3. All visible mud or dirt tracked onto adjacent public roads shall be removed using wet power vacuum street sweepers at least once per day. The use of dry power sweeping or washing down paved streets using potable water is prohibited.  4. All vehicle speeds on unpaved roads shall be limited to 15 miles per hour.  5. All roadways, driveways, and sidewalks to be paved shall be completed as soon as possible.  Building pads shall be laid as soon as possible after grading unless seeding or soil binders are used.  6. Idling times shall be minimized either by shutting equipment off when not in use or reducing the maximum idling time to 5 minutes (as required by the California airborne toxics control measure Title 13, Section 2485 of California Code of Regulations [CCR]). Clear signage with these requirements shall be provided for construction workers at all access points.  7. All construction equipment shall be maintained and properly tuned in accordance with manufacturer's specifications. All equipment shall be checked by a certified mechanic and determined to be running in proper condition prior to operation.  8. A publicly visible sign shall be posted with the telephone number and person to contact at the Lead Agency regarding dust complaints. This person shall respond and take corrective action within 48 hours. The BAAQMD's phone number shall also be visible to ensure complaince with applicable

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Initial Study Section 4 - Biological Resources	al Resources		
Project construction could	Potentially	BIO-1: The City shall implement the following measures or designate implementation of these	Less than
impact biological resources	Significant	measures to the Project's general contractor prior to construction:	Significant
including candidate, sensitive,		1. Post signage indicating that travel and parking of vehicles and equipment must be limited to	
or special status species,		pavement, existing roads, and previously disturbed areas.	
riparian habitat or sensitive		2. Include provisions in the Project Plans detailing the areas that have been found to be acceptable	
natural community, and		for disturbance (i.e., previously disturbed areas and those within the Biological Study Area [BSA]).	
wetlands.		The contractor shall not disturb or remove vegetation outside of these areas. Work areas that	
		would be temporarily impacted by construction would be restored with respect to pre-existing	
***************************************		contours and conditions upon completion of work. Restoration work including re-vegetation and	
		soil stabilization shall be evaluated upon completion of work and performed as needed.	
		3. The City shall ensure that the Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) prepared and	
		implemented for the project shall include measures that:	
MALA POUR LA TRANSPORTE DE LA TRANSPORTE D		• minimize erosion and/or prevent water-borne silt from being deposited in adjacent undeveloped	
		areas;	
		<ul> <li>prevent waste and/or construction materials from getting into the adjacent undeveloped areas;</li> </ul>	
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		• control and prevent the discharge of all potential pollutants, including hazardous materials, solid	
		wastes, paints, concrete, petroleum products, chemicals, wash water or sediment, and non-	
		stormwater discharges to adjacent undeveloped areas via storm drains, water courses, or sheet	
		flow.	
		<b>BIO-2:</b> The City shall implement the following measures or designate implementation of these	Less than
		measures to the Project's general contractor:	Significant
		1. A qualified biologist shall assist with the placement of wildlife exclusion fencing, and verify that	
		stormwater protection measures to protect adjacent undeveloped areas are in place prior to	
		construction. The biologist shall be provided the contact information of the Project's general	
		contractor Qualified SWPPP Developer (QSD), and vice versa.	

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		2. Before the contractors, their employees, or any persons start any work onsite, each worker shall	
		participate in an employee education program, consisting of a brief presentation to explain	
		biological resources on the Project site, which shall be conducted by a qualified biologist. The	
		program shall include the following:	
		a. a description of relevant special-status species, nesting birds, and bats along with their habitat	
		needs as they pertain to the BSA;	
		b. a report of the occurrence of these species in the Project vicinity, as applicable;	
		c. an explanation of the status of these species and their protection under the federal and state	
		regulations;	
		d. a list of measures being taken to reduce potential impacts to natural resources during project	
		construction and implementation;	
		e. instructions if a special-status species is found onsite; and	
		f. a summary of the personal consequences of violating state and federal law related to these	
		species.	
		A fact sheet conveying this information shall be prepared and distributed to the above-mentioned	
		people and anyone else who may enter the work areas within the BSA. Upon completion of	
		training, employees shall sign a form stating that they attended the training and agree to all the	
		conservation and protection measures. The training logs shall be provided to the City on a monthly	
		basis.	
		3. A qualified biologist shall conduct a pre-construction survey within the Project area for the	
		presence of the California red-legged frog (CRLF) and/or the San Francisco garter snake (SFGS). The	
		survey shall be conducted immediately prior to the initial onset of Project activities. If any special-	
		status species are found, work shall not commence until the appropriate state and/or federal	
		resource agencies are contacted and avoidance and mitigation measures are in place.	
		4. Within the disturbed areas of the BSA, all burrows that can be occupied by CRLF and SFGS shall	
		be hand-excavated with extreme caution by a qualified biologist in possession of a scientific	
		collecting permit. At the first indication of CRLF or SFGS present, excavation shall immediately	
		cease, and the United States Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) and California Department of Fish	
		and Wildlife (CDFW) shall be consulted before any further actions are taken. Because handling and	Andrew Sec.
		other take of SFGS, a Fully Protected Species, cannot be authorized under California Fish and Game	
		Code, full avoidance must be achieved through measures that would allow the species to passively	
		vacate the site.	

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		5. A wildlife exclusion/environmental fence (with escape routes, such as exit funnels) shall be	
		erected around active construction areas to prevent the movement of animals into active	
		construction areas under oversight by a qualified biologist. During construction, the fence shall be	
	*********	checked every day before construction activities commence for damage, breaks, or trapped	
		wildlife. Any damage to the fence shall be repaired in a timely manner. The qualified biologist	
		overseeing the placement of wildlife exclusion fencing shall ensure placement of the fence so that	
		a minimum 3-foot-wide wildlife corridor remains open between the south end of the Skatepark	
	*****	parking lot and the residential fences.	
		6. A qualified biologist shall inspect the area inside of the fence for CRLF and SFGS every day before	
		construction activities commence. If any special-status species are found, construction activities	
		shall not be allowed to start and the USFWS and CDFW shall be consulted on an appropriate	****
		course of action. Such action could include leaving the animal alone to move away on its own.	
		7. When construction and construction-related activities (including, but not limited to, mobilization	
		and staging, clearing, grubbing, vegetation removal, fence installation, demolition, and grading	•
		noise) occur during the avian nesting season (from February 1 to August 31 for passerines and	***************************************
		January 1 to September 15 for raptors), all suitable habitats located within the Project's area of	
		disturbance, including staging and storage areas plus a 250-foot (passerines) and 1,000-foot	
		(raptor nests) buffer around these areas, shall be thoroughly surveyed, as feasible, for the	
		presence of active nests by a qualified biologist no more than five days before commencement of	
		any site disturbance activities and equipment mobilization. If project activities are delayed by more	
		than five days, an additional nesting bird survey shall be performed. Active nesting is present if a	
		bird is building a nest, sitting in a nest, a nest has eggs or chicks in it, or adults are observed	
		carrying food to the nest. The results of the surveys shall be documented and provided to the	
		City's Planning Department.	
		If pre-construction nesting bird surveys identify potential impacts to active nests, no site	
		disturbance and mobilization of heavy equipment shall take place within a buffer determined by	
		the biologist in consultation with a CDFW biologist. During that consultation, it can also be	
		determined what low-impact construction activities are allowed within the buffer. The buffer shall	
		be in place until the chicks have fledged. Monitoring shall be required to ensure compliance with	
		the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (MBTA) and California Fish and Game Code. Monitoring dates and	
		findings shall be documented and provided to the City's Planning Department.	

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		8. A preconstruction survey of trees within the developed and disturbed areas of the BSA shall be conducted by a qualified biologist for colony bat roosts within 14 days prior to the onset of project activity, and the survey shall be documented and provided to the City's Planning Department. If an occupied maternity or colony roost is detected, the CDFW shall be consulted to determine appropriate measures, such as bat exclusion methods, if the roost cannot be avoided.  9. Food items may attract wild animals onto the construction site, which would expose them to construction-related hazards. The construction site shall be maintained in a clean condition. All trash (e.g., food scraps, cans, bottles, containers, wrappers, cigarette butts, and other discarded items) shall be placed in closed containers and properly disposed of.  10. If an animal is found at the work site and is believed to be a protected species, work must be halted and the project biologist contacted for guidance. Care must be taken not to harm or harass the species. No wildlife species shall be handled and/or removed from the Project area by anyone except qualified biologists in consultation with CDFW/USFWS as appropriate and in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.  11. The Project specifications, the contractor's work plan, and/or SWPPP shall include provisions to ensure that the use of monofilament netting, including its use in temporary and permanent erosion control materials, is avoided altogether. All holes greater than 1 foot deep must be sealed overnight to prevent the entrapment of wildlife. Where holes or trenches cannot be sealed, escape ramps that are no greater than 30% slope shall be positioned such that entrapped wildlife would be able to escape. The escape ramps should be at least 1 foot wide and covered/fitted with a material that provides traction.	
Initial Study Section 5 - Cultural Resources	Resources		
During Project construction, it is possible that unknown prehistoric, historic, or paleontological resources and human remains could be disturbed.	Potentially Significant	<b>CUL-1:</b> In the event that any prehistoric, historic, or paleontological materials are discovered during ground-disturbing activities, ground work shall cease at the Project site and discovered materials and their surroundings shall not be altered or collected. A qualified archaeologist or paleontologist shall be consulted as to the significance of the find, and avoidance measures or appropriate mitigation shall be completed according to CEQA guidelines. Significant cultural materials recovered shall be subject to scientific analysis and/or professional museum curation, and a report shall be prepared by the qualified archaeologist according to current professional standards. Ground disturbance activities shall continue upon direction from the qualified archaeologist according to current professional standards.	Less than Significant
		CUL-2: Prior to performing ground disturbance activities, all onsite workers shall be trained by a City-approved archaeologist in what cultural resources are, identifying cultural resources, the procedure if a cultural resource is found, and their legal responsibility to protect cultural resources. Training logs shall be provided to the City regularly.	Less than Significant

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Initial Study Section 8 - Hazards and Hazardous Materials	and Hazardous Mate	rials	
During Project construction, it	Potentially	HAZ-1: The City shall ensure that:	Less than
is possible that contaminated	Significant	(a) The construction contractor (or designee) shall conduct a private utility survey for the presence	Significant
soil or groundwater could be		of underground utilities, fill pipes, and underground storage tanks (USTs) prior to excavation within	
encountered.		the Skatepark parking lot area, areas of the proposed jacking and receiving pits, and along the	
		proposed locations of the influent and effluent conveyance pipelines. In the event that a UST is	
		identified within the excavation boundaries, the City shall contact an environmental consultant,	
		who shall perform and/or coordinate the investigation for the presence of contamination in	
		accordance with applicable regulations. A report of the findings of the geophysical survey shall be	
		submitted to the City's Construction Manager and City's Public Works Department liaison.	
		(b) The Project's general contractor shall require that all site workers (including subcontractors) be	
		trained in identifying contaminated soil and/or groundwater. In the event that contaminated soil	
		or groundwater is encountered (either visually or through odor detection) during excavation	
		activities, the construction contractor shall follow the procedures below:	
		<ul> <li>Stop work in areas with suspected contamination;</li> </ul>	
		<ul> <li>Immediately report observations to the City's Construction Manager;</li> </ul>	
		• Contact an environmental consultant, who shall perform and/or coordinate the investigation of	
		suspected contamination in accordance with applicable regulations.	
		(c) If necessary, based on the findings of the environmental consultant, the City's Public Works	
		Department shall notify San Mateo County Environmental Health Department, San Francisco Bay	
		RWQCB, and/or the California Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC).	
		(d) If investigation confirms presence of contamination, the environmental consultant shall	
		perform and/or coordinate appropriate site investigation and cleanup procedures in accordance	
		with regulatory requirements, including the appropriate segregation and disposal of contaminated	
		soil and groundwater. Once the extents of the contamination have been delineated and the	
		contaminated materials (i.e., soil and/or groundwater) have been excavated or otherwise	
		remediated (e.g., in-situ treatment), ground-disturbing activities shall continue.	

