



Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board

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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Reg. Measure ID: 443098
Place ID: 873769

Dear Robin Dickerson:

NOTICE OF APPLICABILITY FOR THE SWINGING BRIDGE OVER ARROYO GRANDE CREEK PROJECT, SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY, PROJECT NO. 34021WQ08

On April 23, 2021, the Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Coast Water Board) received your Notice of Intent (NOI) to enroll the Swinging Bridge Over Arroyo Grande Creek Project (Project), San Luis Obispo county under the *Statewide General Waste Discharge Requirements for Dredged or Fill Discharges to Waters Deemed by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to be Outside of Federal Jurisdiction, Order No. 2004-0004-DWQ*.

The Project will discharge to Arroyo Grande Creek. Central Coast Water Board staff understands that the Project includes the following activities:

1. Installing new cast in drilled-hole (CIDH) piles and pile caps below top of bank, including vegetation trimming.
2. Removing existing rod hangers, wind cables, and helical anchors.
3. Replacing cable hangers, wind cables, and helical anchors.
4. Clean and paint existing towers.
5. Install new backspan cables and helical anchors, including removing and installing planters and landscaping.
6. Replacing curb and asphalt concrete paving in-kind.
7. Tighten and install new deck bolts and screws.

Central Coast Water Board staff has reviewed your NOI for the Project. The Central Coast Water Board Executive Officer is issuing this Notice of Applicability (NOA) authorizing the Project under Order No. 2004-0004-DWQ.

Authorized Impacts: Fill activities authorized by this NOA are limited to 0.001 acres of permanent streambed impacts and 0.017 acres of temporary streambed impacts.

Compensatory Mitigation Requirements: Pursuant to Order No. 2004-004-DWQ sections II.C.4 and II.C.9, you must implement compensatory mitigation for impacts to waters of the State as described in your submitted Notice of Intent and as follows:

1. 0.017 acres of temporary streambed impacts must be mitigated through the removal of construction equipment to allow natural recruitment of vegetation for rehabilitation.

DR. JEAN-PIERRE WOLFF, CHAIR | MATTHEW T. KEELING, EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Additional Requirements: You must comply with all conditions of Order No. 2004-0004-DWQ, including the following requirements:

1. Pursuant to section II.C.4 of Order No. 2004-0004-DWQ, you must implement the Project in conformance with the information provided in your NOI. Any changes to the Project design as described in the NOI must receive Central Coast Water Board Executive Officer approval before the changes are implemented.
2. Pursuant to section II.C.16 of Order No. 2004-0004-DWQ, you must submit a Notice of Termination to the Central Coast Water Board upon completion of Project activities.
3. Pursuant to sections A.6 and A.11 of Order No. 2004-0004-DWQ, your Project must not cause significant adverse impacts on water quality, beneficial uses of waters of the State, and the environment. In addition, pursuant to section II.C.3 of Order No. 2004-0004-DWQ, your Project must not cause a condition of pollution, contamination, or nuisance. In order for you to comply with these requirements, Central Coast Water Board staff finds you must use hand tools (including power trimmers) as much as possible to clear vegetation. Disturbance area shall be minimized as much as possible during construction.

The total application fee for this project is \$2,066. The remaining application fee payable to the Central Coast Water Board is \$0. Annual fees may apply.

If you have questions please contact **Kathleen Hicks** at (805) 549-3458 or via email at Kathleen.Hicks@waterboards.ca.gov, or Diane Kukol at (805) 542-4637.

Sincerely,

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