

APPENDIX B

COMMENTS RECEIVED ON NOTICE OF PREPARATION

**Newport Trunk Sewer and Force Main Replacement Project
Comments Received on NOP**

Item No.	Date	Commenter	Summary of Comment/Concerns	EIR
1.	5/23/03	State of California, Governor's Office of Planning and Research State Clearinghouse	No Comments	
2.	5/28/03	Department of Conservation, Division of Oil, Gas, & Geothermal	Concerned about hazards from exposure or damage to plugged, abandoned, or unrecorded wells.	Section 3.5 Hazards
3.	5/29/03	Costa Mesa Sanitary District	Supports the project. Wants District to consider abandoning several pump stations.	
4.	5/30/03	Native American Heritage Commission	Three sacred lands sites are located within the project vicinity. District should contact list of individuals/organizations for more information.	Section 3.3 Cultural Resources, P. 3.3-4
5.	6/3/03	South Coast Air Quality Management District	Recommendations for air quality analysis, mitigation measures, and data sources.	Section 3.1 Air Quality
6.	6/5/03	City of La Habra	No comments.	
7.	6/9/03	City of Anaheim	No comments.	
8.	6/9/03	Department of Toxic Substances Control	CEQA checklist for Hazards section is not specifically addressed and potentially contaminated sites need to be identified.	Section 3.5 Hazards, Impact 3.5-1
9.	6/10/03	Coastal Conservancy	Concerned about wetland impacts and constraints on future restoration.	Section 3.2 Biological Resources Section 3.7 Land Use
10.	6/11/03	City of Fountain Valley	No comments.	
11.	6/16/03	Antonucci's Italiano	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
12.	6/16/03	JEL Recording Studios	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic
13.	6/16/03	Newport Beach Inn	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic
14.	6/16/03	Newport Channel Inn	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1	Section 3.10 Traffic

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			construction on residents and businesses.	
15.	6/16/03	Southern California Association of Governments	Project is regionally significant to policies in the Regional Comprehensive Plan and Guide with respect to growth management, regional transportation, air quality, and water quality. Any inconsistencies with the plan should be explained.	Section 3.1 Air Quality Section 3.6 Hydrology & Water Quality Section 3.10 Traffic Section 5
16.	6/16/03	The Frog House	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic
17.	6/16/03	The Outpost Liquor	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic
18.	6/17/03	State of California, Department of Parks and Recreation	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Construction impacts to Least Terns, Snowy Plover, and other species near the beach and marsh. 2. Noise may impact beach visitors and wildlife. 3. Also concerned about bike path closure and lost revenues from park entry fees. 4. Construction must not impede coastal access. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Section 3.2 Biological Resources (P. 3.2-23, Impact 3.2-2, 3.2-3) 2. Section 3.8 Noise 3. Section 3.7 Land Use, Impact 3.7-2, Figure 3.7-2 4. Section 3.10 Traffic
19.	6/18/03	Newport Beach Chamber of Commerce	Concerned about effects of PCH lane closures and associated traffic on business patrons and employees.	Section 3.10 Traffic
20.	6/19/03	Property House Realtors	Supports Alternative 2, Alternative 1 would have negative effects on residents and businesses.	Section 4 Other CEQA Requirements
21.	6/19/03	United States Department of Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service	Concerned about biological impacts including endangered/threatened/sensitive species, wetland habitat, and future restoration.	Section 3.2 Biological Resources
22.	6/20/03	Newport Beach Conference & Visitors Bureau	Supports Alternative 2 to minimize construction impacts to people and businesses.	Section 4 Other CEQA Requirements
23.	6/20/03	Sierra Club	Supports Alternative 1A. Wants EIR for the 10-inch gravity sewer servicing Armstrong Petroleum Oilfield because it would allow for future residential construction and could impact the wetland.	Section 4 Other CEQA Requirements
24.	6/20/03	Spaghetti Bender Restaurant	Supports Alternative 2, Alternative 1 would have	Section 4 Other CEQA

