

NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

TO:

Governor's Office of Planning and Research
State Clearinghouse
1400 Tenth Street, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812

FROM:

State Water Resources Control Board
Division of Financial Assistance
1001 I Street 16th Floor
Sacramento, CA 95814

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER: 2021040480

PROJECT NUMBER: 0202504-002C

PROJECT TITLE: Markleeville Water System Improvements Project (Project)

PROJECT LOCATION: In the vicinity of State Route 89 and Hot Springs Road, Alpine County.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) is the Lead Agency for the Project. The State Water Board's Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (SRF) Program is financing the Project. The Project will replace existing pipelines (within public rights-of-way) most vulnerable to failure, reducing lifetime operation and maintenance costs associated with pipeline repair; implement hydraulic improvements, achieving improvements to available fire flows and increased turnover of the Pleasant Valley water storage tank; increase system reliability by placing the Pleasant Valley Tank feed pumps at the Water Treatment Plant (WTP), where a standby generator can provide power during a utility outage; and provide two tiers of disinfection byproduct control approaches: source control at the WTP and mixing and ventilation at the Pleasant Valley Tank.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING PROJECT AND CARRYING OUT PROJECT: The State Water Board has approved SRF financing for the Project described above on May 24, 2023. The Markleeville Water Company will be carrying out the Project. The State Water Board has made the following California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) determinations regarding the Project:

1. The Project will not have a significant effect on the environment.
2. A Mitigated Negative Declaration was prepared and adopted for the Project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures were made a condition of approval of the Project.
4. A mitigation monitoring and reporting plan/program was adopted for the Project.

LEAD AGENCY: State Water Resources Control Board

LEAD AGENCY CONTACT PERSON: Kristal Kuo

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A record of financing approval for the Project and the Mitigated Negative Declaration is available to the general public at the State Water Board, Division of Financial Assistance at 1001 I Street, 16th Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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