

Notice of Determination

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From:

Public Agency: CA Department of Water Resources
 Address: 1416 Ninth Street, Sixth Floor
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 Contact: Gerald Snow
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Lead Agency (if different from above): _____
 Address: _____
 Contact: _____
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SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

State Clearinghouse Number (if submitted to State Clearinghouse): 201512055

Project Title: Salado Creek Channel Maintenance

Project Applicant: CA Department of Water Resources

Project Location (include county): Near Patterson, CA, Stanislaus County

Project Description:

Accumulation of sediment and vegetation within and adjacent to the overchute for Salado Creek increases the potential for water in the Creek to back up behind the aqueduct embankment during a storm event. DWR's Delta Field Division (DFD) proposes to remove the sediment and vegetation that has grown in and along the channel in order to return the overchute structure and adjacent portions of Salado Creek to as-built conditions and restore the capacity of the overchute to convey the natural streamflow unimpeded downstream.

This is to advise that the CA Department of Water Resources has approved the above
 Lead Agency or Responsible Agency)

described project on 1/13/2016 and has made the following determinations regarding the above
 (date)
 described project.

1. The project [will will not] have a significant effect on the environment.
2. An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
 A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures [were were not] made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [was was not] adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations [was was not] adopted for this project.
6. Findings [were were not] made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, or the negative Declaration, is available to the General Public at:

http://www.oandm.water.ca.gov/salado_crk.cfm

Signature (Public Agency):  Title: Program Manager

Date: Jan 13, 2016 Date Received for filing at OPR: _____

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Authority cited: Sections 21083, Public Resources Code.
 Reference Section 21000-21174, Public Resources Code.

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