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			negative effects on residents and businesses.	Requirements
25.	6/20/03	West Newport Oil Company	Opposed to Alternative 2A and its impacts to oilfield operations and biological resources. Oilfield operations need to have sewer discharges continued in the interim and ultimate condition. Additional connection points to the sewer line should be considered for future development options.	Section 3.7 Land Use Section 4 Other CEQA Requirements
26.	6/23/03	Caltrans, District 12	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Traffic impacts from construction and operation, particularly on PCH and I-405. Require Traffic Management Plan for encroachment permit approval. Changes to utilities in Caltrans easement. Changes to drainage patterns in easement. 2. Need detour for bike path closure. 3. Runoff from the project (construction or operation) must comply with RWQCB discharge requirements, require a SWPPP, and BMPs. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Section 3.10 Traffic 2. Section 3.7 Land Use (Impact 3.7-2), Section 3.10 Traffic 3. Section 3.6 Hydrology and Water Quality
27.	6/23/03	City of Huntington Beach	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Analysis of traffic impacts on local roadways. Traffic control plans and truck haul routes need to be coordinated with Public Works. 2. Noise and air quality impacts and mitigation should be discussed. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Section 3.10 Traffic 2. Section 3.8 Noise, Section 3.1 Air Quality
28.	6/23/03	City of Newport Beach	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Concerned about impacts to residences and businesses along PCH. EIR should analyze social and economic impacts. 2. Concerned about underground utilities during construction and access to the City's oil wells. Shutting off wells would have significant fiscal impact to the city. 3. Growth inducing impacts from capacity increase need to be analyzed. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Section 3.1 Traffic 2. Section 3.7 Land Use, Impact 3.7-1, Section 3.5 Hazards, Section 3.9 Public Services & Utilities 3. Section 5

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29.	6/25/03	Americorp Funding	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic
30.	6/27/03	County of Orange	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Concerned about flooding, SAR impacts, water quality impacts, 2. Biking and hiking trails, 3. Cultural/historical impacts, 4. Waste management, and environmental health. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Section 3.6 Hydrology and Water Quality 2. Section 3.7 Land Use, Section 3.10 Traffic 3. Section 3.3 Cultural Resources 4. Section 3.5 Hazards
31.	9/15/03	Department of the Army, Los Angeles District, Corps of Engineers	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Revised references to “Greenville Banning Channel” 2. Opposed Alt. 2A and 2B, would result in significant adverse impacts to the marsh 3. Concerned about flooding 4. Regulatory requirements, 404 permit requirement 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Figures 1-3 2. Section 3.6 Hydrology and Water Quality 3. Section 3.2 Biological Resources 4. Section 3.2 Biological Resources
32.	?	West Newport Beach Association	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
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33.	7/14/03	Gerald Horn and Avalee Horn	Supports Alternative 2A.	Section 4 Other CEQA Requirements
34.	6/15/03	Howard Rich	Alternative 1 construction in PCH would have severe negative impacts to businesses and residents. Supports Alternative 2 and hiking and biking trail through the wetlands where pipeline is constructed.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
35.	6/16/03	Ly Mueller Arnold Payne Julia Hunt Hal Pembroke Cynthia Rheto	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.

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36.	6/16/03	Marcus S. Donald C. Vicker / Accent Music	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
37.	6/16/03	Rachel Juris	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
38.	6/16/03	Christopher Cambis	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
39.	6/16/03	Justin Smith	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
40.	6/16/03	Gregg Steiner / The Green Room	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
41.	6/16/03	Masood & Eileen Miskinyar	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
42.	6/16/03	Duane & Jeanie Wengeler	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
43.	6/16/03	Mamie Hunt	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
44.	6/16/03	Thai Wave	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses. Supports Alternative 2.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
45.	6/17/03	Everette Phillips	Concerned about connection to Banning Ranch and residential development on wetlands. Supports Alternative 1 without Banning Ranch line. Abandoned land could be donated to Friends of Harbor, Beaches & Parks.	Section 3.2 Biological Resources Section 5

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46.	7/14/03	Don Harvey	Concerned about bike lanes remaining open	Section 3.10 Traffic
47.	7/14/03	Gerald Horn and Avalee Horn	Supports Alternative 2A.	Section 4 Other CEQA Requirements
48.	7/14/03	Jan D. Vandersloot	Concerned about routing sewer lines down PCH and building a sewer line through Banning Ranch.	Section 3.2 Biological Resources
49.	7/14/03	Karlene Bradley	Concerned about routing sewer lines down PCH and building a sewer line through Banning Ranch.	Section 3.2 Biological Resources
50.	7/14/03	Terry Welsh	Concerned about routing sewer lines down PCH and building a sewer line through Banning Ranch. NOP does not adequately address the environmental impacts of replacing the line serving the Banning Ranch property.	Section 3.2 Biological Resources Section 5
51.	7/15/03	Louise S. Greeley	Concerned about routing sewer lines down PCH and building a sewer line through Banning Ranch. Prefer to run the sewer line from the Bitter Point Pump Station down PCH rather than across the marsh.	Section 3.2 Biological Resources
52.	7/15/03	Tom Billings	Concerned about routing sewer lines down PCH and building a sewer line through Banning Ranch.	Section 3.2 Biological Resources
53.	7/16/03	Robin Everett	Concerned about routing sewer lines down PCH and building a sewer line through Banning Ranch.	Section 3.2 Biological Resources
54.	7/28/03	Karen Hanners	Concerned about routing sewer lines down PCH and building a sewer line through Banning Ranch. Support plan that routes the sewer lines down Pacific Coast Highway	Section 3.2 Biological Resources
55.		Monica Batista	Concerned about routing sewer lines down PCH and building a sewer line through Banning Ranch.	Section 3.2 Biological Resources



