

**PUBLIC NOTICE FOR
CLEAN WATER ACT 401 WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION BEFORE THE STATE
WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD**

A request for a water quality certification (certification) for the Devil Canyon Project (Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) Project No. 14797 (Project), was filed with the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board). Certifications are issued under section 401 of the Clean Water Act. California Code of Regulations, title 23, section 3858 requires the Executive Director of the State Water Board to provide public notice of an application for certification at least twenty-one (21) days before taking certification action on the application. The typical notice period may be shortened in an emergency.

Written questions and/or comments regarding the application should be directed to Andrea Sellers:

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State Water Resources Control Board
Division of Water Rights – Water Quality Certification Program
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RECEIVED: August 13, 2021
PROJECT: Devil Canyon Project
APPLICANT: California Department of Water Resources
CONTACT: Jeremiah McNeil
COUNTIES: San Bernardino
PUBLIC NOTICE: October 12, 2021
PROJECT STATUS: Pending

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The Department of Water Resources (DWR) requested certification for the Devil Canyon Project. The Project is located in San Bernardino County at the southern end of the East Branch of the State Water Project. In addition to continued operations, DWR proposes: 1) Project boundary modification; 2) Addition of existing Project Roads within the Project boundary; and 3) Addition of existing reservoir gage in Silverwood Lake.