

# **Water Storage Investment Program Quarterly Report**

The Quarterly Report is intended to document applicants' progress toward complying with regulation section 6013 and receiving final WSIP funding, including any changes in the magnitude of public benefits that could affect cost allocation. Applicants must provide a summary level update of the project status for the requirements and milestones listed below. The template may be modified as necessary to effectively communicate information. If minimal activities occurred during a reporting period, the report can be condensed.

- Note any issues or concerns that have, will, or could affect milestones or requirements.
- Identify key issues, including legal issues such as lawsuits or injunctions related to the project, that need to be resolved.
- Discuss how the actual schedule is progressing in comparison to the schedule provided in the Initial Report or the last reported schedule.
- Update the project schedule as needed.
- Note any milestones or accomplishments that occurred since submittal of the prior Quarterly Report.

# **Project Information**

Project Name:

Project Name: Pacheco Reservoir Expansion Project

Applicant Name:

Santa Clara Valley Water District

Date:

April 30, 2020

Reporting Period:

2020 Quarter 1 - January through March

### **General Update and Key Issues**

Please provide a general update and describe any key issues that occurred during this reporting period. You may attach additional documents or pages if more space is needed:

Project planning activities are ongoing and the project team has developed draft planning phase deliverables. Preliminary design alternatives have been reviewed and a feasibility level design has been developed.

Geotechnical and environmental investigations continue to collect and provide information for project planning and environmental documents.

Based on current project schedules, the work is progressing in line with the schedule provided in the Initial Report.

## **Items Required Prior to Scheduling a Final Award Hearing**

The following items must be provided prior to scheduling a hearing. As applicable, please describe the status, estimated completion date, and percent complete of:

1. Contracts for non-public cost share:

#### Status:

- Cost sharing for the Project and its potential operation and maintenance will be established in the Operating Agreement between Santa Clara Valley Water District, San Benito County Water District, and Pacheco Pass Water District.
- SCVWD is continuing its participation with the US Bureau of Reclamation in the San Luis Low Point Improvement Project, which released a draft federal feasibility study with the Pacheco Reservoir expansion as one of the alternatives. Study may result in federal funding opportunities for the Project.

Estimated Completion Date: 6/27/2020, for 1st bullet

Percent Complete: 20%

### 2. Contracts for administration of public benefits:

Status: SCVWD met with representatives from DWR on February 14, 2020

SCVWD met with representatives from CDFW on March 19, 2020

Estimated Completion Date: 12/15/2023

Percent Complete: 5%

# 3. Completed feasibility studies:

Status: SCVWD met with CWC staff and its consultants on February 6, 2020

Estimated Completion Date: 1/4/2021

Percent Complete: 15%

#### 4. Final environmental documentation:

#### Status:

Administrative Draft EIR to Commission for review 8/3/2021
Submit Draft EIR for distribution to public 10/26/2021
Submit Final EIR 10/31/2022
Administrative Draft EIS for review by agencies and partners 7/7/2020
Submit Draft EIS for distribution to public 9/16/2020
Submit Final EIS and NEPA documents 4/19/2021

Estimated Completion Date: See above, Final EIR approval and release will complete 10/31/2022

Percent Complete: 5%

#### 5. All required federal, state, and local approvals, certifications, and agreements:

Status: SCVWD has presented project information and held workshops with agencies administering public benefits for the Project. An iInter-agency workshop was held in January 2020 and meetings with administering agencies were held in February 2020.

**Estimated Completion Date: TBD** 

Percent Complete: 5%

## Items Required to Execute a Funding Agreement

Please provide an update, as applicable, on the following documents, which are needed to execute a funding agreement for the project:

- Applicant's audited financial statements
- Final project costs, schedule, and scope of work
- Evidence of bilateral communications
- Limited waiver of sovereign immunity (see regulations section 6013(f)(8))

Updates to information provided in the Initial Report or prior Quarterly Reports are only needed when a significant change has occurred. The Commission may request submittal of updated information prior to executing a funding agreement.

Information provided in the Initial Report submitted October 30, 2018 remains up to date.

# **Status Update**

Provide a status update for the following, as applicable:

- Labor Compliance
- Urban Water Management Plans
- Agricultural Water Management Plans
- Groundwater Management or Groundwater Sustainability Plans
- Potential effect of other conditionally eligible projects on the applicant's public benefits

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