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Notice of Preparation

May 23, 2003

To: Reviewing Agencies

Re: Newport Trunk Sewer and Force Mains, Bitter Point Pump Station to Coast Trunk
SCH# 2003051126

Attached for your review and comment is the Notice of Preparation (NOP) for the Newport Trunk Sewer and Force Mains, Bitter Point Pump Station to Coast Trunk draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR).

Responsible agencies must transmit their comments on the scope and content of the NOP, focusing on specific information related to their own statutory responsibility, within 30 days of receipt of the NOP from the Lead Agency. This is a courtesy notice provided by the State Clearinghouse with a reminder for you to comment in a timely manner. We encourage other agencies to also respond to this notice and express their concerns early in the environmental review process.

Please direct your comments to:

Jim Herberg
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10844 Ellis Ave.
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with a copy to the State Clearinghouse in the Office of Planning and Research. Please refer to the SCH number noted above in all correspondence concerning this project.

If you have any questions about the environmental document review process, please call the State Clearinghouse at (916) 445-0613.

Sincerely,

Scott Morgan
Associate Planner, State Clearinghouse

Attachments
cc: Lead Agency

**Document Details Report
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SCH# 2003051126
Project Title Newport Trunk Sewer and Force Mains, Bitter Point Pump Station to Coast Trunk
Lead Agency Orange County Sanitation District

Type NOP Notice of Preparation
Description Replacement of the existing force main and gravity sewer leading from the Bitter Point Pump Station in Newport Beach to the Wastewater Treatment Plan No. 2 in Huntington Beach.

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Project Location

County Orange
City Huntington Beach, Newport Beach
Region
Cross Streets Brookhurst
Parcel No.
Township **Range** **Section** **Base**

Proximity to:

Highways 1 (Pacific Coast Highway)
Airports John Wayne
Railways
Waterways Santa Ana River, Greenville-Banning Channel, Pacific Ocean
Schools John H. Eader Elementary
Land Use

Project Issues Aesthetic/Visual; Air Quality; Archaeologic-Historic; Coastal Zone; Drainage/Absorption; Flood Plain/Flooding; Geologic/Seismic; Minerals; Noise; Public Services; Recreation/Parks; Sewer Capacity; Soil Erosion/Compaction/Grading; Solid Waste; Toxic/Hazardous; Traffic/Circulation; Vegetation; Water Quality; Water Supply; Wetland/Riparian; Wildlife; Growth Inducing; Landuse; Cumulative Effects

Reviewing Agencies Resources Agency; California Coastal Commission; Office of Historic Preservation; Department of Parks and Recreation; Department of Water Resources; Department of Fish and Game, Region 5; Native American Heritage Commission; State Lands Commission; Caltrans, District 12; Caltrans, Division of Aeronautics; Air Resources Board, Major Industrial Projects; State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Loans and Grants; Regional Water Quality Control Board, Region 8

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Subject: Notice of Preparation (NOP) for: Newport Trunk Sewer and Force Mains, Bitter Point Pump Station to Coast Trunk Supplemental Environmental Impact Report, Orange County

The Department of Conservation's (Department) Division of Oil, Gas, and Geothermal Resources (Division) has reviewed the above referenced project. The Division supervises the drilling, maintenance, and plugging and abandonment of oil, gas, and geothermal wells in California.

The proposed project is located within the administrative boundaries of the West Newport oil field. There are numerous plugged and abandoned wells within the project boundaries. These wells are identified on Division map 136 and records. The Division recommends that all wells within or in close proximity to project boundaries be accurately plotted on future project maps and assessed for potential hazards in the SEIR. This office should be contacted for detailed well location information.