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During Project construction,	Potentially	HAZ-2: The Project's general contractor and their subcontractors shall be required to use BMPs to	Less than
hazardous materials would be	Significant	minimize the potential for releases of hazardous materials to groundwater, surface water, and soil.	Significant
stored and used on the Project		The BMPs shall be outlined in the general contractor's SWPPP document that will be prepared by	)
site.		their QSD submitted to the City's Construction Manager and uploaded to the State Water Quality	
		Resource Board's (SWRCB) SMART database as required under the SWCRB's General Permit for	
		Construction Activities. The SWPPP shall include BMPs that accomplish the following:	
		• Discussion of methodology and available technology for waste management and materials	
		pollution control, as well as other construction-related activities.	
		• Provisions for training the site workers on the proper storage and handling of hazardous	
		substances, such as fuels, lubricants, paints, and solvents. Training logs shall be provided to the	
		City regularly.	
	to continue	• A process for responding to, and tracking, complaints pertaining to construction activity,	
		including identification of the City's Construction Manager. The Construction Manager shall	
		determine the cause of the complaints and shall take prompt action to correct the problem. The	
		City's Planning and Zoning Department shall be informed who the City's Construction Manager is	
		prior to the issuance of the first permit issued by Building Services.	
		• Provision for accommodation of pedestrian flow and prevention of any unauthorized personnel	
		from entering the construction zone or material and equipment storage areas.	
		• Prior to construction, a portable toilet facility and a debris box shall be installed on the site and	
		properly maintained through project completion.	

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Initial Study Section 9 - Hydrology and Water Quality	y and Water Quality		
During Project construction,	Potentially	HYDRO-1: The general contractor shall develop a dewatering plan and obtain any necessary	Less than
the Project could violate water	Significant	permits for performing dewatering. The dewatering plan shall include methods to manage the	Significant
quality standards or waste		potential environmental impacts that dewatering activities might have. The dewatering plan shall	)
discharge requirements if		include the following at a minimum:	
dewatering or stormwater		<ul> <li>a pre-dewatering topographic survey with a minimum vertical accuracy of 0.01 foot (if the</li> </ul>	
management is not properly		existing site topographic survey already prepared for design purposes provides a minimum vertical	
implemented.		accuracy of 0.01 foot, this survey can be utilized and an additional topographic survey would not	
		be required);	
		• a photographic survey of structures and flatwork in the surrounding area documenting any pre-	
		dewatering damage to the structures or flatwork, including measurements of the widths and	
		lengths of any significant cracks in the structures or flatwork;	
		• pre-construction evaluation of required groundwater extraction rates and volumes, calculation of	
		the radius of influence of the dewatering wells/sumps and anticipated settlements as a function of	
		distance from the excavation;	
		<ul> <li>measures to address situations where water resource impacts or excessive settlements are</li> </ul>	
		occurring.	
		Monitoring of groundwater levels in the piezometer PZ-1 that is located in the vicinity of the	
		proposed excavation zone shall be required to verify the assumptions used to calculate potential	
		settlements.	

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Initial Study Section 12 - Noise			
During Project construction	Potentially	NOISE-1: No construction activities shall be permitted on the weekends or at night. To reduce	Less than
and operation of the blower,	Significant	construction noise levels emanating from the site and minimize disruption and annoyance of	Significant
noise levels from the Project		existing noise-sensitive receptors in the Project vicinity, the City shall require the selected	
site would increase the		contractor to develop a Noise Control Plan. This Noise Control Plan shall include, but not be limited	
ambient noise levels in the		to, the following construction BMPs:	
project vicinity above current		• All equipment driven by internal combustion engines shall be equipped with mufflers that are in	
levels, or thresholds identified		good condition and appropriate for the equipment.	
in the City's Draft General Plan.		• The construction contractor shall utilize "quiet" models of air compressors and other stationary	
		noise sources where technology exists.	
		<ul> <li>Unnecessary idling of internal combustion engines shall be prohibited.</li> </ul>	
		<ul> <li>Construction staging areas shall be established at locations that would create the greatest</li> </ul>	
		distance between the construction-related noise sources and receptors nearest the Project site	
		during all Project construction, as feasible.	
		• Locate stationary noise sources as far from receptors as feasible. If they must be located near	
		receptors, adequate muffling (with enclosures, where feasible and appropriate) would be used as	
		necessary to comply with local noise ordinance and general plan limits. Any enclosure openings or	
		venting would face away from receptors.	
		<ul> <li>Locate material stockpiles, as well as maintenance/equipment staging and parking areas, as far</li> </ul>	
		as feasible from residential receptors.	
		• Neighbors located adjacent to the construction site shall be notified of the construction schedule	
		in writing.	
		• Designate a project liaison who shall be responsible for responding to noise complaints during	
		construction. The name and phone number of the liaison shall be conspicuously posted at	
		construction areas and on all advance notifications. This person shall take steps to resolve	
		complaints, including periodic noise monitoring, if necessary. Results of noise monitoring shall be	
		presented at regular project meetings with the Project contractor, and the liaison shall coordinate	
		with the contractor to modify, to the extent feasible, any construction activities that generated	
		excessive noise levels.	
		<ul> <li>Require a reporting program that documents complaints received, actions taken to resolve</li> </ul>	
		problems, and effectiveness of these actions.	
		<ul> <li>Hold a preconstruction meeting with the job inspectors and the general contractor's onsite</li> </ul>	
		project manager to confirm that noise mitigation and practices (including construction hours,	
		construction schedule, and noise coordinator) are completed.	

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Initial Study Section 14 - Public Services	services		9
During Project construction,	Potentially	PUB-1: At least 48 hours prior to road closures, the City's Public Works Department (or designee,	Less than
road closures could impact	Significant	such as the City's Consultant Construction Manager) shall notify local emergency service providers	Significant
emergency vehicle routes.		(Pacifica Police Department at 650-738-7314 and North County Fire Authority at 650-991-8138) of	
		road closures and length of closure. The construction contractor shall obtain encroachment	
		permits from the City's Engineering Department prior to construction-related lane or street parking closures.	
Initial Study Section 16 - Transportation and Circulation	ortation and Circulati	00	
During Project construction,	Potentially	TRANS-1: The selected contractor shall be required to prepare a Traffic Control Plan, which shall	Less than
construction trucks would	Significant	include, at minimum:	Significant
impact local roadways and		• A set of comprehensive traffic control measures to maintain safety and Level of Service (LOS),	
highways.		including:	
		- scheduling of major truck trips and deliveries to avoid peak traffic hours – deliveries and soil off-	
		haul trucks shall not arrive onsite prior to 8 a.m. and shall not leave the site outside of the hours of	
		9 a.m. to 3 p.m.,	
		- requirements for posting of detour signs,	
		- requirements for traffic control personnel such as flaggers during disruptions in the City rights-of-	
		way,	
		- lane closure procedures and signage requirements,	
		- placement requirements for signs and cones for drivers, and	
		- designated construction access routes;	
		<ul> <li>Methods for maintaining the condition and LOS of city and state roadways;</li> </ul>	
		<ul> <li>Notification procedures for adjacent properties and public safety personnel regarding when</li> </ul>	
		major deliveries, detours, and lane closures would occur;	
		• Location of construction staging areas for materials, equipment, and vehicles at an approved	
		location;	
		<ul> <li>Any heavy equipment brought to the construction site shall be transported by truck, where</li> </ul>	
		feasible.	

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Applicant Proposed Measures			
Initial Study Section 3 - Air Quality	ity		
Project construction emissions would cause excess cancer risk	Potentially Significant	APM-1:         During construction, the Project's general contractor shall use off-road equipment that be would meet, at minimum, the following criteria:         Signal of the project of the	Less than Significant
to sensitive receptors (where residences in the area have		1. All mobile diesel-powered off-road equipment larger than 25 horsepower (hp) and operating on the site for more than 20 hours shall meet, at a minimum, one of the following:	
infants present) to exceed the BAAQMD CEQA community risk		a. Equipped with engines meeting U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) particulate matter emissions standards for Tier 2 engines or equivalent;	
thresholds for project-only impacts.		b. All diesel-powered portable equipment (i.e., generators, concrete saws, and pumps) operating on the site for more than 20 hours shall be equipped with CARB-certified Level 3 Diesel Particulate	
		Filters or meet U.S. EPA particulate matter emissions standards for Tier 4 engines or equivalent;	
		c. Use alternatively fueled (i.e., non-diesel) equipment; or	
		d. Other measures may be the use of added exhaust devices, or a combination of measures,	
		provided that these measures are approved by the City and demonstrated to reduce community risk impacts to less than significant.	
		2. Line power shall be utilized as soon as feasible. limiting the use of all diesel-fueled generators.	
		including any diesel-powered welders, used for construction activities exceeding 20 days for each	
		piece of equipment.	
		Alternatively, prior to construction, the Project's general contractor may develop a plan, verified by	
		a qualilled all specialist and approved by the City, which ensures that the OTFroad equipment used onsite to construct the Project would achieve a fleet-wide average 75 percent reduction in PM10	
		exhaust emissions, compared to uncontrolled aggregate statewide emission rates for similar	
Initial Study Section 12 - Noise		equipment.	
During Project construction	Potentially	APM-2: The Project's general contractor shall be required to construct temporary noise barriers to	Less than
and operation of the blower,	Significant		Significant
noise levels from the Project		be a minimum of 16 feet in height and would provide approximately 8 to 10 A-weighted decibels (JRA) of attenuation at the first floor, and approximately 5 JRA of attenuation at the first floor, and approximately 5 JRA of attenuation at second and third	
ambient noise levels in the		floors, where the line-of-sight to construction activities is interrupted by the barrier.	
Project vicinity above current			
levels, or thresholds identified			
in the City's Draft General Plan.			

