

Date of Notice: May 15, 2020

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

WBS No. B-19155.02.06 (Sewer)\B-19160.02.06 (Water)

PROJECT NAME/NUMBER: Sewer and AC Water Group 793A

COMMUNITY PLAN AREA: Southeastern San Diego

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 8

LOCATION: The project is located on various streets including 19th Street, 20th Street, 21st Street, 22nd Street, 24th Street, 25th Street, Commercial Street, G Street, Market Street, Island Avenue, K Street, L Street, and various alleyways.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Award an as-needed design engineering services contract, for the Sewer and AC Water Group 793A project. Proposed services include, project management and coordination, preparation of design plans, traffic control, potholing for utilities, and geotechnical investigation. Geotechnical investigation would include research, subsurface exploration, and testing to provide recommendation for the project design. Potholing for utilities would also include research and subsurface testing to provide recommendation for the project design.

ENTITY CONSIDERING PROJECT APPROVAL: City of San Diego

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: Statutorily exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA State Guidelines, Section 15262 (Feasibility and Planning Studies)

ENTITY MAKING ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: City of San Diego Public Works Department

STATEMENT SUPPORTING REASON FOR ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: The City of San Diego conducted an environmental review which determined that the project meets the statutory exemption criteria set forth in CEQA State Guidelines, Section 15262 [Feasibility and Planning Studies], which allows for the evaluation of possible future actions that are not funded, adopted or approved; and where the exceptions listed in Section 15300.2 would not apply.

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On May 15, 2020 the City of San Diego made the above-referenced environmental determination pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). This determination is appealable to the City Council. If you have any questions about this determination, contact the City Project Manager listed above.

Applications to appeal the CEQA determination to the City Council must be filed in the office of the City Clerk within 10 business days from the date of the posting of this Notice (June 1, 2020). During the Statewide "Safer-at-Home" directive

to reduce the spread of COVID-19, beginning March 19, 2020, appeals to the City Clerk must be filed by email or US Mail as follows:

- 1) Appeals filed via E-mail: Send the appeal by email to Hearings1@sandiego.gov; your email appeal will be acknowledged within 24 hours. The application can be obtained here. You must separately mail the appeal fee by check payable to the City Treasurer to: City Clerk/Appeal, MS 2A, 202 C Street, San Diego, CA 92101. The appeal filing fee must be postmarked within 5 business days of the date the appeal is filed.
- 2) Appeals filed via US Mail: Send the appeal by US Mail to City Clerk/Appeal, MS 2A, 202 C Street, San Diego, CA 92101. Appeals filed by US Mail must have a United States Postal Service (USPS) postmark by the appeal deadline to be considered valid. The appeal application can be obtained here. You must separately mail the required appeal fee by check payable to the City Treasurer to: City Clerk/Appeal, MS 2A, 202 C Street, San Diego, CA 92101. The appeal filing fee must be postmarked within 5 business days of the date the appeal is filed.

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