Potential adverse impacts to public safety or the environment could occur from the exposure or damage of plugged and abandoned or unrecorded wells during project excavation or micro-tunneling. If such well exposure or damage occurs, this office must be contacted to obtain information on the requirements for and approval to perform remedial operations.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the NOP. If you have questions on our comments, or require technical assistance or information, please call me at the Cypress district office: 5816 Corporate Avenue, Suite 200, Cypress, CA 90630-4731; phone (714) 816-6847.

Sincerely

David Curtis
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Costa Mesa Sanitary District

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Dear Jim:

The Costa Mesa Sanitary District supports the improvement of the Newport Trunk Sewer and Force Mains and the Bitter Point Pump Station. The proposed project will improve the regional sewer system that serves portions of Newport Beach and Costa Mesa.

The Costa Mesa Sanitary District requests that as part of this project, consideration be given for the potential abandonment of six west side Costa Mesa Sanitary District sewer pump stations, one City of Newport Beach pump station, one private pump station, and alleviating the need for a future pump station in the north half of the Banning Ranch. This Costa Mesa Sanitary District project has been discussed with OCSD since 1990. The feasibility of the abandonments can be considered when OCSD selects from the six alternatives identified for the Newport Trunk system. Abandoning pumping stations decreases energy costs and eliminates a potential source of sewer spills.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

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Manager/District Engineer

cc. Board
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RE: SCH# 2003051126 – Newport Trunk Sewer and Force Mains, Bitter Point Pump Station to Coast Trunk;
Huntington Beach and Newport Beach, Orange County

Dear Mr. Herberg:

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the above mentioned Notice of Preparation. The Commission was able to perform a record search of its Sacred Lands File for the project area. The sacred lands file indicates the presence of Native American cultural resources in the project vicinity that may be impacted, as follows:

- ◆ *Adams-Estancia: a Burial Site, Village Site and Worship/Ritual Site - recorded archaeological site no. CA-ORA-76 (Newport Beach USGS quadrangle, Township 6S, Range 10W, Section 5)*
- ◆ *Fairview Village: a Burial Site, Village Site and Worship/Ritual Site - recorded archaeological site no. CA-ORA-58 (Newport Beach USGS quadrangle, Township 6S, Range 10W, Section 8)*
- ◆ *Newland House: a Burial Site, and Worship/Ritual Site - recorded archaeological site no. CA-ORA-183 (Newport Beach USGS quadrangle, Township 6S, Range 11W, Section 1)*

The absence of specific site information in the Sacred Lands File does not indicate the absence of cultural resources in any project area. Other sources of cultural resources should also be contacted for information regarding known and recorded sites. I have enclosed is a list of Native Americans individuals/organizations who may have knowledge of cultural resources in the project area. The Commission makes no recommendation or preference of a single individual, or group over another. This list should provide a starting place in locating areas of potential adverse impact within the proposed project area. I suggest you contact all of those indicated, if they cannot supply information, they might recommend other with specific knowledge. If a response has not been received within two weeks of notification, the Commission requests that you follow-up with a telephone call to ensure that the project information has been received.

If you receive notification of change of addresses and phone numbers from any these individuals or groups, please notify me. With your assistance we are able to assure that our lists contain current information.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at (916) 653-4040.

Sincerely,

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Ms. Angie Anderson
Orange County Sanitation District
10844 Ellis Avenue
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Dear Ms. Anderson

Notice of Preparation of a Draft Environmental Impact Report for Newport Trunk Sewer and Force Mains, Bitter Point Pump Station to Coast Trunk

The South Coast Air Quality Management District (AQMD) appreciates the opportunity to comment on the above-mentioned document. The AQMD's comments are recommendations regarding the analysis of potential air quality impacts from the proposed project that should be included in the Draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR).

Air Quality Analysis

The AQMD adopted its California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Air Quality Handbook in 1993 to assist other public agencies with the preparation of air quality analyses. The AQMD recommends that the Lead Agency use this Handbook as guidance when preparing its air quality analysis. Copies of the Handbook are available from the AQMD's Subscription Services Department by calling (909) 396-3720.

