ENVIROMENTAL ASSESSMENT QUESTIONNAIRE FOR
SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY WATER COURSE ENCROACHMENT PERMIT

This environmental assessment questionnaire must be completed for all San Joaquin County Water Course Encroachment applications. Please provide an explanation where requested. Incomplete answers may result in delays processing permit applications. Failure to complete the questionnaire may result in rejection of the application.

1. Has an environmental assessment of initial study been made or is one being made by a local or State permitting agency in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act?
   No _
   Yes _ If yes, identify the Lead Agency, type of document prepared or which will be prepared, and the State Clearing House number.
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2. Will the project require certification, authorization or issuance of a permit by any local, State or federal environmental control agency.
   No _
   Yes _ If yes list all other governmental permits or approval necessary for this project or use, including U. S. Army corps of Engineers’ 404 and Section 10 permits, State Water Quality Certification, Department of fish and Game 1600 agreement. Attach copies of all applicable permits.
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3. Give us the name and address of the owner of the property on which the project of use is located.

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4. Will the project or use require issuance of a variance or conditional use permit?  
   No  
   Yes _  Explain: __________________________________________________________
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5. Is the project or use currently operating under an existing use permit issued by a local agency?  
   No _  
   Yes _  Explain: __________________________________________________________
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6. Describe all types of vegetation growing on the project site, including: trees, brush, grass, etc.

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7. Describe what type of wildlife or fish may use the project site of adjoining areas for habitat, food source, nesting sites, source of water, etc.

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8. Has the Department of Fish and Game, U. S. fish and Wildlife Service, or National Marine Fisheries Service been consulted relative to the existence of, or impacts to, threatened or endangered species on or near the project site?
   No _ Explain:
   Yes _ Explain: _______________________________________________________

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9. Will the project or use significantly change present uses of the project area?
   No _
   Yes _ Explain: _______________________________________________________

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10. Will the project result in changes to scenic views or existing recreational opportunities?
    No _
    Yes _ Explain: _______________________________________________________
11. Will the project result in the discharge of silt or other materials into a body of water?
   No  
   Yes  
   Explain: ____________________________________________________________
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12. Will the project involve the application, use of disposal of hazardous materials?
    No  
    Yes  
    If Yes, list the types of materials, proposed use, and disposal plan. Provide copies of all applicable hazards material handling plans.
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13. Will construction activities or the completed project generate significant amounts of noise?
    No  
    Yes  
    Explain: ____________________________________________________________
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14. Will construction activities or the completed project generate significant amounts of dust, ash, smoke, fumes or odors?
    No  
    Yes  
    Explain: ____________________________________________________________
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15. Will the project activities involve the burning of brush, trees or construction materials, etc.
   No  
   Yes  Explain, and identify safety and air pollution control measures.
       
       
16. Will the project affect existing agricultural uses or result in the loss of existing agricultural lands?
   No  
   Yes  Explain: 
       
       
17. Have any other projects similar to the proposed project been planned or completed in the same general area as the proposed project?
   No  
   Yes  Explain and identify any other similar projects:
       
       
18. Will the project have the potential to encourage, facilitate, or allow additional or new growth of development?
   No  
   Yes  Explain:
       
       
19. Will materials be excavated from the flood plain?
   No  
   Yes  If Yes, please answer the remaining eight questions.
THE REMAINING QUESTIONS MUST ONLY BE ANSWERED IF THE ANSWER TO QUESTION NO. 19 WAS “YES” IF THE ANSWER TO QUESTION NO. 19 WAS “NO” YOU DO NOT NEED TO COMPLETE THE REMAINING QUESTIONS.

19a. What is the volume of material to be excavated?

Annually ____________________  Total __________________________

19b. What type of materials will be excavated?

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19c. Will the project site include processing and stockpiling of material on site?
No _
Yes _ Explain: _____________________________________________________

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19d. What method and equipment will be used to excavate material?

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19e. What is the water source for the project?

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19f. How will waste materials wash water, debris, and sediment be disposed of?

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19g. What is the proposed end land use for the project site?

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19h. Has a reclamation plan been prepared for this site in accordance with the Surface Mining and Reclamation act of 1975?
No _
Yes _ If yes, please attach a copy.