

Summary Form for Electronic Document Submittal

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SCH #: _____

Project Title: Fortini Property Site Plan Project

Lead Agency: Santa Clara County Parks and Recreation Department

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Project Location: Unincorporated Santa Clara County

City

County

Project Description (Proposed actions, location, and/or consequences).

The project involves the construction of a new recreational multi-use trail connection between two Santa Clara County parks for use by hikers, bikers, and equestrians and additional parking lots. The proposed project would include a main trail with connected seasonal trails that would provide visitors with access to rest areas, a vista point, and picnic areas. Two steel truss bridges (up to 55 feet long) with concrete headwalls would be installed along the main multi-use trail where it would cross over Santa Teresa Creek and Arroyo Calero.

A new parking area is proposed directly east of the existing Rancho San Vicente Parking area to the south of McKean Road. A new parking area is proposed along San Vicente Avenue adjacent to the northern trailhead to replace existing, unimproved roadside parking. A signalized crossing would be installed at the intersection of Fortini Road and McKean Road. A raised multi-use crossing would be installed across San Vicente Avenue to allow trail users to cross between Santa Teresa County Park and the proposed project.

Identify the project's significant or potentially significant effects and briefly describe any proposed mitigation measures that would reduce or avoid that effect.

The proposed project could have potentially significant effects on air quality, biological resources, cultural resources, tribal cultural resources, paleontological resources. The following mitigation measures have been incorporated to reduce potentially significant effects:

Mitigation Measure AQ-1: Fugitive Dust Control

Mitigation Measure BIO-1: Pre Construction Nesting Bird Survey

Mitigation Measure BIO-2: California Tiger Salamander, California Red-Legged Frog, Northwestern Pond Turtle, White-Tailed Kite, and San Francisco Dusky-Footed Woodrat

Mitigation Measure BIO-3: Pre-Construction Burrowing Owl Survey

Mitigation Measure CUL-1: Cultural Resource Monitoring

Mitigation Measure CUL-2: Impact to Previously Undiscovered Human Remains

Mitigation Measure GEO-1: Paleontological Unanticipated Discovery and Monitoring Training

Mitigation Measure HAZ-1: Hazardous Materials Best Practices

If applicable, describe any of the project's areas of controversy known to the Lead Agency, including issues raised by agencies and the public.

The project does not contain any known areas of controversy.

Provide a list of the responsible or trustee agencies for the project.

United States Fish and Wildlife Service, Pacific Southwest
California Department of Fish and Wildlife (Region 3)
Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Francisco Bay (Region 2)
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, South Pacific Division
Santa Clara Valley Water District
Santa Clara Valley Habitat Agency