

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

A request for water quality certification (certification) for the Huntington Lake Dam No. 1 Low-Level Outlet Valves Replacement Project (Project) was filed with the 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 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 Derek Wadsworth by:

E-mail (preferred):
Derek.Wadsworth@waterboards.ca.gov

or

Mail:
State Water Resources Control Board
Division of Water Rights – Water Quality Certification Program
Attn: Derek Wadsworth
P.O. Box 2000
Sacramento, CA 95812-2000

RECEIVED:	June 27, 2022
PROJECT:	Huntington Lake Dam No. 1 Low-Level Outlet Valves Replacement Project
APPLICANT:	Southern California Edison Company
CONTACT:	Hazem Gabr
COUNTY:	Fresno
PUBLIC NOTICE:	July 19, 2022
PROJECT STATUS:	Pending

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The Project involves the following actions associated with Huntington Lake Dam No. 1 Low-level Outlets: (1) repair and replacement of the upstream and downstream valves, gates, and operators; (2) dredging of accumulated sediment and debris in front of the low-level outlet intake gates; and (3) installation of a Parshall Flume. The proposed repairs and upgrades will not result in a change to the design or function of the dam. By restoring the functionality of the low-level outlet system, the Project repairs will address public safety concerns downstream of Huntington Lake Dam. The installation of the Parshall Flume will allow flow releases to be measured accurately in accordance with minimum instream flow requirements of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) license for the Big Creek Hydroelectric Project Nos. 1 and 2, FERC Project No. 2175.