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Initial Study Section 18 - Utilities and Service Systems	and Service Systems		
During cleaning of the EQ basin   Potentially	Potentially	APM-3: As noted in the Project Description, prior to the flushing and cleaning of the EQ basin, the	Less than
following use for wet weather	Significant	City's Wastewater Treatment Plant Superintendent, or deputy thereof, shall contact both the	Significant
events, the Project would		North County Fire Department and the North Coast County Water District to alert them of	)
require 130 pounds per square		anticipated water usage. If the water usage would impede water service for either of the agencies.	
inch (psi) of water pressure off		the flushing and cleaning of the tank would be delayed until the demand could be met.	
the existing water main on			
Crespi Drive.			

### LIST OF COMMENTERS ON DRAFT MND/IS

### **Public Agencies Commenting in Writing**

The following public agencies provided written comments on the Wet Weather Flow Equalization Basin Project Draft MND/IS:

- Scott Wilson, California Department of Fish and Wildlife, Regional Manager, Bay Delta Region Letter dated December 29, 2016.
- Department of Transportation (Caltrans) Letter from Patricia Maurice, District Branch Chief; dated January 13, 2017.

### Individuals Commenting in Writing

The following individuals provided written comments on the Wet Weather Flow Equalization Basin Project Draft MND/IS:

- Mike O'Connell Email dated December 14, 2016.
- Lori Bowie Comment Form dated December 15, 2016.
- Eamon Murphy Email dated December 16, 2016.

# WRITTEN COMMENTS ON THE DRAFT MND/IS AND RESPONSES TO THESE COMMENTS

This section includes copies of the written comments received during the public review and comment period on the Draft MND/IS. Specific responses to the individual comments in each correspondence follow each letter.

Each correspondence is identified by a numeric designator (e.g., "1"). Specific comments within each correspondence also are identified by a numeric designator reflecting the numeric sequence of the specific comment within the correspondence (e.g., "1-2" for the second comment in Comment Letter 1).

Responses focus on comments that pertain to the adequacy of the analysis in the MND/IS or to other aspects pertinent to the potential effects of the Project on the environment, pursuant to CEQA. Comments that address topics beyond the purview of the MND/IS or CEQA are noted as such for the public record. Where comments have triggered changes to the Draft MND/IS, these changes appear as part of the specific response and are consolidated in Revisions to the Draft MND/IS section of this document where they are generally listed in the order the revision would appear in the Draft MND/IS document.

# Comment Letter 1: Scott Wilson, California Department of Fish and Wildlife, Regional Manager, Bay Delta Region



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December 29, 2016

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Dear Ms. O'Connor:

Subject: Wet Weather Flow Equalization Basin Project, Mitigated Negative Declaration, SCH #2016122016, City of Pacifica, San Mateo County

The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) reviewed the Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) provided for the Wet Weather Flow Equalization Basin Project (Project) located at 540 Crespi Drive, Pacifica, San Maleo County. The MND was received in our office on December 19, 2016.

CDFW is a Trustee Agency with responsibility under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) §15386 for commenting on projects that could impact fish, plant and wildlife resources. CDFW is also considered a Responsible Agency if a project would require discretionary approval, such as the California Endangered Species Act (CESA) Permit, the Native Plant Protection Act, the Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement (LSAA) and other provisions of the Fish and Game Code that afford protection to the State's fish and wildlife trust resources. Pursuant to our jurisdiction, CDFW has the following concerns, comments, and recommendations regarding the Project.

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The Project would consist of the construction of a 2.1-million gallon capacity equalization basin; two diversion structures to passively divert excess flows from the existing Linda Mar and Arguello sanitary sewer lines and transport the flow via a conveyance pipeline to the equalization basin during storm events; an effluent conveyance pipeline routing flows to the existing Crespi Drive sanitary sewer line and Linda Mar Boulevard pump station; a 10-foot-tall motor control center building that is equipped with a 4-foot-high metal antenna to allow radio communication with the City's Calera Waste Water Treatment Plant and the Linda Mar pump station; a ventilation and odor-control system; and a potable-water-supplied cleaning system with the equalization basin. The equalization basin would be located with the parking lot for the City of Pacifica Skatepark.

### San Francisco Garter Snake Protection Measures

The MND indicates that San Francisco garter snake (*Thamnophis sirtalis tetrataenia*) may be present in the Biological Study Area (BSA) and could be impacted as a result of Project activities. The San Francisco garter snake is fully protected under Fish and Game Code §5050, and as such, may not be taken or possessed at any time, except for scientific purposes.

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Mitigation Measure BIO-1, subsection 4, attempts to address potential impacts to this species as follows:

Within the disturbed areas of the BSA, all burrows that can be potentially occupied by CRLF and SFGS shall be hand-excavated by a qualified biologist who holds current permits to handle these species, prior to the start of construction activities. If CRLF or SFGS are found, the United States Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) and California Department of Fish and Wildlife shall be consulted to determine an appropriate course of action. Actions could include the relocation of the animal to nearby habitat, and compensatory mitigation for removal of occupied habitat.

Please note that authorized take under a Scientific Collecting Permit is limited to scientific research approved by CDFW. While possession of a Scientific Collecting Permit for a particular species may be an indication that a biologist has particular expertise with that species, the Scientific Collecting Permit allows handling only pursuant to the approved research project(s) indicated in the permit. The Permittee cannot legally handle the species for other purposes, such as relocation activities. Please refer to our website for further information on the Scientific Collecting Permit: <a href="https://www.wildlife.ca.gov/Licensing/Scientific-Collecting">https://www.wildlife.ca.gov/Licensing/Scientific-Collecting</a>.

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Excavation of burrows that may contain San Francisco garter snake should be done with extreme caution. At the first indication that San Francisco garter snakes are present, excavation should immediately cease, and CDFW should be consulted before any further actions are taken. Because handling and other take of fully protected species as part of this Project cannot be authorized under Fish and Game Code, full avoidance must be achieved through measures that would allow the species to passively vacate the site.

Filing Fees

CDFW anticipates that the Project will have an impact on fish and/or wildlife, and assessment of filing fees is necessary (Fish and Game Code, § 711.4; Pub. Resources Code, § 21089). Fees are payable upon filing of the Notice of Determination by the Lead Agency and serve to help defray the cost of environmental review by CDFW.

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If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Randi Adair, Senior Environmental Scientist (Supervisory), at (707) 576-2786 or Randi Adair@wildlife.ca.gov.

Sincerely.

Scott Wilson Regional Manager Bay Delta Region

cc: State Clearinghouse #2016122016

## Response to Comment Letter 1: Scott Wilson, California Department of Fish and Wildlife, Regional Manager, Bay Delta Region

- 1-1 This comment identifies the California Department of Fish and Wildlife's (CDFW's) role as a Trustee Agency, and provides a summary of the Project. No response required.
- 1-2 CDFW's recommendations regarding mitigation for CRLF and SFGS are well-taken. Based on a camera survey of the burrows in question, it was determined that most burrows were shallow, and that none contained amphibians or reptiles. The assessment performed by the City's biological consultants from TRA | MIG determined that the chance of finding a CRLF or SFGS during construction is very low; however, the City included mitigation measures to ensure that impacts are avoided. The Mitigation Measure BIO-2, subsection 4, text in the MND/IS is revised as follows:

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A qualified biologist shall inspect the area inside of the fence for CRLF and SFGS every day before construction activities commence. If any special-status species are found, construction activities shall not be allowed to start and the USFWS and CDFW shall be consulted on an appropriate course of action. Such action could include leaving the animal alone to move away on its own-or the relocation of the animal to an area outside of the BSA.

The Mitigation Measure BIO-2, subsection 10, text has been modified as follows:

If an animal is found at the work site and is believed to be a protected species, work must be halted and the project biologist contacted for guidance. Care must be taken not to harm or harass the species. No wildlife species shall be handled and/or removed from the Project area by anyone except qualified biologists in consultation with CDFW/USFWS as appropriate and in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.

1-3 The City shall submit the CDFW filing fee at the time of filing the Notice of Determination with the County of San Mateo County Clerk pursuant to California Public Resources Code Section 21089.

### Comment Letter 2: Patricia Maurice, California Department of Transportation District Branch Chief, Local Development - Intergovernmental Review

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Ms. O Connor Planning Department City of Pacifica 1800 Francisco Blvd. Pacifica, CA 94044

## City of Pacifica Wet Weather Flow Equalization Basin Project– Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration

Dear Ms. O'Connor:

Thank you for including the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) in the environmental review process for the City of Pacifica Wet Weather Flow Equalization Basin Project. In tandem with the Metropolitan Transportation Commission's (MTC) Sustainable Communities Strategy (SCS), the Caltrans' mission signals a modernization of our approach to evaluate and mitigate impacts to the State Transportation Network (STN). Caltrans' Strategic Management Plan 2015-2020 aims to reduce Vehicle Miles Travelled (VMT) by tripling bicycle and doubling both pedestrian and transit travel by 2020. Our comments are based on the Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND)/Initial Study (IS) dated December 2016. The Notice of Intent to adopt the above reference MND states that the public review period ends January 13, 2017.

#### Project Understanding

The City of Pacifica intends to construct and utilize the proposed wet weather flow equalization basin ("the EQ basin") and associated pipelines (together referred to as "the Project") as a key element to mitigate storm-related sanitary sewer overflows (SSOs) in the City's wastewater collection system and reduce peak wet weather flows to the City's Calera Creek Water Recycling Plant. The Project would include:

- The installation of a 2.1-million-gallon capacity EQ basin.
- Two diversion structures to passively divert excess flows from the existing Linda Mar Boulevard and Arguello Boulevard sanitary sewer lines and transport the flow via a

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conveyance pipeline to the EQ basin during storm events.

- An effluent conveyance pipeline routing flows to the existing Crespi Drive sanitary sewer line and the Linda Mar Pump Station.
- A 10-foot tall motor control center building equipped with a 4-foot-high metal antenna that would allow radio communication with the City's Calera Waste Water Treatment Plant and the Linda Mar Pump Station.
- A ventilation and odor-control system, and
- A potable-water-supplied cleaning system within the EQ basin.

The proposed two diversion structures and conveyance pipelines to and from the EQ basin would be constructed in City-owned right-of-way (ROW) or public utility easements.

