

Section 401 Water Quality Certification Public Notice

The Central Coast Water Board is currently reviewing an application for the following project for water quality certification under Section 401 of the Clean Water Act. We encourage public comments on the proposed work, which will be considered in the decision on certification. You may submit written comments on this project to:

Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board
 895 Aerovista Place, Suite 101
 San Luis Obispo, CA 93401
 Attention: 401 Coordinator
 OR
 centralcoast@waterboards.ca.gov
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Project Applicant	Brave & Maiden LTD - Jason Djang
Applicant's Agent	Urban Planning Concepts, Inc. - David Swenk
Project Name	Brave & Maiden Winery
Receiving Water	Unnamed Tributary to Santa Ynez River
City/County	Santa Ynez/Santa Barbara
Public Notice	August 9, 2016 – August 30, 2016
Project Description	<p>The purpose of this project is to develop a winery with visitor serving facilities and employee residences.</p> <p>The project activities include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Constructing an agricultural frost protection and irrigation pond located in the ephemeral swale alignment; • Installing a 12-inch thick rip rap outfall at the irrigation pond; • Replacing an at-grade farm road crossing with a culvert farm road crossing at the property edge; • Installing a 20-foot long and 30-inch diameter pipe for the farm road culvert crossing; • Placing an open trench utility line crossing at the ephemeral swale; and • Placing two clear span footbridges across the ephemeral swale for visitor access. <p>Proposed compensatory mitigation includes: creating 0.15 acres of streambed and enhancing 0.6 acres of streambed.</p> <p>County of Santa Barbara filed a (Mitigated) Negative Declaration on November 22, 2013.</p>