The Lead Agency should identify any potential adverse air quality impacts that could occur from all phases of the project and all air pollutant sources related to the project. Air quality impacts from both construction and operations should be considered. Construction-related air quality impacts typically include, but are not limited to, emissions from the use of heavy-duty equipment from grading, earth-loading/unloading, paving, architectural coatings, off-road mobile sources (e.g., heavy-duty construction equipment) and on-road mobile sources (e.g., construction worker vehicle trips, material transport trips). Operation-related air quality impacts may include, but are not limited to, emissions from stationary sources (e.g., boilers), area sources (e.g., solvents and coatings), and vehicular trips (e.g., on- and off-road tailpipe emissions and entrained dust). Air quality impacts from indirect sources, that is, sources that generate or attract vehicular trips should be included in the evaluation. An analysis of all toxic air contaminant impacts due to the decommissioning or use of equipment potentially generating such air pollutants should also be included.

Mitigation Measures


In the event that the project generates significant adverse air quality impacts, CEQA requires that all feasible mitigation measures be utilized during project construction and operation to minimize or eliminate significant adverse air quality impacts. To assist the Lead Agency with identifying possible mitigation measures for the project, please refer to Chapter 11 of the AQMD CEQA Air Quality Handbook for sample air quality mitigation measures. Additionally, AQMD's Rule 403 – Fugitive Dust, and the Implementation Handbook contain numerous measures for controlling construction-related emissions that should be considered for use as CEQA mitigation if not otherwise required. Pursuant to state CEQA Guidelines §15126.4 (a)(1)(D), any impacts resulting from mitigation measures must also be discussed.

Data Sources

AQMD rules and relevant air quality reports and data are available by calling the AQMD's Public Information Center at (909) 396-2039. Much of the information available through the Public Information Center is also available via the AQMD's World Wide Web Homepage (<http://www.aqmd.gov>).

The AQMD is willing to work with the Lead Agency to ensure that project-related emissions are accurately identified, categorized, and evaluated. Please call Charles Blankson, Ph.D., Air Quality Specialist, CEQA Section, at (909) 396-3304 if you have any questions regarding this letter.

Sincerely,



Steve Smith, Ph.D.
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Mr. Jim Herberg
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Re: Notice of Preparation
Newport Trunk Sewer and Force Mains, Bitter Point Pump Station

Dear Mr. Herberg,

Thank you for the opportunity to review the Notice of Preparation for the project known as the "Newport Trunk Sewer and Force Mains, Bitter Point Pump Station to Coast Truck (Contract No. 5-58)". As a potentially affected community we have determine the proposed project will have no environmental impacts on the City of La Habra.

If you should have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (562) 905-9724.

Sincerely,

Carlos Jaramillo
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cc: Brad Bridenbecker, City Manager
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**RE: NOTICE OF PREPARATION (NOP) OF A SUPPLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL
IMPACT REPORT FOR THE NEWPORT TRUNK SEWER AND FORCE MAINS,
BITTER POINT PUMP STATION TO COAST TRUNK (CONTRACT NO. 5-58)**

Dear Mr. Herberg:

Thank you for the opportunity to review the above-referenced document. City staff has reviewed the document and has no comments at this time.

Please forward any subsequent public notices and/or environmental documents regarding this project to my attention at the address listed below.

If you have any questions regarding this response, please do not hesitate to contact me at (714) 765-5139, Extension 5750.

Sincerely,

Joseph W. Wright
Associate Planner



Department of Toxic Substances Control



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NOTICE OF PREPARATION OF A SUPPLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT FOR THE NEWPORT TRUNK SEWER AND FORCE MAINS, BITTER POINT PUMP STATION TO COAST TRUNK PROJECT

Dear Mr. Herberg:

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) has received your Notice of Preparation (NOP) of a Supplemental Environmental Impact Report (SEIR) for the above-mentioned Project.

Based on the review of the document, DTSC's comments are as follows:

- 1) A copy of the SEIR should be filed with the State Clearinghouse, 1400 Tenth Street, P.O. Box 3044, Sacramento, California 95812-3044, Telephone Number: (916) 445-0613.
- 2) The NOP does not specifically address the Hazards' section checklist of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) which includes the following questions:
 - Would the project create a significant hazard to the public or the environment through the routine transport, use, or disposal of hazardous materials?
 - Would the project create a significant hazard to the public or the environment though reasonably foreseeable upset and accident conditions involving the release of hazardous materials into the environment?