The project location is about 400 feet from State Route (SR) 1 via Crespi Drive and about 900 feet from SR 1 via Linda Mar Boulevard. Project construction is anticipated to occur during a 17-month period starting in May 2017 and ending in late September 2018. Construction would occur on weekdays and would avoid peak traffic for coastal visitors, which is concentrated on weekends in the spring and fall. A maximum of approximately 120 trips per day would be generated during construction. Construction hours would be limited to the following:

- Within the EQ basin area (Skatepark parking lot area including the excavation for the jacking and receiving pits): 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday
- Along City streets (except at the intersection of Linda Mar Boulevard and De Solo Drive): 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
- At the intersection of Linda Mar Boulevard and De Solo Drive: 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Weekend and night work is not anticipated.

### Project Description

Further clarification is requested on whether the construction staging areas referenced in Mitigation Measure TRANS-1 will require crossing SR 1.

### Lead Agency

As the lead agency, the City of Pacifica is responsible for all project mitigation, including any needed improvements to the STN. The project's fair share contribution, financing, scheduling, implementation responsibilities and lead agency monitoring should be fully discussed for all proposed mitigation measures. This includes any required improvements to the STN or reductions in VMT. Required improvements should be completed prior to issuance of the Building Permit. Since the Department will not issue an Encroachment Permit until our concerns are adequately addressed, we strongly recommend that the City of Pacifica work with both the applicant and the Department to ensure that our concerns are resolved during the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) process, and in any case prior to submittal of a permit application. See the end of this letter for more information on the Encroachment Permit process.

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### Transportation Management Plan

Where vehicular, bicycle, and pedestrian traffic may be impacted during the construction of the proposed project requiring traffic restrictions and detours, a Caltrans-approved Transportation Management Plan (TMP) is required. Pedestrian and bicycle access through the construction zone must be maintained at all times and comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) regulations (see Caltrans' Temporary Pedestrian Facilities Handbook for maintaining pedestrian access and meeting ADA requirements during construction at:

http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/construc/safety/Temporary Pedestrian Facilities Handbook.pdf (See also Caltrans' Traffic Operations Policy Directive 11-01 "Accommodating Bicyclists in Temporary Traffic Control Zones" at: www.dot.ca.gov/trafficops/policy/11-01.pdf).

All curb ramps and pedestrian facilities located within the limits of the project are required to be brought up to current ADA standards as part of this project. The TMP must also comply with the requirements of corresponding jurisdictions. For further TMP assistance, please contact the Caltrans District 4 Office of Traffic Management Operations at (510) 286-4579. Further traffic management information is available at the following website:

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### Cultural Resources

No cultural resources studies were conducted in support of this IS-MND. Although the City of Pacifica reviewed their General Plan, aerial photos, and various registers for cultural resources in the project location vicinity (pages 103 and 104), this does not constitute a cultural resources study. The project area has a very high potential for surface archaeological resources. We recommend that the City conduct a cultural resources study, including a records search at the Northwest Information Center of the California Historical Resources Information System (CHRIS) at Sonoma State University, a survey of the project location by a qualified archaeologist, and possible subsurface testing appropriate for the scope of the project.

On page 23 of the IS-MND, the text states that the City has not received any requests for tribes to be placed on the agency's consultation notification list for CEQA projects, per Assembly Bill 52, and that tribal consultation was not conducted. However, Native Americans had a year (July 1, 2015 to July 1, 2016) to submit such letters to agencies, and during the interim it was recommended that agencies refer to the list of Native American contacts generated as a result of Senate Bill 18 or to contact the Native American Heritage Commission (NAHC) to identify tribes, groups, and individuals who may have knowledge of the project area. We recommend that the City of Pacifica conduct Native American consultation in support of the project.

### Transportation Permit

Project work that requires movement of oversized or excessive load vehicles on State roadways requires a Transportation Permit that is issued by Caltrans. To apply, a completed Transportation

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Permit application with the determined specific route(s) for the shipper to follow from origin to destination must be submitted to:

Caltrans Transportation Permits Office 1823 14th Street Sacramento, CA 95811-7119.

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See the following website for more information about Transportation Permits:

http://www.dot.ca.gov/trafficops/permits/index.html

### Encroachment Permit

Please be advised that any work or traffic control that encroaches onto the State ROW requires an Encroachment Permit that is issued by Caltrans. Traffic-related mitigation measures should be incorporated into the construction plans prior to the encroachment permit process. To apply, a completed Encroachment Permit application, the adopted environmental document, and five (5) sets of plans clearly indicating State ROW must be submitted to the address below. Traffic-related mitigation measures should be incorporated into the construction plans prior to the encroachment permit process.

David Salladay, District Office Chief Office of Permits, MS 5E California Department of Transportation, District 4 P.O. Box 23660 Oakland, CA 94623-0660

See the following website for more information:

http://www.dot.ca.gov/trafficops/ep/index.html

Thank you again for including Caltrans in the environmental review process. Should you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Jannette Ramirez at 510-286-5535 or jannette.ramirez@dot.ca.gov.

Sincerely.

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District Branch Chief

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Response to Comment Letter 2: Patricia Maurice, California Department of Transportation District Branch Chief, Local Development - Intergovernmental Review

- 2-1 This comment identifies the California Department of Transportation's (Caltrans') understanding of the Project. No response required.
- 2-2 Staging areas for equipment and materials for the EQ basin and pipeline construction would be located within the areas identified in Figure 7, Proposed Staging Areas. Materials for use in the pipeline construction in the area south of the EQ basin would be transported along City streets so as to reduce the number of trips from the staging area to the construction area. SR-1 would not be used by trucks to transport materials from the staging areas to the pipeline construction.
- 2-3 The Project would not include work in the State Transportation Network (STN), and would use the STN only for the transportation of workers, equipment, and materials to the Project.
- 2-4 The Project would not require restrictions or detours to the STN.
- 2-5 The Project would primarily occur within a previously disturbed and paved area. In 2009, a CHRIS search covering the City of Pacifica was performed and did not identify the potential for significant environmental impacts to cultural resources on the Project site.<sup>2</sup> Additionally, construction in 2004/2005 for the Skatepark, which is located on the same lot and immediately adjacent to the EQ basin, did not result in the discovery of significant cultural resources. Lastly, a consultant did complete a surface survey of all unpaved areas as part of the biological resources analysis and did not find any cultural artifacts at that time.

CEQA documents prepared by Caltrans for the Highway 1 San Pedro Bridge Replacement Project determined that there would be no impacts on cultural resources. While the City understands that the Highway 1 San Pedro Bridge Replacement Project does not overlap with the proposed Project area, the sites are only approximately one-quarter mile apart and augering performed at the Highway 1 San Pedro Bridge Replacement Project in 2011 did not identify a significant potential to impact cultural resources.<sup>3</sup>

The existing disturbed conditions of the site, surface surveying of site, results of nearby cultural testing, findings from a 2009 CHRIS search, a review of aerial photographs of the site, and review of the General Plan, as well as the implementation of the mitigation measures identified in the MND/IS, all support the City's determination that the proposed Project would have a less than significant impact on cultural resources.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> City of Pacifica. 2014. Pacifica General Plan Draft Environmental Impact Report. SCH No. 2012022046. Prepared by Dyett & Bhatia. March.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> City of Pacifica. 2012. Highway 1 San Pedro Creek Bridge Replacement IS/MND Addendum. SCH No. 2005012126. Prepared by TRA Environmental Sciences, Inc. November

As stated in the Draft MND/IS, to date, the City of Pacifica has not received any applicable tribal consultation requests per Assembly Bill 52. The release of this Draft MND was well after the end of the Native American notification "grace period" identified in your comment. No Native American consultation was conducted in response to your comment.

- 2-6 Comment noted.
- 2-7 Comment noted. The Project would not encroach into the STN.

### Comment Letter 3: Mike O'Connell

From: mike@roundhouseindustries.com [mailto:mike@roundhouseindustries.com]

Sent: Wednesday, December 14, 2016 9:03 AM

To: O'Connor, Bonny Cc: Wehrmeister, Tina Subject: EQ Basin

Hi Bonny

I'm not able to attend the meeting about the EQ basin tomorrow but I had one question I would like to submit. Does the project incorporate any features that make it resilient to sea level rise? I'm working on a lot of projects on the bay in SF where we are required to design for 16" of sea level rise initially and we also need to provide an adaptive management strategy for how to deal with sea level rise beyond 16" if that were to occur. There is more info on BCDC's website about the amount of predicted sea level rise. I understand that the bottom of this structure is indefinitely below sea level so my concern is that it doesn't get submerged in the future.

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Thanks,

Mike

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### Response to Comment Letter 3: Mike O'Connell

1-1 Consideration of sea level rise was made during the site selection process for the Project. The proposed location was found to be less vulnerable to sea level rise due to its location east of State Route 1. See RMC's City of Pacifica Wet Weather Equalization Basin Site Feasibility Evaluation Final Report and Site Alternative 2C and Prioritization Addendum to Site Feasibility Evaluation Report available online <a href="http://www.cityofpacifica.org/depts/wwt/waste\_water\_collection/default.asp">http://www.cityofpacifica.org/depts/wwt/waste\_water\_collection/default.asp</a> for more information.

The CEQA requirement for an environmental document to analyze the "environmental effects" of a project does not require agencies to analyze the environment's effects on a project. In California Bldg. Industry Assn. v. Bay Area Air Quality Management Dist., 62 Cal.4th 369 (2015), the California Supreme Court held that in light of CEQA's text, structure, and purpose, a general requirement for an analysis of how existing environmental conditions will affect a project's future users or residents would improperly expand the scope of the statute and add significantly to the burdens of compliance. As the court put it: "Given the sometimes costly nature of the analysis required under CEQA when an EIR is required, such an expansion would tend to complicate a variety of residential, commercial, and other projects beyond what a fair reading of the statute would support."

In keeping with this California Supreme Court decision, an analysis of sea level rise on the Project is not mandated as part of the CEQA process. However, as explained above, such a review was indeed undertaken as part of the site selection process.

### Comment Letter 4: Lori Bowie



### City of Pacifica

Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration/Initial Study of the Proposed Wet Weather Equalization Basin Project

### Public Comment Period December 8, 2016 - January 13, 2017

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### Response to Comment Letter 4: Lori Bowie

- 4-1 The objective of the Project is to address insufficient capacity-caused SSOs. The Project would not remove local residences from the flood zone as defined by the Federal Emergency Management Agency. Insurance payments are not a CEQA-related issue and therefore are not addressed in the MND/IS.
- 4-2 This question is assumed to address the Linda Mar Pump Station at the time of the public meeting (December 15, 2016) when the comment form was received. The proposed Project would not change the existing function of the Linda Mar Pump Station; therefore, the status of the Linda Mar Pump Station is beyond the scope of this CEQA document.
- 4-3 Comment noted, and the feedback is appreciated.

