

Notice of Determination

Appendix D

To:

☒ Office of Planning and Research
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☒ County Clerk
 County of: San Luis Obispo
 Address: 1055 Monterey Street
San Luis Obispo, CA 93408

From:

Public Agency: Heritage Ranch CSD
 Address: 4870 Heritage Road
Paso Robles, California, 93446
 Contact: Scott B. Duffield, General Manager
 Phone: (805) 227-6230

Lead Agency (if different from above): _____

Address: _____

Contact: _____

Phone: _____

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): 2023110427

Project Title: Heritage Ranch Water Resource Recovery Facility Project

Project Applicant: Heritage Ranch Community Service District (HRCSD)

Project Location (include county): Lake Nacimiento, San Luis Obispo County

Project Description:

This Addendum described modifications to the concept and design of project components that have occurred during evolution of the design process as compared to what was identified and evaluated in the adopted Final IS-MND for the Heritage Ranch Water Resource Recovery Facility Project. The Modified Project consists of utilizing packaged membrane bioreactor wastewater treatment plant technology and removing the effluent pipeline replacement and spray field improvements from the design. The proposed area of impact at the existing HRCSD wastewater treatment plant property would increase by approximately 1.3 acres to a total of 6.8 acres. The purpose of the project remains the same - bringing the existing system into compliance with water quality standards and providing capacity to serve existing and planned growth.

This is to advise that the Heritage Ranch Community Service District has approved the above
 (☒ Lead Agency or ☐ Responsible Agency)

described project on 7/18/2025 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:

4870 Heritage Road, Paso Robles, CA 93446 and <https://ceqanet.opr.ca.gov/2023110427>

Signature (Public Agency):  Title: General Manager

Date: 7/18/2025 Date Received for filing at OPR: _____