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APPENDIX B

COMMENTS RECEIVED ON NOTICE OF PREPARATION

**Newport Trunk Sewer and Force Main Replacement Project
Comments Received on NOP**

Item No.	Date	Commenter	Summary of Comment/Concerns	EIR
1.	5/23/03	State of California, Governor's Office of Planning and Research State Clearinghouse	No Comments	
2.	5/28/03	Department of Conservation, Division of Oil, Gas, & Geothermal	Concerned about hazards from exposure or damage to plugged, abandoned, or unrecorded wells.	Section 3.5 Hazards
3.	5/29/03	Costa Mesa Sanitary District	Supports the project. Wants District to consider abandoning several pump stations.	
4.	5/30/03	Native American Heritage Commission	Three sacred lands sites are located within the project vicinity. District should contact list of individuals/organizations for more information.	Section 3.3 Cultural Resources, P. 3.3-4
5.	6/3/03	South Coast Air Quality Management District	Recommendations for air quality analysis, mitigation measures, and data sources.	Section 3.1 Air Quality
6.	6/5/03	City of La Habra	No comments.	
7.	6/9/03	City of Anaheim	No comments.	
8.	6/9/03	Department of Toxic Substances Control	CEQA checklist for Hazards section is not specifically addressed and potentially contaminated sites need to be identified.	Section 3.5 Hazards, Impact 3.5-1
9.	6/10/03	Coastal Conservancy	Concerned about wetland impacts and constraints on future restoration.	Section 3.2 Biological Resources Section 3.7 Land Use
10.	6/11/03	City of Fountain Valley	No comments.	
11.	6/16/03	Antonucci's Italiano	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
12.	6/16/03	JEL Recording Studios	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic
13.	6/16/03	Newport Beach Inn	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic
14.	6/16/03	Newport Channel Inn	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1	Section 3.10 Traffic

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			construction on residents and businesses.	
15.	6/16/03	Southern California Association of Governments	Project is regionally significant to policies in the Regional Comprehensive Plan and Guide with respect to growth management, regional transportation, air quality, and water quality. Any inconsistencies with the plan should be explained.	Section 3.1 Air Quality Section 3.6 Hydrology & Water Quality Section 3.10 Traffic Section 5
16.	6/16/03	The Frog House	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic
17.	6/16/03	The Outpost Liquor	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic
18.	6/17/03	State of California, Department of Parks and Recreation	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Construction impacts to Least Terns, Snowy Plover, and other species near the beach and marsh. 2. Noise may impact beach visitors and wildlife. 3. Also concerned about bike path closure and lost revenues from park entry fees. 4. Construction must not impede coastal access. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Section 3.2 Biological Resources (P. 3.2-23, Impact 3.2-2, 3.2-3) 2. Section 3.8 Noise 3. Section 3.7 Land Use, Impact 3.7-2, Figure 3.7-2 4. Section 3.10 Traffic
19.	6/18/03	Newport Beach Chamber of Commerce	Concerned about effects of PCH lane closures and associated traffic on business patrons and employees.	Section 3.10 Traffic
20.	6/19/03	Property House Realtors	Supports Alternative 2, Alternative 1 would have negative effects on residents and businesses.	Section 4 Other CEQA Requirements
21.	6/19/03	United States Department of Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service	Concerned about biological impacts including endangered/threatened/sensitive species, wetland habitat, and future restoration.	Section 3.2 Biological Resources
22.	6/20/03	Newport Beach Conference & Visitors Bureau	Supports Alternative 2 to minimize construction impacts to people and businesses.	Section 4 Other CEQA Requirements
23.	6/20/03	Sierra Club	Supports Alternative 1A. Wants EIR for the 10-inch gravity sewer servicing Armstrong Petroleum Oilfield because it would allow for future residential construction and could impact the wetland.	Section 4 Other CEQA Requirements
24.	6/20/03	Spaghetti Bender Restaurant	Supports Alternative 2, Alternative 1 would have	Section 4 Other CEQA