### Comment Letter 5: Eamon Murphy

From: Eamon Murphy [mailto:emurphy@homesiteservices.net]

Sent: Friday, December 16, 2016 9:49 AM

To: O'Connor, Bonny

Cc: Engineering Division; Brendan Murphy

Subject: RE: Wet Weather Equalization Basin Project Public Meeting - Follow-up

Hi Bonny,

Great job last night on the presentation. As you may know, our development at 570 Crespi Dr. will be in need of approximately 1500 square yards of soil to bring our property out of the flood zone for development. We have reached out to Rob Smith and Van Ocampo regarding our willingness to work with the city to make the transfer of the soil from your property to ours seamless.

It is our belief that this partnership is in the best interest of everyone. Bringing the city's 40' portion of property, adjacent to our lot, up and out of the flood zone in conjunction with our 80' section simply makes sense. By working together we can mitigate traffic issues, costs of off-haul, and most importantly the timing of this project. We also believe it will generate goodwill within the community.

We would appreciate a meeting with Planning and Engineering to discuss this is further detail. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Regards, Eamon Murphy 60 Driftwood Cir. 5-1

### Response to Comment Letter 5: Eamon Murphy

3-1 The amount of soil requested by the commenter is an insignificant amount of the approximately 20,000 cubic yards of soil that would be off-hauled from the site as a part of the Project. Therefore, transfer of the requested amount of soil on the commenter's property would have little beneficial effect on the overall cost of the Project, project timing, and the already less-than-significant impact on traffic. Currently, there are several unknown factors associated with transferring the soil to the Commenter's property, which could result in a delay to the City's schedule. Therefore, the City respectfully declines the commenter's offer. No change to the Project Description is proposed.

### REVISIONS TO THE DRAFT MND/IS

The changes to the Draft MND/IS presented in this section of the Final MND/IS are either initiated by the City (Lead Agency) staff or made in response to public comments received on the Draft MND/IS. Changes consisted of additions, revisions, or clarifications to descriptive information presented in the Draft MND/IS. None of the changes affected the original findings or determinations of the Draft MND/IS. Throughout this section, newly added text is shown in single <u>underline</u> format and deleted text is shown in <u>strikethrough</u> format. For changes specifically initiated by comments received on the Draft MND/IS, the numeric designator for the comment is indicated in [brackets] prior to its description.

Changes are listed generally in the order in which they would appear in the Draft MND/IS document. As indicated in the Introduction section, the entirety of the Final MND/IS consists of the Draft MND/IS and this document. Thus, the changes to the Draft MND/IS presented in this section incorporate and supersede the text of the Draft MND/IS.

## MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION: Mitigation Measures and Applicant Proposed Measures

The City has revised the text of Mitigation Measure AQ-1 to clarify that dust control requirements apply to both the general contractor and subcontractors (page 6):

AQ-1: The <u>Project's selected general</u> contractor <u>and their subcontractors</u> shall <u>implement include</u> basic measures to control dust and exhaust during construction, as recommended by the Bay Area Air Quality Management District (BAAQMD). During any construction period with ground disturbance, the Project's <u>general</u> contractor <u>and their subcontractors</u> shall implement the following BAAQMD-recommended best management practices (BMPs):

The City has revised the text of Mitigation Measure AQ-1, subsection 3, for clarification of meaning (page 6):

3. All visible mud or dirt tracked -out-onto adjacent public roads shall be removed using wet power vacuum street sweepers at least once per day. The use of dry power sweeping or washing down paved streets using potable water is prohibited.

The City has revised the text of Applicant Proposed Measure APM-1 for clarification of meaning (page 7):

APM-1: During construction, the selected <u>Project's general</u> contractor shall use off-road equipment that would meet, at minimum, the following criteria:

and

Alternatively, prior to construction, the <u>selected Project's general contractor</u> may develop a plan, verified by a qualified air specialist and approved by the City, which ensures that the off-road equipment used onsite to construct the Project would achieve a fleet-wide average 75 percent reduction in PM10 exhaust emissions, compared to uncontrolled aggregate statewide emission rates for similar equipment.

The City has revised the text of Mitigation Measure BIO-1 for clarification of meaning (page 8):

BIO-1: The City shall implement the following measures or designate implementation of these measures to the Project's general contractor prior to construction:

The City has revised the text of Mitigation Measure BIO-2 for clarification of meaning (page 8):

BIO-2: The City shall implement the following measures or designate implementation of these measures to the Project's general contractor:

1. A qualified biologist shall assist with the placement of wildlife exclusion fencing, and verify that stormwater protection measures to protect adjacent undeveloped areas are in place prior to construction. The biologist shall be provided the contact information of the SWPPP Project's general contractor Qualified SWPPP Developer (QSD), and vice versa.

The City has revised the text of Mitigation Measure BIO-2, subsection 4, for clarification of the allowed activities associated with biological monitoring (page 9):

Within the disturbed areas of the BSA, all burrows that can be potentially occupied by CRLF and SFGS shall be hand-excavated with extreme caution by a qualified biologist who holds in possession of a scientific collecting permit. current permits to handle these species, prior to the start of construction activities At the first indication of CRLF or SFGS present, excavation shall immediately cease, and If CRLF or SFGS are found, the United States Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) and California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) shall be consulted before any further actions are taken to determine an appropriate course of action. Actions could include the relocation of the animal to nearby habitat, and compensatory mitigation for removal of occupied habitat. Because handling and other take of SFGS, a Fully Protected Species, cannot be authorized under California Fish and Game Code, full avoidance must be achieved through measures that would allow the species to passively vacate the site.

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If an animal is found at the work site and is believed to be a protected species, work must be halted and the project biologist contacted for guidance. Care must be taken not to harm or harass the species. No wildlife species shall be handled and/or removed from the Project area by anyone except qualified biologists in consultation with CDFW/USFWS as appropriate and in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.

The City has revised the text of Mitigation Measure HAZ-1, subsection b, for clarification of meaning (page 12):

(b) The construction Project's general contractor shall require that all site workers (including subcontractors) be trained in identifying contaminated soil and/or groundwater.

The City has revised the text of Mitigation Measure HAZ-2 to clarify that the Project's general contractor shall incorporate all BMPs in the QSD developed SWPPP (page 13):

HAZ-2: The selected Project's general contractor and their subcontractors shall be required to use BMPs to minimize the potential for releases of hazardous materials to groundwater, surface water, and soil. The BMPs shall be outlined in the general contractor's Work Plan SWPPP document that will be prepared by their QSD and provided-submitted to the City's Construction Manager, as well as the SWPPP, and uploaded to the State Water Quality Resource Board's (SWRCB) SMART database as required under the SWCRB's SWRCB Construction General Permit for Construction Activities. The Work Plan SWPPP shall include BMPs that accomplish the following:

The City has revised the text of Mitigation Measure HYDRO-1 for clarification of location of groundwater monitoring (page 14):

Monitoring of groundwater levels perpendicular in the piezometer PZ-1 that is located in the vicinity of to the proposed excavation zone shall be required to verify the assumptions used to calculate potential settlements.

The City has revised the text of Applicant Proposed Measure APM-2 for clarification of meaning (page 16):

APM-2: The <u>Project's general</u> contractor shall be required to construct temporary noise barriers to shield stationary noise sources (e.g., tunneling equipment) from nearby receptors.

### **INITIAL STUDY: Project Description**

The text identified that a total of four heritage trees had been identified for removal in the area east of the driveway entrance to the Skatepark parking lot, and referenced Figure 8 showing the location of the trees. Figure 8 showed a total of seven trees in this area, and accurately reflects the tree removal plan. Additionally, during the storm event on January 8, 2017, one of the trees that was planned for removal as part of the Project fell down. The text has been modified to reflect that the Project would result in the removal of six rather than four trees east of the driveway entrance (page 56):

Additionally, the Project includes the use of the area to the east of the intersection of Crespi Drive and the driveway entrance to the Skatepark parking lot for staging and laydown, which would require the removal of four six heritage trees as shown on Figure 8.

and (page 57):

Following completion of the construction of the Project, the removed trees would be replaced at a minimum ratio of 1:1, meaning that a total of at least eight ten trees would be planted to replace the eight ten removed trees.

**Figure 8** has been modified to reflect that the removal of the tree that fell on January 8, 2017, is no longer included in the Project (see next page).

Figure 8 Proposed Tree Removal

### **INITIAL STUDY**

The City has revised the text of the Initial Study to reflect the changes to the following mitigation measures and applicant proposed measures as identified in the MND discussion above: AQ-1, APM-1, BIO-1, BIO-2 (including subsections 4, 6, and 10), HAZ-1, HAZ-2, HYDRO-1, and APM-2.

### APPENDIX E: Mitigation Monitoring Plan and Reporting Program Checklist

The City has revised the text of the Mitigation Monitoring Plan and Reporting Program Checklist to reflect the changes to the following mitigation measures and applicant proposed measures as identified in the MND discussion above: AQ-1, APM-1, BIO-1, BIO-2 (including subsections 4, 6, and 10), HAZ-1, HAZ-2, HYDRO-1, and APM-2.

The City has revised the Mitigation Monitoring Plan and Reporting Program Checklist to include the following information. The revised Mitigation Monitoring Plan and Reporting Program Checklist is provided as Appendix A to this document.

