

RESOLUTION NO. 510

**A RESOLUTION OF THE SUNNYSLOPE COUNTY WATER DISTRICT  
CERTIFYING AN ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT  
FOR THE RIDGEMARK WASTEWATER TREATMENT  
AND RECYCLED WATER IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT**

WHEREAS, pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA"), codified at Sections 21000 and following of the Public Resources Code, and the CEQA Guidelines codified at Title 14, Sections 15000 and following of the California Code of Regulations, the Sunnyslope County Water District has prepared an Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for the aforementioned project; and

WHEREAS, The Sunnyslope County Water District circulated for public comment a Notice of Preparation of an EIR from July 8, 2008 to August 6, 2008; held a public scoping meeting for the EIR on July 23, 2008; circulated a Draft EIR from March 5, 2009 to April 20, 2009; published a Notice of Availability for the EIR on and off-site in the area and in a newspaper of general circulation; held public hearings for the Draft EIR before the Board on April 9, 2009 and April 23, 2009; prepared and circulated a Final EIR including responses to written and oral comments from July 2, 2009 to July 13, 2009; held a public hearing on the Final EIR before the Board on July 16, 2009; and gave all public notices in the manner and at the times required by law;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the Board hereby resolves that the Final EIR has been completed in compliance with CEQA and reflects the independent judgment of the District Board.

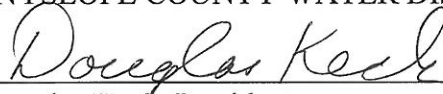
THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION was passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Sunnyslope County Water District held on July 16, 2009 by the following vote:

AYES: Directors Keck, Hailstone, Anderson, and Meraz

NAYS: None

ABSENT: Director Nelson

SUNNYSLOPE COUNTY WATER DISTRICT

By   
Douglas Keck, President

(S E A L)

ATTEST:

  
Bryan M. Yamaoka, Secretary

**CERTIFICATE OF SECRETARY**

The undersigned Secretary of the Board of Directors of the Sunnyslope County Water District hereby certifies that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the resolution adopted on July 16, 2009 as Resolution No. 510.

Dated: July 16, 2009

  
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Notice of Determination

Appendix D

To:

Office of Planning and Research
For U.S. Mail: P.O. Box 3044 Sacramento, CA 95812-3044
Street Address: 1400 Tenth St. Sacramento, CA 95814

County Clerk

County of: San Benito
Address: 440 5th St., Room 206, County Courthouse, Hollister, CA 95023-3843

From:

Public Agency: Sunnyslope County Water District
Address: 3570 Airline Highway Hollister, CA 95023
Contact: Bryan Yamaoka
Phone: (831) 637-4670

Lead Agency (if different from above):

Address:
Contact:
Phone:

SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

State Clearinghouse Number (if submitted to State Clearinghouse): SCH# 2008071031

Project Title: Ridgemark Wastewater Treatment and Recycled Water Improvements Project

Project Location (include county): San Benito County, SE of Hollister, between SR 25 and Southside Rd, Ridgemark development.

Project Description:

The proposed project is implementation of a wastewater system improvement project to meet the long-term treatment and disposal needs of the Sunnyslope County Water District, including wastewater treatment facility upgrades to reduce the levels of ammonia, nitrates, BOD, TSS, and pH, and a recycled water distribution system.

This is to advise that the Sunnyslope County Water District, Board of Directors has approved the above described project on July 16, 2009 as Lead Agency or Responsible Agency

and has made the following determinations regarding the above described project: (Date)

- 1. The project [X]will [ ]will not] have a significant effect on the environment.
2. [X] An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA. [ ] A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures [X]were [ ]were not] made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [X]was [ ] was not] adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations [X]was [ ] was not] adopted for this project.
6. Findings [X]were [ ] were not] made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, or the negative Declaration, is available to the General Public at: Sunnyslope County Water District offices, 3570 Airline Highway, Hollister, CA 95023

Signature (Public Agency) Bryan Yamaoka Title General Manager
Date July 16, 2009 Date Received for filing at OPR

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