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			negative effects on residents and businesses.	Requirements
25.	6/20/03	West Newport Oil Company	Opposed to Alternative 2A and its impacts to oilfield operations and biological resources. Oilfield operations need to have sewer discharges continued in the interim and ultimate condition. Additional connection points to the sewer line should be considered for future development options.	Section 3.7 Land Use Section 4 Other CEQA Requirements
26.	6/23/03	Caltrans, District 12	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Traffic impacts from construction and operation, particularly on PCH and I-405. Require Traffic Management Plan for encroachment permit approval. Changes to utilities in Caltrans easement. Changes to drainage patterns in easement. 2. Need detour for bike path closure. 3. Runoff from the project (construction or operation) must comply with RWQCB discharge requirements, require a SWPPP, and BMPs. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Section 3.10 Traffic 2. Section 3.7 Land Use (Impact 3.7-2), Section 3.10 Traffic 3. Section 3.6 Hydrology and Water Quality
27.	6/23/03	City of Huntington Beach	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Analysis of traffic impacts on local roadways. Traffic control plans and truck haul routes need to be coordinated with Public Works. 2. Noise and air quality impacts and mitigation should be discussed. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Section 3.10 Traffic 2. Section 3.8 Noise, Section 3.1 Air Quality
28.	6/23/03	City of Newport Beach	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Concerned about impacts to residences and businesses along PCH. EIR should analyze social and economic impacts. 2. Concerned about underground utilities during construction and access to the City's oil wells. Shutting off wells would have significant fiscal impact to the city. 3. Growth inducing impacts from capacity increase need to be analyzed. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Section 3.1 Traffic 2. Section 3.7 Land Use, Impact 3.7-1, Section 3.5 Hazards, Section 3.9 Public Services & Utilities 3. Section 5

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29.	6/25/03	Americorp Funding	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic
30.	6/27/03	County of Orange	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Concerned about flooding, SAR impacts, water quality impacts, 2. Biking and hiking trails, 3. Cultural/historical impacts, 4. Waste management, and environmental health. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Section 3.6 Hydrology and Water Quality 2. Section 3.7 Land Use, Section 3.10 Traffic 3. Section 3.3 Cultural Resources 4. Section 3.5 Hazards
31.	9/15/03	Department of the Army, Los Angeles District, Corps of Engineers	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Revised references to “Greenville Banning Channel” 2. Opposed Alt. 2A and 2B, would result in significant adverse impacts to the marsh 3. Concerned about flooding 4. Regulatory requirements, 404 permit requirement 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Figures 1-3 2. Section 3.6 Hydrology and Water Quality 3. Section 3.2 Biological Resources 4. Section 3.2 Biological Resources
32.	?	West Newport Beach Association	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
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33.	7/14/03	Gerald Horn and Avalee Horn	Supports Alternative 2A.	Section 4 Other CEQA Requirements
34.	6/15/03	Howard Rich	Alternative 1 construction in PCH would have severe negative impacts to businesses and residents. Supports Alternative 2 and hiking and biking trail through the wetlands where pipeline is constructed.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
35.	6/16/03	Ly Mueller Arnold Payne Julia Hunt Hal Pembroke Cynthia Rheto	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.

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36.	6/16/03	Marcus S. Donald C. Vicker / Accent Music	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
37.	6/16/03	Rachel Juris	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
38.	6/16/03	Christopher Cambis	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
39.	6/16/03	Justin Smith	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
40.	6/16/03	Gregg Steiner / The Green Room	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
41.	6/16/03	Masood & Eileen Miskinyar	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
42.	6/16/03	Duane & Jeanie Wengeler	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
43.	6/16/03	Mamie Hunt	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
44.	6/16/03	Thai Wave	Concerned about effects of Alternative 1 construction on residents and businesses. Supports Alternative 2.	Section 3.10 Traffic, Impact 3.10-1, address impacts to local roadways.
45.	6/17/03	Everette Phillips	Concerned about connection to Banning Ranch and residential development on wetlands. Supports Alternative 1 without Banning Ranch line. Abandoned land could be donated to Friends of Harbor, Beaches & Parks.	Section 3.2 Biological Resources Section 5

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46.	7/14/03	Don Harvey	Concerned about bike lanes remaining open	Section 3.10 Traffic
47.	7/14/03	Gerald Horn and Avalee Horn	Supports Alternative 2A.	Section 4 Other CEQA Requirements
48.	7/14/03	Jan D. Vandersloot	Concerned about routing sewer lines down PCH and building a sewer line through Banning Ranch.	Section 3.2 Biological Resources
49.	7/14/03	Karlene Bradley	Concerned about routing sewer lines down PCH and building a sewer line through Banning Ranch.	Section 3.2 Biological Resources
50.	7/14/03	Terry Welsh	Concerned about routing sewer lines down PCH and building a sewer line through Banning Ranch. NOP does not adequately address the environmental impacts of replacing the line serving the Banning Ranch property.	Section 3.2 Biological Resources Section 5
51.	7/15/03	Louise S. Greeley	Concerned about routing sewer lines down PCH and building a sewer line through Banning Ranch. Prefer to run the sewer line from the Bitter Point Pump Station down PCH rather than across the marsh.	Section 3.2 Biological Resources
52.	7/15/03	Tom Billings	Concerned about routing sewer lines down PCH and building a sewer line through Banning Ranch.	Section 3.2 Biological Resources
53.	7/16/03	Robin Everett	Concerned about routing sewer lines down PCH and building a sewer line through Banning Ranch.	Section 3.2 Biological Resources
54.	7/28/03	Karen Hanners	Concerned about routing sewer lines down PCH and building a sewer line through Banning Ranch. Support plan that routes the sewer lines down Pacific Coast Highway	Section 3.2 Biological Resources
55.		Monica Batista	Concerned about routing sewer lines down PCH and building a sewer line through Banning Ranch.	Section 3.2 Biological Resources



