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Notice of Determination

Appendix D FILED

To:

Office of Planning and Research
U.S. Mail: Street Address:
P.O. Box 3044 1400 Tenth St., Rm 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044 Sacramento, CA 95814

County Clerk
County of: Monterey
Address: 168 W Alisal St # 1
Salinas, CA 93901

Responsible Agency

Public Agency: City of Monterey
Address: 580 Pacific Street, Unit 7
Monterey, CA 93940
Contact: Kevin Anderson
Phone: 831-646-3746

Lead Agency (if different from above):
Monterey One Water
Address: 5 Harris Court
Monterey, CA 93940
Contact: Jennifer Gonzalez
Phone: 831-883-6172

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): 2013051094
Project Title: PWM/GWR EIR Addendum for the Lake El Estero Diversion Project
Project Applicant: City of Monterey
Project Location (include county): City of Monterey, Monterey County, CA
Project Description:
Please see the supplemental attachment below.

This is to advise that the City of Monterey has approved the above
described project on July 15, 2025 and has made the following determinations regarding the above
described project.

- 1. The project [] will [x] 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.
3. Mitigation measures [x] were [] were not made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [x] was [] was not adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations [] was [x] was not adopted for this project.
6. Findings [x] were [] were not made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

An Addendum was prepared for this project 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: The Addendum is available at:
City of Monterey Public Works Department

Signature (Public Agency): [Signature] Title: Engineering Projects Manager
Date: 7/17/2025 Date Received for filing at OPR:

NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

Project Title: Pure Water Monterey Groundwater Replenishment (“PWM/GWR”) Environmental Impact Report (“EIR”) Addendum for the Lake El Estero Diversion Project

Project Description: The Proposed Project was evaluated in the certified PWM/GWR. The PWM/GWR EIR project description included the Proposed Project to construct a new water diversion system to divert surface water from Lake El Estero to the City’s existing sanitary sewer system. Since the certification of the PWM/GWR EIR, engineering plans have been prepared for the Proposed Project which included minor modifications to the construction and operation of the Proposed Project. These modifications and engineering plans are evaluated in this Addendum.

The Project would involve installation of a gravity intake system, including a 60-foot-long, 16-inch-diameter discharge pipeline connecting to the sanitary sewer pipeline to divert the portion of untreated stormwater that currently flows from Lake El Estero into the Monterey Bay to the City’s sewer system to be treated at the Monterey One Water Regional Treatment Plant (“RTP”) and recycled for reuse. The Proposed Project would be constructed within existing paved and previously disturbed areas at the existing Lake El Estero Pump Station.

The Proposed Project was fully evaluated in the certified PWM/GWR EIR. The physical boundaries have not changed nor have the minor modifications increased the severity of impacts compared to the project evaluated in the PWM/GWR EIR.

Fee Requirement: Per California Code of Regulations 14, Section 753.5(e)(3), this Notice of Determination filing is not subject to the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) environmental document fee. 14 CCR Section 253.5(e)(3) stipulates that only one fee is required when an existing certified EIR is used for multiple project approvals that would result in no additional effect to fish and wildlife. This Notice of Determination for the project approval described herein does not require the CDFW fee because the approval relied upon the PWM/GWR Project EIR (State Clearinghouse No. 2013051094). The NOD for the PWM/GWR Project EIR was filed on October 8th, 2015, and the California Fish and Wildlife environmental document fee was paid at that time. See Attached the stamped Notice of Determination and the most recent receipt of fees paid.



Regional Map

Date
5/7/2025

Scale
1 in = 2 mi



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Planning and Environmental Consulting

Figure
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Project Location

Date
5/7/2025

Scale
1 in = 366 ft



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Figure
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PWM/GWR Notice of Determination

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Salinas, CA 93901

From:

Public Agency: Monterey Regional Water Pollution Control Agency
Address: 5 Harris Court, Building D
Monterey, CA 93940
Contact: Leara Sampson, MRWPCA
Phone: 831-645-4618

Lead Agency: Same as above

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): SCH#2013051094

Project Title: Pure Water Monterey/Groundwater Replenishment Project (GWR Project)

Project Applicant: Monterey Regional Water Pollution Control Agency (MRWPCA)

Project Location (include county): Northern Monterey County (*See also below under Project Description)

Project Description:

The GWR Project would create a reliable source of water supply from: 1) purified recycled water for recharge of the Seaside Groundwater Basin, and 2) recycled water to augment the existing Castroville Seawater Intrusion Project's agricultural irrigation supply. Water supplies proposed to be recycled and reused by the GWR Project include municipal wastewater, industrial wastewater, urban stormwater runoff, and surface water diversions. *The GWR Project would be located within northern Monterey County and would include new facilities located within unincorporated areas of the Salinas Valley and the cities of Salinas, Marina, Seaside, Monterey, and Pacific Grove.

This is to advise that the Monterey Regional Water Pollution Control Agency (Lead Agency or Responsible Agency) has approved the above described project on October 8, 2015 (Date) and has made the following determinations regarding the above 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 approval of the project.
4. A Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program [was was not] adopted.
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:

MRWPCA administrative office at 5 Harris Court, Building D, Monterey, CA 93940.

Signature (Public Agency): Robert B Holden Title: MRWPCA Principal Engineer

Date: October 8, 2015 Date Received for Filing at OPR: _____



State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife
2016 ENVIRONMENTAL FILING FEE CASH RECEIPT
 DFW 753.5a (Rev. 12/15/15) Previously DFG 753.5a

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RECEIPT NUMBER:
 27 — 06242016 — 56
 STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (if applicable)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY Monterey Peninsula Water Mgt. Dist.	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL	DATE 06/23/2016
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING Monterey	DOCUMENT NUMBER 2016-0065	

PROJECT TITLE
Aquifer Storage and Recovery Project & Pure Water Monterey Groundwater Replenishment

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME Contact: Larry Hampson	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER (831) 6585620
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS P.O. Box 85	CITY Monterey	STATE CA
		ZIP CODE 93942

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

Local Public Agency
 School District
 Other Special District
 State Agency
 Private Entity

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

- Environmental Impact Report (EIR) \$3,070.00 \$ _____ 0.00
 - Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND) \$2,210.25 \$ _____ 0.00
 - Certified Regulatory Program document (CRP) \$1,043.75 \$ _____ 0.00
 - Exempt from fee
 - Notice of Exemption (attach)
 - CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)
 - Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)
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- Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only) \$850.00 \$ _____ 0.00
 - County documentary handling fee \$ _____ 50.00
 - Other \$ _____

PAYMENT METHOD:

Cash
 Credit
 Check
 Other
 TOTAL RECEIVED \$ _____ 50.00

SIGNATURE X	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE Erik Rios, Deputy Clerk
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Stephen L. Vagnini
Monterey County
Clerk

06/23/16

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Miscellaneous Fees

Public
DENISE DUFFY MPWD

Fees \$50.00

** TOTAL 50.00

Check 50.00
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Xochitl Marina Camacho, County
Clerk-Recorder
168 West Alisal Street, First Floor
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\$52.50

I AGREE TO PAY ABOVE TOTAL AMOUNT
ACCORDING TO CARD ISSUER AGREEMENT
(MERCHANT AGREEMENT IF CREDIT VOUCHER)

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