- Parties responsible for implementation
- Parties responsible for verification of implementation
- Form of verification required
- Additional comments / instructions for implementation

# **APPENDIX A**MITIGATION MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM CHECKLIST

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AES-1: The Tree Protection Plan prepared by the City (or designee) shall include a schedule and replacement ratio for heritage tree removal. The Tree Protection Plan shall require that replacement trees shall be placed as closely as feasible to the removal sites in order to return aesthetics to pre-project conditions.		Project General Contractor					
	One time	(City shall include these measures on all appropriate bid, contract, and engineering / site plans)	Project Construction Manager	City Arborist's confirmation of planting completion	The Tree Protection Plan is a requirement of the Ctty's Heritage Tree Permit.		
AQ-1: The Project's general contractor and their subcontractors shall implement basic measures to control dust and exhaust during construction, are recommended by the Bay Area Air Quality Management District (BAAQMD). During any construction period with ground disturbance, the Project's general contractor and their subcontractors shall implement the following BAAQMD-recommended best management paractices (BMPs):							-
<ol> <li>All exposed non-hardscaped surfaces (e.g., temporary parking areas, staging areas, soil piles, graded areas, and unpaved access roads) shall be watered appropriately to maintain a damp condition.</li> <li>All haul trucks transporting soil, sand, or other loose material offsite shall be covered.</li> </ol>						***************************************	
<ol> <li>All visible mud or dirt tracked onto adjacent public roads shall be removed using wet power vacuum street sweepers at least once per day. The use of dry power sweeping or washing down paved streets using potable water is prohibited.</li> </ol>		Project General Contractor		Project Construction	A V A TO SO O		***************************************
4. All vehicle speeds on unpaved roads shall be limited to 15 miles per hour. 5. All roadways, driveways, and sidewalks to be paved shall be completed as soon as possible. Building pads shall be laid as soon as possible after grading unless seeding or soil binders are used.	Ongoing during project construction	(City shall include these measures on all appropriate bid, contract,	Project Construction Manager	Manager, or designee, shall document at least on a weekly basis that BMPs are being			
<ul> <li>b. Idling times shall be minimized either by shutting equipment off when not in use of reducing the maximum idling time to 5 minutes (as required by the California airborne toxics control measure Title 13, Section 2485 of California Code of Regulations (CCR)). Clear signage with these requirements shall be provided for construction workers at all access points.</li> </ul>		and engineering / site plans)		implemented.	A STATE OF THE STA		
7. All construction equipment shall be maintained and properly tuned in accordance with manufacturer's specifications. All equipment shall be checked by a certified mechanic and determined to be running in proper condition prior to operation.							
8. A publicky visible sign shall be posted with the telephone number and person to contact at the Lead Agency regarding dust complaints. This person shall respond and take corrective action within 48 hours. The BAAQMD's phone number shall also be visible to ensure compliance with applicable regulations.							

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BIO-1: The City shall implement the following measures or designate implementation of these measures to the Project's general contractor prior to construction:  1. Post signage indicating that travel and parking of vehicles and equipment must be limited to pavement, existing roads, and previously disturbed areas.  2. Include provisions in the Project Plans detailing the areas that have been found to be acceptable for disturbance (i.e., previously disturbed areas and those within the Biological Study Area [BSA]). The contractor shall not disturbance (i.e., previously disturbed areas and those within the Biological Study Area [BSA]). The contractor shall not disturbance (i.e., previously disturbed areas and those within the Biological Study Area [BSA]). The contractor shall not disturb no remove vegetation only accounts and conditions upon completion of work Restoration work including re-vegetation and soil stabilization shall be evaluated upon completion of work and performed as needed.  3. The City shall ensure that the stormwarter Dollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) prepared and implemented for the project shall include measures that:  • minimize erosion and/or prevent water-borne silt from being deposited in adjacent undeveloped areas; and • prevent waste and/or construction materials from getting into the adjacent undeveloped areas; and • control and prevent the discharge of all potential pollutants, including hazardous materials, soild wastes, paints, concrete, petroleum products, chemicals, wash water or sediment, and non-stormwater discharges to adjacent undeveloped areas via storm drains, water courses, or sheet flow.	Post prior to start of construction and maintain during project construction  One time during post construction  Prepare prior to construction and implement during construction implement during construction	Project General Contractor (City shall include these measures on all appropriate bid, contract, and engineering / site	Project Construction Manager	Project Construction Manager, or designee, shall document at least on a weekly basis that BMPs are being implemented.			
BIOL: The Livy shall implement the following measures or designate implementation of these measures to the Project's general contractor:  1. A qualified biologist shall assist with the placement of wildlife exclusion fencing, and verify that stormwater protection measures to protect adjacent undeveloped areas are in place prior to construction. The biologist shall be provided the contact information of the Project's general contractor Qualified SWPPP Developer (QSD), and vice versa.  2. Before the contractors, their employees, or any persons start any work onsite, each worker shall participate in an employee education program, consisting of a brief presentation to explain biological resources on the Project site, which shall be conducted by a qualified biologist. The program shall include the following:  a. a description of relevant special status species, nesting birds, and bats along with their habitat needs as they pertain to the BSA;  b. a report of the occurrence of these species in the Project vicinity, as applicable;  c. an explanation of the status of these species and their protection under the federal and state regulations;  d. a list of measures being taken to reduce potential impacts to natural resources during project construction and implementation;  e. instructions if a special-status species is found onsite; and federal law related to these species.  A fact sheet conveying this information shall be prepared and federal law related to these species.  A fact sheet conveying this information shall be prepared and distributed to the above-mentioned people and anyone else whon may enter the work areas within the BSA. Upon completion of training, employees is all sign a form stating that they city on a monthly basis.		Install prior to and maintain during and maintain during construction Prior to workers starting City and City's Contractor (Biologist)	Project Construction Manager City's Contractor (Biologist) to provide training logs to Project Construction Manager	Written record of placement of wildlife exclusion fencing and SWPPP BMPs.  SWPPP BMPs.  Review training logs on a monthly basis to ensure training of all employees			
3. A qualified biologist shall conduct a pre-construction survey within the Project area for the presence of the California red legged frog (CRLF) and/or the San Francisco garter snake (SFGS). The survey shall be conducted immediately prior to the initial onset of Project activities. If any special-status species are found, work shall not commence until the appropriate state and/or federal resource agencies are contacted and avoidance and mitigation measures are in place.	Prior to construction	City and City's Contractor (Biologist)	City's Contractor (Biologist) to provide survey documentation to Project Construction Manager	Written record of survey results and consultation with USFWS or CDFW, if applicable			

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4. Within the disturbed areas of the BSA, all burrows that can be occupied by CRLF and SFGS shall be hand-excavated with extreme caution by a qualified bologist in possession of a scientific collecting permit. At the first indication of CRLF or SFGS present, excavation shall immediately case, and the United States Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) and california Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) shall be consulted before any further actions are taken. Because handling and other take of SFGS, a Fully Protected Species, cannot be authorized under California Fish and Game Code, full avoidance must be achieved through measures that would allow the species to passively vacate the site.	S Prior to constriction in BSA	Citty &	City's Contractor (Biologist) to provide documentation of hand- excavation to Project Construction Manager	Written record of hand- excavation activities and observations, and consultation with USFWS or CDFW, if applicable			
5. A wildlife exclusion/environmental fence (with escape routes, such as exit funnels) shall be erected around active construction areas to prevent the movement of animals into active construction areas under oversight by a qualified biologist. During construction, the fence shall be checked every day before construction activities commence for damage, breaks, or trapped wildlife. Any damage to the fence shall be repaired in a timely manner. The qualified biologist overseeing the placement of wildlife exclusion fencing shall ensure placement of the fence so that a minimum 3-foot-wide wildlife corridor remains open between the south end of the Skatepark parking lot and the residential fences.	Install prior to construction and monitor and maintain during construction	City and City's Contractor (Biologist)	City's Contractor (Biologist) to provide record of daily check to Project Construction Manager	Written record of daily checks and repairs			
6. A qualified biologist shall inspect the area inside of the fence for CRLF and SFGS every day before construction activities commence. If any special-status species are found, construction activities shall not be allowed to start and the USFWS and CDFW shall be consulted on an appropriate course of action. Such action could include leaving the animal alone to move away on its own.	Ongoing during project construction	City and City's Contractor (Biologist)	City's Contractor (Biologist) to provide record of daily check to Project Construction Manager	Written record of daily checks and consultation with USFWS or CDFW, if applicable			
7. When construction and construction-related activities (including, but not limited to, mobilization and staging, clearing, grubbing, vegetation removal, fence installation, demolition, and grading noise) occur during the avian nesting season (from ebruary 1 to August 31 for passerines and January 1 to September 15 for raptors), all suitable habitats located within the Project's area of disturbance, including staging and storage areas plus a 250-foot (passerines) and 1,000-foot (raptor nests) buffer around these areas, shall be thoroughly surveyed, as feasible, for the presence of active nests by a qualified biologist no more than five days before commencement of any site disturbance activities and equipment mobilization. If project activities are delayed by more than five days, an additional nesting bird survey shall be performed. Active nesting is present if an id is building a nest, sithing in a nest, a nest has eggs or chicks in it, or adults are observed carrying food to the nest. The results of the surveys shall be documented and provided to the City's Planning Department. If pre-construction nesting build surveys identify potential impacts to active nests, no site disturbance and mobilization of heavy edulpment shall take place within a buffer determined by the biologist in consultation, it can also be determined what low-impact construction activities are allowed within the buffer. The buffer shall be in place until the chicks have fledged. Monitoring shall be required to ensure compliance with the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (MBIA) and California Fish and Game Code. Monitoring dates and findings shall be documented and provided to the City's Planning Department.	One time, 5 days prior to construction during nesting season	City and City's Contractor (Biologist)	City's Contractor (Biologist) to provide record of survey and monitoring of active nests to Project Construction Manager and Planning Department.	Written record of survey and monitoring results.			
8. A preconstruction survey of trees within the developed and disturbed areas of the BSA shall be conducted by a qualified biologist for colony bat roosts within 14 days prior to the onset of project activity, and the survey shall be documented and provided to the City's Planning Department. If an occupied maternity or colony roost is detected, the CDFW shall be consulted to determine appropriate measures, such as bat exclusion methods, if the roost cannot be avoided.	One time, no more than 14 days prior to construction	City and City's Contractor (Biologist)	City's Contractor (Biologist) to provide record of survey to Project Construction Manager and Planning	Written record of survey and consultation with CDFW, if applicable			

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Date Initials Special Instructio Comments/ Manager, or designee, shalf document at least Review training logs on a monthly basis to ensure training of all employees training of all employees Review training logs on a monthly basis to ensure on a weekly basis that Written record of daily Written archaeological Form of Verification report of findings BMPs are being implemented employee training logs to Project Construction Archaeologist) to provide documentation to Project Archaeologist) to provide documentation of daily checks of work area to (Qualified Professional Construction Manager, (Qualified Professional (Biologist) to provide Project Construction (Biologist) to provide Project Construction Planning Department Responsible for Verification documentation of training to Project CHRIS, and the City City's Contractor City's Contractor City's Contractor City's Contractor Manager Manager Manager City and City's Contractor (City shall include these appropriate bid, contract, appropriate bid, contract, City shall include these City and City's Contractor and engineering / site and engineering / site (Qualified Professional cultural resources are City to implement if Responsible for Implementation measures on all measures on all Project General Archaeologist) encountered. Contractor (Biologist) Prior to workers starting Ongoing during project construction and monitor Ongoing during project and maintain during implement during construction and Prepare prior to Install prior to construction construction on work site construction construction Timing biologist contacted for guidance. Care must be taken not to harm or harass the species. No wildlife species shall be handled and/or removed from the Project area by anyone except qualified biologists in consultation with CDFW/USFWS as holes greater than 1 foot deep must be sealed overnight to prevent the entrapment of wildlife. Where holes or trenches cannot be sealed, escape ramps that are no greater than 30% slope shall be positioned such that entrapped wildlife would recovered shall be subject to scientific analysis and/or professional museum curation, and a report shall be prepared by the qualified archaeologist according to current professional standards. Ground disturbance activities shall continue upon CUL-2: Prior to performing ground disturbance activities, all on-site workers shall be trained by a City-approved archaeologist in what cultural resources are, identifying cultural resources, the procedure if a cultural resource is found, and their legal responsibility to protect cultural resources. Training logs shall be provided to the City regularly. 11. The Project specifications, the contractor's work plan, and/or SWPPP shall include provisions to ensure that the use of activities, ground work shall cease at the Project site and discovered materials and their surroundings shall not be altered or monofilament netting, including its use in temporary and permanent erosion control materials, is avoided altogether. All 10. If an animal is found at the work site and is believed to be a protected species, work must be halted and the project collected. A qualified archaeologist or paleontologist shall be consulted as to the significance of the find, and avoidance 9. Food Items may attract wild animals onto the construction site, which would expose them to construction-related be able to escape. The escape ramps should be at least 1 foot wide and covered/fitted with a material that provides CUL-1: In the event that any prehistoric, historic, or paleontological materials are discovered during ground-disturbing containers, wrappers, cigarette butts, and other discarded items) shall be placed in closed containers and properly neasures or appropriate mitigation shall be completed according to CEQA guidelines. Significant cultural materials hazards. The construction site shall be maintained in a clean condition. All trash (e.g., food scraps, cans, bottles, Mitigation Measures and Applicant Proposed Measures lirection from the qualified archaeologist according to current professional standards. appropriate and in accordance with applicable laws and regulations. disposed of. traction.

