



THE METROPOLITAN WATER DISTRICT OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

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Los Angeles, California 90012
(213) 217-6000 <https://www.mwdh2o.com>

Notice of Determination

To: Office of Planning Research
1400 Tenth Street
Sacramento, California 95814

From: The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California
700 North Alameda Street
Los Angeles, California 90012

Subject: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 of the Public Resources Code.

Project Title: Colorado River Aqueduct Master Reclamation Plan for San Bernardino and Riverside Counties

State Clearinghouse Number	Lead Agency/Applicant Contact Person	Area Code/Telephone/Extension
2022110388	Michelle Morrison	(213) 217-7906

Project Location (include county):

The Project Area is comprised of borrow sites along an approximately 125-mile stretch of the Colorado River Aqueduct (CRA) right-of-way in unincorporated San Bernardino and Riverside Counties (see Location Maps).

Project Description: The proposed Project consists of the adoption of a Master Reclamation Plan (MRP) for the future reclamation of 14 active borrow sites located in San Bernardino and Riverside counties pursuant to the requirements of the Surface Mining and Reclamation Act of 1975 (SMARA). Reclamation is not expected to occur until Metropolitan no longer needs to use the borrow sites. Current anticipated operation and maintenance of the CRA would require continued use of the borrow sites for approximately 100 years, with material depletion at the majority of the borrow sites conservatively assumed to occur by 2122, at which point reclamation activities would commence. Timing of this would be different for each site. Proposed reclamation activities would generally consist of removing deleterious materials and debris, recontouring borrow site slopes and floors, installing stormwater best management practices, and revegetating reclaimed areas with a native hydroseed mix. The final end use of each borrow site would be revegetated open space consistent with the surrounding environment. Following reclamation, a monitoring program as required by SMARA would be implemented.

This is to advise that The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California as a Lead Agency under CEQA has approved the above-described project on February 13, 2023 and has adopted the following determinations:

1. The project [☐ will ☒ will not] have a significant effect on the environment.
2. ☒ A Mitigated Negative Declaration was prepared and adopted 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 Monitoring Report or Monitoring Plan [☒ was ☐ was not] adopted for this project.
5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations [☐ was ☒ was not] made a condition of the approved of the project.
6. Findings [☐ were ☒ were not] made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This MND is on file at Metropolitan's headquarters at 700 North Alameda Street, Los Angeles, CA 90012.

Signature: Jennifer Harriger **Date:** 2/13/2023
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 Manager, Environmental Planning Section, The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California

Date received for filing at County or OPR:



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Notice of Determination

To: San Bernardino Recorder-County Clerk
222 West Hospitality Lane
San Bernardino, California 92415

From: The Metropolitan Water District of Southern California
700 North Alameda Street
Los Angeles, California 90012

Subject: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

Project Title: Colorado River Aqueduct Master Reclamation Plan for San Bernardino and Riverside Counties

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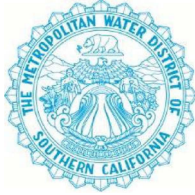
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To: Riverside County Clerk-Recorder Office
2724 Gateway Drive
Riverside, California 92507

