

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 | Allen Shay |
| Applicant's Agent | Terra Verde Environmental Consulting, LLC - Brian Dugas |
| Project Name | Shay Road Project |
| Receiving Water | Tributary to Huerhuero Creek |
| City/County | Creston/San Luis Obispo |
| Public Notice | August 23, 2016 – September 13, 2016 |
| Project Description | <p>The purpose of this project is to provide a secondary access road to Highway 41, allowing for the expansion of grazing production and secondary emergency access.</p> <p>The project activities include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Creating a 12-foot wide, 12,000-foot long (2.27 miles) agricultural road;• Installing six culvert crossings along the new road, three of which (Culverts 1, 2 and 6) are jurisdictional;• Using a 24-inch high density polyethylene (HDPE) pipe, measuring 54 feet long, for Culvert 1;• Constructing a 3.9' by 5.9', and 50-foot long, corrugated steel box culvert for Culvert 6;• Installing an 18-inch HDPE pipe, measuring 27-feet long for Culvert 2;• Placing 2 cubic yards of riprap at both Culverts 1 and 2;• Placing 24 cubic yards of riprap at culverts 6; and• Using a bulldozer, grader, dump truck, water truck, and loader to complete project activities. <p>Planned compensatory mitigation includes: restoring 0.004 acres of streambed and 0.099 acres of riparian habitat, and enhancing 0.064 acres of streambed and 0.186 acres of riparian habitat.</p> <p>The County of San Luis Obispo filed a Categorical Exemption on August 11, 2015.</p> |