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HAZ-1: The City shall ensure that:  (a) The construction contractor (or designee) shall conduct a private utility survey for the presence of underground utilities, fill pipes, and underground storage tanks (USTs) prior to excavation within the Skatepark parking lot area, areas of the proposed jacking and receiving pits, and along the proposed locations of the influent and effluent conveyance pipelines. In the event that a UST is identified within the excavation boundaries, the City shall contact an environmental consultant, who shall perform and/or coordinate the investigation for the presence of contamination in accordance with applicable regulations. A report of the findings of the geophysical survey shall be submitted to the City's Construction Manager and City's Public Works Department Ilaison.	One time prior to excavation	ese ract,	Project General Contractor to provide documentation to Project Construction Manager and Public Works Department liaison	Report of findings of the geophysical survey			
<ul> <li>(b) The Project's general contractor shall require that all site workers (including subcontractors) be trained in identifying contaminated soil and/or groundwater. In the event that contaminated soil or groundwater is encountered (either visually or through door detection) during excavation activities, the construction contractor shall follow the procedures below:</li> <li>• Stop work in areas with suspected contaminativities.</li> <li>• Immediately report observations to the City's Construction Manager;</li> <li>• Contact an environmental consultant, who shall perform and/or coordinate the investigation of suspected contamination in accordance with applicable regulations.</li> </ul>	Prior to workers starting on work site	Project General Contractor (City shall include these measures on all appropriate bid, contract, and engineering / site	Project General Contractor to provide training logs to Project Construction Manager	Review training logs on a monthly basis to ensure training of all employees			
(c) If necessary, based on the findings of the environmental consultant, the City's Public Works Department shall notify San Matee County Environmental Health Department, San Francisco Bay RWQCB, and/or the California Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC).	One time, if contaminated soils are discovered	City's Public Works Department liaison	City's Public Works Department liaison to provide documentation of report to Project Construction Manager	Written documentation summarizing notifications made		## (	
(d) if investigation confirms presence of contamination, the environmental consultant shall perform and/or coordinate appropriate site investigation and cleanup procedures in accordance with regulatory requirements, including the appropriate segregation and disposal of contaminated soil and groundwater. Once the extents of the contamination have been delineated and the contaminated mareitals (i.e., so il and/or groundwater) have been excavated or otherwise remediated (e.g., in-situ treatment), ground-disturbing activities shall continue.	One time, if contaminated soils are discovered	City and City's Contractor (Environmental Consultant)	City's Public Works Department liaison to provide documentation of investigation and cleanup, as applicable, to Project Construction Manager	Written documentation of investigation and cleanup			

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HAZ-2: The Project's general contractor and their subcontractors shall be required to use BMPs to minimize the potential for releases of hazardous materials to groundwater, surface water, and soil. The BMPs shall be outlined in the general contractor's SWPP document that will be prepared by their CSD submitted to the City's Construction Manager and uploaded to the State Water Quality Resource Board's (SWRCB) SMART database as required under the SWCRB's General Permit for Construction Activities. The SWPPP shall include BMPs that accomplish the following:  Permit for Construction Activities. The SWPPP shall include BMPs that accomplish the following:  Provisions for training the site workers on the proper storage and handling of hazardous substances, such as fuels, lubricants, paints, paints, and solvents. Training logs shall be provided to the City regularly.  Provisions for training the site workers on the proper storage and handling of hazardous substances, such as fuels, lubricants, paints, paints, and solvents. Training logs shall be provided to the City regularly.  Provision for commendation of pedestrial may and Zoning Department shall be informed who the City's Construction Manager. The Construction Manager shall determine the cause of the complaints and shall take proper action to correct the problem. The City's Planning and Zoning Department shall be informed who the City's Construction Manager is prior to the issuance of the first permit issued by Building Services.  Prior to construction, a portable toilet facility and a debris box shall be installed on the site and properly maintained through project completion.	Prepare prior to construction and implement during construction	Project General Contractor (City shall include these measures on all appropriate bid, contract, and engineering / site plans)	Project General Contractor to provide Work Plan and SWIPP to Project Construction Manager	Review of Work Plan and SWPP for BMPs that accomplish the requirements identified in the measure			
HYDRO-1: The general contractor shall develop a dewatering plan and obtain any necessary permits for performing dewatering. The dewatering bash shall include methods to manage the potential environmental impacts that dewatering activities might have. The dewatering landled the following at a minimum.  • a pre-dewatering topographic survey with a minimum vertical accuracy of 0.01 foot, this survey can be utilized and an additional topographic survey would not be required.)  • a photographic survey would not be required.)  • a photographic survey would not be required.)  • a pre-construction properation of survey may be an infimum vertical accuracy of 0.01 foot, this survey can be utilized and an additional topographic survey would not be required.)  • pre-construction of structures or flatwork in the surrounding area documenting any pre-dewatering damage to the structures or flatwork, including measurements of the widths and lengths of any significant cracks in the structures or flatwork, including measurements of the widths and lengths of distance from the excavation;  • pre-construction evaluation of required groundwater extraction rates and volumes, calculation of the radius of influence of the dewatering wells/sumps and anticipated settlements as a function of distance from the excavation;  • measures to address situations where water resource impacts or excessive settlements are occurring.  Monitoring of groundwater levels in the piezometer PZ-1 that is located in the vicinity of the proposed excavation zone shall be required to verify the assumptions used to calculate potential settlements.	Prepare prior to dewatering and implement during dewatering	Project General Contractor (City shall include these measures on all appropriate bid, contract, and engineering / site plans)	Project General Contractor to provide dewatering plan to Project Construction Manager	Review of dewatering plan to ensure the plan includes the elements identified in the measure			

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PIOSE-21. No construction activities shall be permitted on the weekends or at night. To reduce construction noise levels emanating from the site and minimize disruption and annoyance of existing noise-sensitive receptors in the Project vicinity, the City shall require the selected contractor to develop a Noise Control Plan. This Noise Control Plan shall include, but not be limited to, the following construction BM/Ps:  • All equipment driven by internal combustion engines shall be equipped with mufflers that are in good condition and appropriate for the equipment.  • The construction contractor shall utilize "quiet" models of air compressors and other stationary noise sources where echonically and propriate for the equipment.  • Unnecessary idling of internal combustion engines shall be prohibited.  • Construction caping areas shall be established at locations that would create the greatest distance between the construction regarding areas shall be established at locations that would create the greatest distance between the construction regarding areas shall be established at locations that would create the greatest distance between the construction receptors and receptors as a far from receptors as far seasible. If they must be located near receptors, adequate muffling (with enclosures, where feasible and appropriate) would be used as necessary to comply with local noise ontal muffling (with enclosures, where feasible and appropriate) would be used as necessary to comply with local noise ontal muffling with enclosures, where saible and appropriately would be used as an erceptors.  • Locate material stockpiles, as will as maintenance/equipment staging and parking areas, as far as feasible from residential receptors.  • Neighbors located adjacent to the construction site shall be notified of the construction schedule in writing.  • Designate a project liaison who shall be responsible for responding to noise complaints during construction meeting with the job inspectors and the general contractor's and the inscen	Prepare prior to construction and implement during construction	City and Project General Contractor (City shall include these measures on all appropriate bid, contract, and engineering / site plans) City to ensure that stationary operational equipment complies with local noise ordinance / general plan limits.	Project General Contractor to provide Noise Contractor Plan to Project Construction Manager City to provide documentation of compliance of stationary operational equipment with local noise ordinance / general plan limits to Project Construction Manager	Review of Noise Control Plan and documentation of stationary operational equipment noise levels to ensure they address the elements identified in the measure.  Weekly inspection of equipment to confirm it meets specifications of Noise Control Plan.			
PUB-1: At least 48 hours prior to road closures, the City's Public Works Department (or designee, such as the City's Consultant Construction Manager) shall notify local emergency service providers (Pacifica Police Department at 650-738-7314 and North County Fire Authority at 650-991-8138) of road closures and length of closure. The construction contractor shall obtain encroachment permits from the City's Engineering Department prior to construction-related lane or street parking closures.	48 hours prior to road closures	Project Construction Manager	City Project Construction Management to provide documentation of notification to City Public Works Department Designee	Written documentation of notifications			

