

SECTION 401 WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION PUBLIC NOTICE

The Central Coast Water Board is currently reviewing a Clean Water Act section 401 Water Quality Certification application for the project described below. We encourage public comments on the proposed project and will take comments into consideration when taking action on the application. 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: Sam Roberts

Applicant's Agent: Joe Hanna

Project Name: Robert's Farm Smith Road

Receiving Water: Green Valley Creek

City/County: Watsonville / Santa Cruz

Public Notice: September 2, 2022 – September 23, 2022

Project Description:

The purpose of the proposed project is to replace a damaged culvert and maintain access to farmland.

The proposed project activities include:

- Removing a damaged 14-inch RCP pipe from the stream;
- Installing a 35-foot-long, 24-inch-diameter culvert; and
- Removing concrete debris for erosion control.

Proposed Mitigation:

Re-establishment of 0.21 acres of riparian habitat.