

**CENTRAL SAN JOAQUIN WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT
NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A NEGATIVE DECLARATION**

Project Title: Central San Joaquin Water Conservation District Annexation
Project Location: 28508 and 28617 Sonora Road, Farmington, CA 95230
Lead Agency: Central San Joaquin Water Conservation District,
11 S. San Joaquin Street, Suite 306, Stockton CA 95202

In accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) (Public Resources Code §21000 et seq.), the CEQA Guidelines (Title 14 Code of Regulations Section 15000 et seq.), and the Central San Joaquin Water Conservation District Procedures for Implementation of CEQA, an Initial Study for the above-named project was prepared that identifies and evaluates the environmental impacts of the project.

Project Description: The annexation of two parcels totaling 244.93 acres into the Central San Joaquin Water Conservation District. Project will annex parcel 187-380-030-000 and 187-380-080-000 into the District. These parcels are within San Joaquin County and overlie the common groundwater basin of the District. Present use is agricultural.

Environmental Review and Comment: A Negative Declaration has been deemed appropriate for this project and this is intended to serve as notice of intent to adopt a Negative Declaration for this project. The Initial Study and Proposed Negative Declaration are being circulated for public review and comment and are available at the District office:

Central San Joaquin Water Conservation District
c/o Reid W. Roberts
11 S. San Joaquin Street Suite 306
Stockton CA 95202

The public review and comment period for the Initial Study and Proposed Negative Declaration will extend from Wednesday, May 14, 2025 through Tuesday June 3, 2025.

Comments may be submitted in writing to the Central San Joaquin Water Conservation District.

The project and the Proposed Negative Declaration will be considered for approval at the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Central San Joaquin Water Conservation District on June 5, 2025. The Negative Declaration will become Final if adopted by the Board.

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