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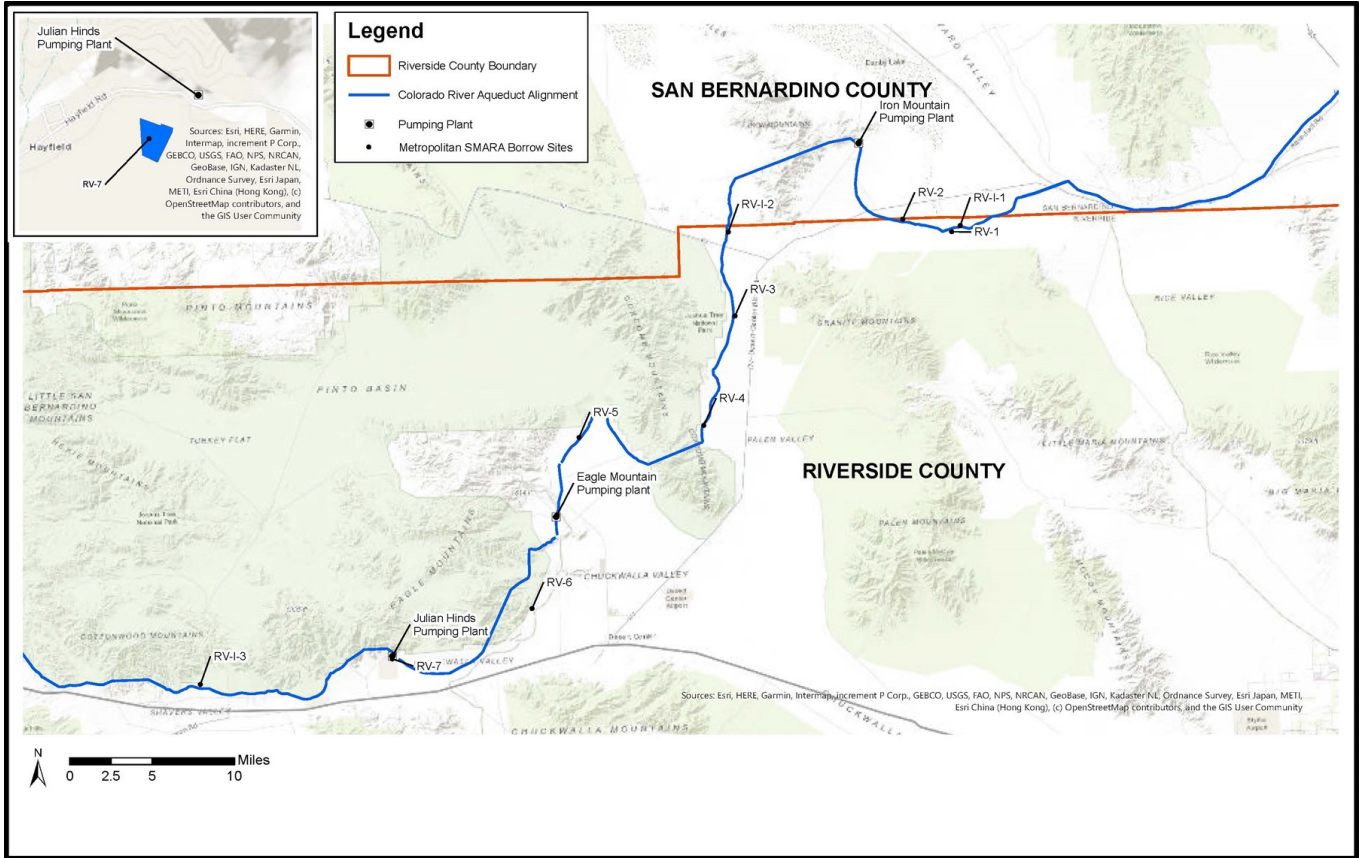
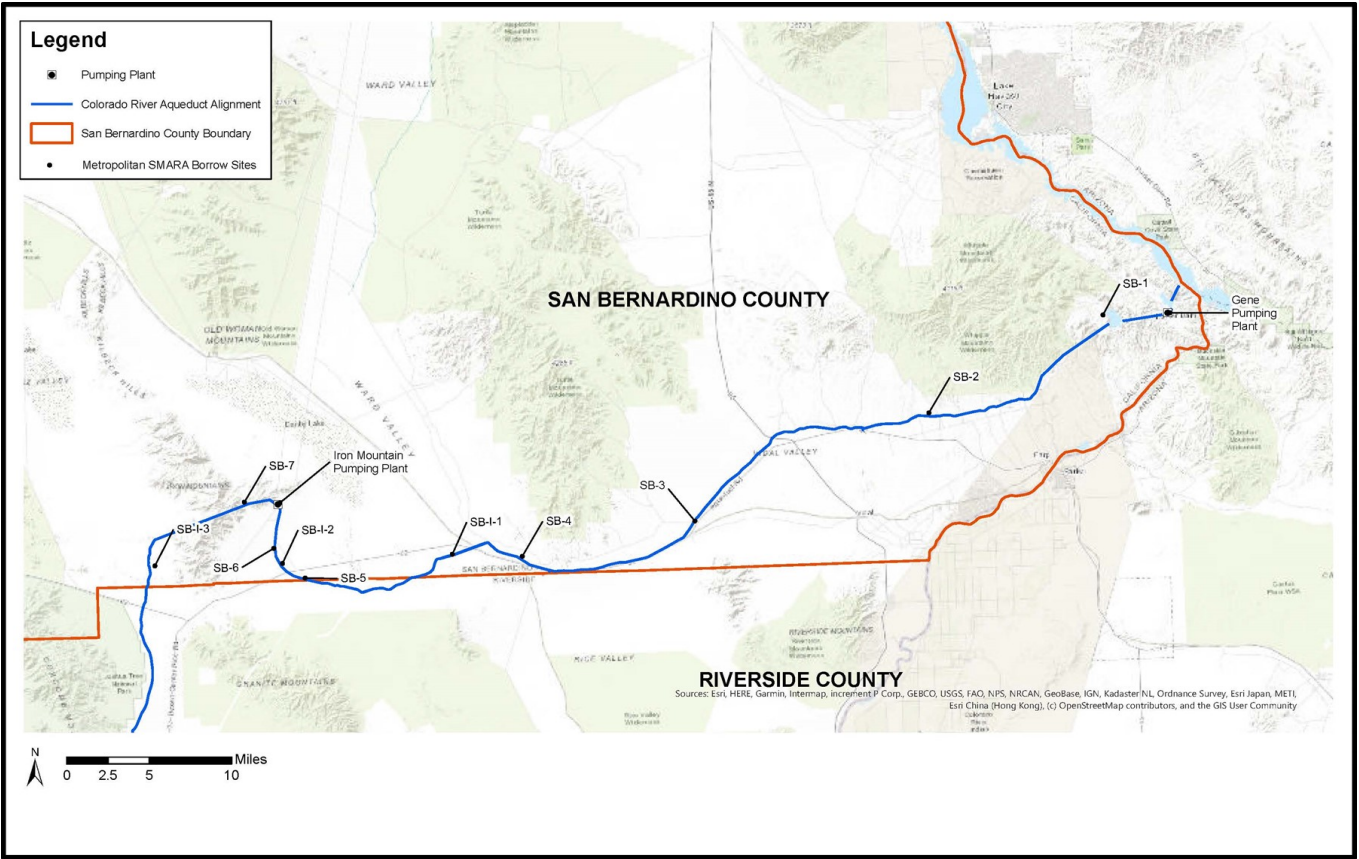
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Location Maps





