

Summary Form for Electronic Document Submittal

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SCH #: _____

Project Title: Fairfax Capacity and Creek Crossings Project (#957)

Lead Agency: Ross Valley Sanitary District

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Project Location: Fairfax

City

Marin

County

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

The Ross Valley Sanitary District (RVSD) Fairfax Capacity and Creek Crossings Project #957 (Project) entails the construction and rehabilitation, within the existing alignment, of sanitary sewer mains, manholes, and related appurtenances within unincorporated Marin County and the Town of Fairfax within the County of Marin. The primary goals of this project are to provide adequate capacity to convey wet weather flows preventing sewer overflows and replace aging RVSD infrastructure and reduce inflow and infiltration into the system. The Project would rehabilitate approximately 3,300 linear feet (LF) of 6-inch sanitary sewers with new polyvinyl chloride (PVC) or high-density polyethylene (HDPE) pipe via open-cut removal and replacement (988 LF), pipe bursting (2,200 LF), guided jack and bore (140 LF), and aerial crossing (96 LF). Existing private sewer laterals would be reconnected to the sanitary sewers and rehabilitated as necessary. The Project would also increase wet weather capacity by upsizing approximately 400 LF of 15-inch gravity sewer to 18-inch gravity sewer and installing approximately 2,000 LF of new 18-inch gravity main as a relief sewer throughout downtown Fairfax along Broadway and Merwin Avenue. The Project would cross Fairfax Creek at

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

Mitigation measures are proposed to ensure impacts to biological resources and cultural resources including tribal cultural resources are less than significant. These mitigation measures include nesting bird surveys, preconstruction surveys for woodrat middens, establishment of a cultural and tribal resources testing and monitoring plan will be prepared by a qualified archaeological consultant, archaeological testing, "basic archaeological and tribal resources awareness and identification" for construction crews prior to construction activities, and protocol upon the discovery of human remains.

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

N/A

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

Air Resources Board,
Caltrans, District 4
Fish and Game, Region 3
Regional WQCB, #2
SWRCB: Water Quality
County of Marin