



Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

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NOTICE OF APPLICABILITY; GENERAL SECTION 401 WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION ORDER REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ADAM MAZURKIEWICZ, O'SHAUGHNESSY BOAT RAMP ROAD REPAIR PROJECT (WDID#5B55CR00171), TUOLUMNE COUNTY

On 19 June 2023, San Francisco Public Utilities Commission (Applicant) filed a notification requesting coverage under the 25 February 2022 State Water Resources Control Board Clean Water Act Section 401 General Water Quality Certification and Order of the United States Army Corps of Engineers 2021 Nationwide Permits (General Certification Order) for the O'Shaughnessy Boat Ramp Road Repair (Project). After review of the notification and the supplemental material submitted by the Applicant, the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Valley Water Board) has determined that the Project qualifies for enrollment under this General Certification Order. The proposed activity will take place within less than 0.005 acre/80 linear feet of waters of the United States.

The Central Valley Water Board is certifying this Project under United States Army Corps of Engineers Nationwide Permit #36 (Boat Ramps), subject to the conditions and the notification requirements described in the Nationwide Permit ("Special Conditions"). This Notice of Applicability is being issued under the General Certification Order pursuant to Section 3838 of the California Code of Regulations.

A copy of the [General Certification Order](https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/cwa401/docs/2021/certification-denial-corps-nationwide-permit-project-general-order-10122021.pdf) (https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/cwa401/docs/2021/certification-denial-corps-nationwide-permit-project-general-order-10122021.pdf) can be found on the State Water Resources Control Board's General Order webpage and is enclosed.

The Project must proceed in accordance with the requirements contained in this Notice of Applicability and General Certification Order. The Project is described in the notification form requesting coverage under the General Certification Order, dated 19 June 2023, and supplementary information (Application Package). Coverage under

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the General Certification Order is no longer valid if the Project (as described) is modified.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

The 0.005-acre O'Shaughnessy Boat Ramp Road Repair (Project) consists of installing a soldier pile retaining wall system along the paved/dirt road above the ordinary high-water mark to replace the gabion basket wall repair that is currently failing. The soldier pile wall will be approximately 80 feet long and 5 feet wide and supported by 20 soldier piles spaced 4 feet apart. The Project requires drilling 18-inch diameter holes into bedrock for soldier pile insertion at a maximum depth of 15 feet. Between the soldier piles, concrete lagging will be inserted from the top of the bedrock to the top of the steel pile to form a wall. Excavation is required along the front face (reservoir side) of the road above the ordinary high-water mark using equipment from the road. A rock wall facade will replace the existing failing gabion basket wall along the edge of the road, along the reservoir side of the road's vertical slope to comply with the National Park Service Design Guidelines which requires the structure blend in with its surroundings and maintain aesthetic qualities of the site's use as a National Park.

The Project will permanently impact 0.005 acre/80 linear feet of waters of the United States.

PROJECT LOCATION:

Section 16, Township 1 N, Range 20 E, MDB&M

Latitude: 37°56'49.37" and Longitude: -119°47'5.43"

PROJECT SCHEDULE:

September 2023 through 23 December 2023

APPLICATION FEE RECEIVED:

An application fee of \$2,734.00 was received on 19 June 2023.

The fee amount was determined as required by California Code of Regulations, title 23, sections 3833(b)(3) and 2200(a)(3) and was calculated as category E – Low Impact Discharges (fee code 87) with the dredge and fill fee calculator.

If you have any questions regarding this Notice of Applicability, please contact Sara Gevorgyan by phone at (916) 464-4710 or by email at

Sara.Gevorgyan@waterboards.ca.gov.

Original Signed by Anne Walters for:

Patrick Pulupa
Executive Officer

Enclosure: State Water Board Certification of the 2021 Nationwide Permits General Water Quality Certification and Order

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