NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A NEGATIVE DECLARATION

April 5, 2019

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Monterey has prepared a Negative Declaration, pursuant to the requirements of CEQA, for the City of Monterey Storm Drainage Maintenance Plan.

The proposed Negative Declaration and Initial Study, as well as referenced documents, are available for review at the City of Monterey, Planning Office, Colton Hall, 1st Floor, 570 Pacific Street, Monterey, CA 93940 and on the City website at: www.monterey.org/planning. In accordance with time limits mandated by State law, written comments on this Negative Declaration and Initial Study will be accepted from:

Friday, April 5, 2019 to Monday, May 6, 2019

A public hearing for this project will be held on: May 28, 2019 at 4:00 p.m. or 7:00 p.m. before the Planning Commission in the Council Chambers, Monterey City Hall, 580 Pacific Street, Monterey.

Project Title: City of Monterey Storm Drainage Maintenance Plan

Lead agency name and address: City of Monterey, 580 Pacific Street, Monterey, CA 93940

Project Description: The proposed project is the implementation of the City of Monterey's Storm Drainage Maintenance Plan (SDMP). The SDMP describes maintenance activities for 29 high priority sites over a five-year period necessary for upkeep of the City's stormwater drainage system. Maintenance activities would primarily consist of the removal of accumulated sediment and vegetation that could impede the flow of water. Maintenance activities would occur primarily during the summer and early fall prior to the rainy season. Some maintenance activities would be performed manually by crews using hand tools, while other activities would require heavy equipment, such as a bulldozer and backhoe.

For reviewing agencies:
The City of Monterey requests that you review the enclosed materials and provide any appropriate comments related to your agency's area of responsibility. The space below may be used to indicate that your agency has no comments or to state brief comments.

Agency Name: City of Monterey
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The project site is not located on any of the lists enumerated under Section 65962.5 of the Government Code including, but not limited to lists of hazardous waste facilities, land designated as hazardous waste disposal sites, and the information in the Hazardous Waste and Substances Statement required under subdivision f) of that section.

For Additional Information / Return Comments to:

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