

Summary Form for Electronic Document Submittal

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SCH #: _____

Project Title: City of Coalinga Sanitary Sewer Collection System and Wastewater Treatment Plan Improvements

Lead Agency: City of Coalinga

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Project Location: Coalinga, Fresno County

City

County

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

Project Location: Coalinga is located near the eastern foothills of the Diablo Range and to the west of the Central San Joaquin Valley in western Fresno County. The City is generally bounded by Lucile Avenue to the south, West Gale Avenue to the north, Monterey Street to the west and Springbrook Street to the East. The City of Fresno is located approximately 60 miles to the northeast and the City of Avenal is located approximately 18 miles to the southeast. The sewer pipeline improvements will occur within the City boundaries. Existing WWTP facilities are located approximately one mile east of the City at 30500 Jayne Avenue, Coalinga, CA 93210.

Project Description: The City proposes to rehabilitate approximately 30,815 LF of gravity sewer mains using trenchless construction methods, replace approximately 19,801 LF of gravity sewer mains via conventional construction methods, and provide miscellaneous repairs and improvements to the City's WWTP.

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 results less than significant impacts with mitigation incorporation to biological and cultural resources.

A brief description of mitigation measures included in the Mitigated Negative Declaration include:

Mitigation Measures Biology: Protection measures for Monarch Butterfly, Southwestern Pond Turtle, Temblor Legless Lizard, California Glossy Snake, San Joaquin Coachwhip, Swainson's Hawk, Burrowing Owl, San Joaquin Kit Fox, American Badger, and Nesting Migratory Birds (including Long-Eared Owl): Includes preconstruction surveys, avoidance/minimization, timing of construction, provisions for what to do if species are found, consultation, and similar protection measures.

Mitigation Measure Cultural Resources: Avoidance and/or care of undiscovered/unknown cultural resources.

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

None so far. A CEQA public hearing will be held on September 3, 2026

In addition, the public, local agencies, and stakeholders will be informed via newspaper noticing and direct mailing.

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

The proposed Project will include, but not be limited to, the following regulatory requirements:

- The adoption of a Mitigated Negative Declaration by the City of Coalinga
- Regional Water Quality Control Boards approval
- CA State Water Board compliance
- Air District Permits
- Compliance with other federal, state and local requirements.