Peter Aldana
Riverside County
Assessor-County Clerk-Recorder
2724 Gateway Drive
Riverside, CA 92507
(951) 486-7000
www.rivcoacr.org

Receipt: 23-38781

Product	Name	Extended
FISH	CLERK FISH AND GAME FILINGS	\$2,814.00
	# Pages	4
	Document #	E-202300171
	Filing Type	2
	State Fee Prev Charged	false
	No Charge Clerk Fee	false
F&G Negative Declaration		\$2,764.00
F&G Clerk Handling Fee		\$50.00
Sub-Total		\$2,814.00
Service Fee		\$64.16
Total		\$2,878.16
Tender (Credit Card Online)		\$2,878.16
Customer Email	dsanchez@mw dh2o.com	
Service Fee	\$0.00	
Credit Card Invoice #	BPI3018S828	
Customer Name	Denise Sanchez	
Customer Phone Number	213-217-7152	
Customer Address	700 N. Alameda Street Los Angeles, California 90012	

Signature _____



State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife
2023 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE
CASH RECEIPT
DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/23) Previously DFG 753.5a

RECEIPT NUMBER:
23-38781

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)
2022110388

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY METROPOLITAN WATER DISTRICT OF SOUTHERN	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL MMORRISON@MWDH2O.COM	DATE 02/14/2023
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING RIVERSIDE	DOCUMENT NUMBER E-202300171	

PROJECT TITLE

COLORADO RIVER AQUEDUCT MASTER RECLAMATION PLAN FOR SAN BERNARDINO AND RIVERSIDE COUNTIES

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME THE METROPOLITAN WATER DISTRICT OF	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL MMORRISON@MWDH2O.COM	PHONE NUMBER (213) 217-7906
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 700 N. ALAMEDA STREET,	CITY LOS ANGELES	STATE CA
	ZIP CODE 90012	

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

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

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Impact Report (EIR)	\$3,839.25	\$	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)	\$2,764.00	\$	\$2,764.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW	\$1,305.25	\$	

☐ Exempt from fee
☐ Notice of Exemption (attach)
☐ CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)
☐ Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)

<input type="checkbox"/> Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only)	\$850.00	\$	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> County documentary handling fee		\$	\$50.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Other		\$	

PAYMENT METHOD:

☐ Cash ☒ Credit ☐ Check ☐ Other

TOTAL RECEIVED \$ \$2,814.00

SIGNATURE

X *C. Sandoval*

AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE

Deputy
Cassandra Sandoval