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	Prepare prior to construction and implement during construction	Project General Contractor (City shall include these measures on all appropriate bid, contract, and engineering / site plans)	Project General Contractor to provide Traffic Control Plan to Project Construction Manager	Review of Traffic Control Plan to ensure elements identified in measure are addressed	·		
APM-1: During construction, the Project's general contractor shall use off-road equipment that would meet, at minimum, the following criteria:  1. All mobile diese-powered off-road equipment larger than 25 horsepower (hp) and operating on the site for more than 20 hours shall meet, at a minimum, one of the following:  a. Equipped with regines meeting U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) particulate matter emissions standards for Tier 2 engines or equipment (i.e., generators, concrete saws, and pumps) operating on the site for more than 20 hours shall be equipped with CARB-certified Level 3 Diesel Particulate Filters or meet U.S. EPA particulate matter emissions standards for Tier 4 engines or equivalent;  b. All diesel-powered portable equipment (i.e., generators, concrete saws, and pumps) operating on the site for more than 20 hours shall be equipped with CARB-certified Level 3 Diesel Particulate Filters or meet U.S. EPA particulate matter enthan 20 hours shall be equipped with CARB-certified Level 3 Diesel Particulate Filters or meet U.S. EPA particulate matter can sistems some be the use of added exhaust devices, or a combination of measures, provided that these measures are approved by the CITy and demonstrated to reduce community risk impacts to less than significant.  2. Line power shall be utilized as soon as feasible, limiting the use of all diesel-fueled generators, including any dieselpowered welders, used for construction activities exceeding 20 days for each piece of equipment.  Alternatively, prior to construction activities exceeding 20 days for each piece of equipment.  The power are a provided that the off-road equipment used onsite to construct the Project would achieve a filter will deterwide average 75 percent reduction in PM10 exhaust emissions, compared to uncontrolled aggregate statewide emission rates for similar equipment.	ongoing during project	Project General Contractor (City shall include these measures on all appropriate bid, contract, and engineering / site	Project Construction Manager	Monthly inspection of equipment to confirm it is certified in accordance with criteria			
APM-2: The Project's general contractor shall be required to construct temporary noise barriers to shield stationary noise sources (e.g., funding acquipment) from nearby receptors. The barrier shall be a minimum of 16 feet in height and would provide approximately 8 to 10 A-weighted decibels (dal) of attenuation at the first floor, and approximately 5 dBA of attenuation at second and third floors, where the line-of-sight to construction activities is interrupted by the barrier.	Install prior to construction and monitor and maintain during construction	Project General Contractor (City shall include these measures on all appropriate bid, contract, and engineering / site plans)	Project Construction Manager	Written / Photographic documentation of noise barrier installation, and specifications in accordance with the measure			
APM-3: As noted in the Project Description, prior to the flushing and cleaning of the EQ basin, the City's Wastewater Treatment Plant Superintendent, or deputy thereof, shall contact both the North County Fire Department and the North Coast County Water District to alert them of anticipated water usage. If the water usage would impede water service for either of the agencies, the flushing and cleaning of the tank would be delayed until the demand could be met.	Prior to cleaning of EQ basin	City's Wastewater Treatment Plant Superintendent, or deputy	City Public Works Director, or deputy	Written documentation of notifications			

### O'Connor, Bonny

From:

William Booth-Dunbar <william@gardensystems.com>

Sent:

Monday, January 30, 2017 7:35 PM

To:

O'Connor, Bonny; aguilarm@ci.pacifca.ca.us

Subject:

Fwd: Comments on Proposed Wet Weather Equalization Basin

### To Whom It May Concern:

#### I am reaching out as a concerned homeowner at 1003 Anza Dr.

**NOTE:** I understand that we need a solution to the current sanitary overflows and illegal waste discharges that the city is under court order to stop. However, I feel this location endangers wetlands, wildlife, and could cause nuisance to hundreds of people and homes.

To clarify my personal position and find where we can work together I will outline the issues I personally see with this proposal-

### 1. Environmental Impact Report and Pacificas intent to adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration:

I do not see where this project would qualify for the MND/IS exemption under CEQA, maybe you can be of some help in determining if the following factors would be valid objections:

- -Complete change of use from parking lot to sewage storage facility with parking lot
- -Dewatering and lowering of water table
- -Impacts of dewatering and lowering of water table within wetland to the west
- -Impacts on deer, and other wildlife that inhabit the open space to both the east and the west
- -Air quality, pollution, and in particular dust
- -Noise and odor
- -No emergency overflow or flood plan in place

### 2. Negative Impact on Public Goods

The residents and taxpayers of Pacifica have invested millions into the community center and skatepark which both see very heavy traffic and usage. Locating the basin near these community investments may negatively impact and possibly destroy the enjoyment of these spaces with foul odors. It seems shortsighted to put the enjoyment of these areas at risk.

### 5. Negative Impact on Neighbors

- Construction noise
- Odor
- Loss of business for adjacent businesses
- Air quality and methane
- Negatively impacts one of the most used walking routes in Lindamar

### 3. Lack of sufficient documentation that this will actually fix the problem-

Nowhere have I seen the calculations published that were used to estimate the correct size of the basin for the amount of inflow and infiltration of stormwater. Until I see proof that 2.1 million gallons is of adequate size I will be opposed to this project. Also, with the "passive diversion structures" there is no way to stop inflow into the equalization basin if something were to go wrong. If the internal pumps fail, where will all the sewage go?

### 4. No Flood Simulation or Flood Response Plan-

- What happens during a 30yr or 100yr flood? Where does that 2.1 million gallons of sewage go? What will the city do in response?

### 5. No Legal Guarantee That This Will Not Be Used To Store Waste Long Term

- In the last meeting the city promised the basin would **ONLY** be used in wet weather events a few times a year, and we have no legal guarantee or recourse if they change their mind and want to increase capacity by utilizing the 2.1 million gallon tank for general sewer storage.

### 6. Previous History of Poor Decision Making and Lack of Maintenance/Management

- The city of Pacifica has a reputation that speaks for itself concerning past projects and maintenance. Furthermore, I have not seen a maintenance cost estimate to go along with the proposal which as a taxpayer I would like to know.

During a two inch rain event over 95 million gallons drains through the valley, I can't imagine how angry all the taxpayers will be if this 20 million dollar project doesn't actually work.

Thanks again for taking the time,

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### O'Connor, Bonny

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Erin Macias <necesse@comcast.net> Wednesday, February 01, 2017 2:15 PM

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objection to basin

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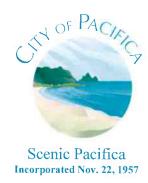
I want to express my objection in writing to the 2.1 million gallon equalization basin at the Community Center. I would like a link to the environmental impact report with regards to air quality. When the Sewage Treatment plant was constructed, the residents were told we would not know it's there. The stench from that plant has a direct environmental impact to the surrounding neighborhood and to the students at Vallemar School. My children attended there from 2006-2015 and the air pollution was an ongoing issue. I am advocating on behalf of the children in this community who should not be subjected to the smell at the Pacifica Skate Park, the Community Center, nor at Cabrillo Elementary.

The wind and topography determine how plumes travel. There are children in the immediate vicinity who will be directly impacted by this basin.

Please provide me a copy of either the EIR and sufficient evidence that 10' vents will maintain the odor plume above the skatepark and that plume will be directed over the ocean 100% of the time. Sincerely,

Erin Macias, Linda Mar

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### PLANNING COMMISSION Staff Report

DATE: February 6, 2017

ITEM: 4

SUBJECT: Annual Report to the City Council

### **BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION:**

The "Resolution Providing for Appointments, Terms, Reporting and Reorganization Requirements for Commission and Committees" adopted on May 13, 2013 stated that annual reports from committees and commissions shall be required. As described in the "Pacifica City Council Subcommittee Report on Committees and Commissions", the annual report should be a summary of the Commission's work for the year and provide an opportunity for Council questions and feedback on Commission activities.

Staff has provided a draft summary of the Commission's work during the 2016 calendar year, which would comprise the written report to City Council (Attachment A).

### COMMISSION ACTION REQUESTED:

Discuss Annual Report and presentation to City Council scheduled for February 27, 2017.

Attachments:

A. Draft Annual Report



# CITY OF PACIFICA PLANNING COMMISSION 2016 ANNUAL REPORT TO THE CITY COUNCIL

The Planning Commission is submitting the following summary of work for 2016.

<b>Commission Members</b>	Term Expires
Josh Gordon, Chair	2019
John Nibbelin, Vice Chair	2017
Jeffery Cooper	2018
Thomas Clifford	2018
Charles (Chuck) Evans	2019
Jack Baringer	2020
Richard Campbell	2020

### **Attendance Record**

	Absences					
<u>Commissioner</u>	2014	Percent of Meetings Held	2015	Percent of Meetings Held	2016	Percent of Meetings Held
Gordon	5	50%	4	24%	4	17%
Nibbelin	2	20%	8	47%	10	43%
Cooper	1	10%	5	29%	5	22%
Clifford				·	2	13%*
Evans	3	30%	2	12%	3	13%
Baringer					1	6%*
Campbell	2	20%	3	18%	3	13%

<sup>\*</sup> Commissioners Clifford and Baringer were appointed mid-year. Percentage based on number of meetings held since appointment.

### **Permit and Commission Activity Report**

- ➤ The Planning Commission heard 8 applications in 2014 (excluding study sessions and permit extensions), 28 applications in 2015, and 29 applications in 2016. These figures do not include appeals to City Council.
- ➤ The Planning Division received 30 new entitlement applications in 2014, 90 in 2015, and 50 in 2016. These figures include all types of entitlement applications including new uses in existing structures or modifications to existing structures.

### ATTACHMENT A

### Building Permits Issued:

Year	Permits Issued	Inspections	Residential Valuation	Commercial Valuation
2014	1,500	3,686	\$9,642,770	\$813,395
2015	1,763	4,600	\$15,378,120	\$2,317,468
2016	1,599	4,241	\$13,933,100	\$8,998,495

### Summary of Significant Items Heard by the Commission in 2016

- > Coastal Development Permits for unsafe structure(s) on Esplanade Avenue
- Study Session on property designated Very Low Density Residential in the General Plan
- Study Session on Redevelopment of the Quarry Property
- Recommended amendments to the Zoning Code related to Massage Businesses
- Pacifica Resource Center Expansion
- Coastal Development Permit for portion of Pedro Point Trail Restoration Project
- Mixed-Use Infill Development at Francisco and Carmel
- Apartment complex at 4000-block of Palmetto
- Coastal Development Permit for Anchor Inn (Pedro Point)
- Study Session for 570 Crespi Drive Mixed-Use Development

### Public Transparency and Participation Initiatives in 2016

- Encourage community outreach prior to Commission meetings as discussed at Council budget sessions.
- On-line access to current project information and dedicated webpages for significant projects such as the Quarry proposal.
- Use online agenda management tool for ease of public access to staff reports (same as City Council agendas). This initiative is in progress.

### Major Projects & City Initiatives in the Pipeline

- Condominium Project on Fassler
- Quarry Reclamation Plan
- Short-term Rental Regulation\*
- Beach Boulevard Development\*
- New Library Project\*
- General Plan Update\*
- Sea Level Rise Adaptation Planning and Local Coastal Plan Update\*
- Housing Element Implementation & Affordable Housing Initiatives\*
- Residential Commercial Linkage Nexus Study\*
- Establish Priority Development Area\*
- Accessory Dwelling Unit ordinance update\*
- Land Use regulation recommendation for non-medical marijuana uses

<sup>\*</sup> Items are on the City Council work plan. The City Council is holding a goal setting session on February 3- $4^{th}$ . Staff will provide an update on changes, if any, impacting the items listed above at the February  $6^{th}$  Planning Commission meeting.