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To: Reviewing Agencies

Re: Newport Trunk Sewer and Force Mains, Bitter Point Pump Station to Coast Trunk
SCH# 2003051126

Attached for your review and comment is the Notice of Preparation (NOP) for the Newport Trunk Sewer and Force Mains, Bitter Point Pump Station to Coast Trunk draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR).

Responsible agencies must transmit their comments on the scope and content of the NOP, focusing on specific information related to their own statutory responsibility, within 30 days of receipt of the NOP from the Lead Agency. This is a courtesy notice provided by the State Clearinghouse with a reminder for you to comment in a timely manner. We encourage other agencies to also respond to this notice and express their concerns early in the environmental review process.

Please direct your comments to:

Jim Herberg
Orange County Sanitation District
10844 Ellis Ave.
Fountain Valley, CA 92708

with a copy to the State Clearinghouse in the Office of Planning and Research. Please refer to the SCH number noted above in all correspondence concerning this project.

If you have any questions about the environmental document review process, please call the State Clearinghouse at (916) 445-0613.

Sincerely,

Scott Morgan
Associate Planner, State Clearinghouse

Attachments
cc: Lead Agency

**Document Details Report
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SCH# 2003051126
Project Title Newport Trunk Sewer and Force Mains, Bitter Point Pump Station to Coast Trunk
Lead Agency Orange County Sanitation District

Type NOP Notice of Preparation
Description Replacement of the existing force main and gravity sewer leading from the Bitter Point Pump Station in Newport Beach to the Wastewater Treatment Plan No. 2 in Huntington Beach.

Lead Agency Contact

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Phone 714.593-7310 **Fax**
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Project Location

County Orange
City Huntington Beach, Newport Beach
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Proximity to:

Highways 1 (Pacific Coast Highway)
Airports John Wayne
Railways
Waterways Santa Ana River, Greenville-Banning Channel, Pacific Ocean
Schools John H. Eader Elementary
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Project Issues Aesthetic/Visual; Air Quality; Archaeologic-Historic; Coastal Zone; Drainage/Absorption; Flood Plain/Flooding; Geologic/Seismic; Minerals; Noise; Public Services; Recreation/Parks; Sewer Capacity; Soil Erosion/Compaction/Grading; Solid Waste; Toxic/Hazardous; Traffic/Circulation; Vegetation; Water Quality; Water Supply; Wetland/Riparian; Wildlife; Growth Inducing; Landuse; Cumulative Effects

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Subject: Notice of Preparation (NOP) for: Newport Trunk Sewer and Force Mains, Bitter Point Pump Station to Coast Trunk Supplemental Environmental Impact Report, Orange County

The Department of Conservation's (Department) Division of Oil, Gas, and Geothermal Resources (Division) has reviewed the above referenced project. The Division supervises the drilling, maintenance, and plugging and abandonment of oil, gas, and geothermal wells in California.

The proposed project is located within the administrative boundaries of the West Newport oil field. There are numerous plugged and abandoned wells within the project boundaries. These wells are identified on Division map 136 and records. The Division recommends that all wells within or in close proximity to project boundaries be accurately plotted on future project maps and assessed for potential hazards in the SEIR. This office should be contacted for detailed well location information.

Potential adverse impacts to public safety or the environment could occur from the exposure or damage of plugged and abandoned or unrecorded wells during project excavation or micro-tunneling. If such well exposure or damage occurs, this office must be contacted to obtain information on the requirements for and approval to perform remedial operations.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the NOP. If you have questions on our comments, or require technical assistance or information, please call me at the Cypress district office: 5816 Corporate Avenue, Suite 200, Cypress, CA 90630-4731; phone (714) 816-6847.

Sincerely

David Curtis
Environmental Engineer