April 7, 2017

To: Reviewing Agencies
Re: Long Term Facility Needs Study
SCH# 2017041026

Attached for your review and comment is the Notice of Preparation (NOP) for the Long Term Facility Needs Study draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR).

Responsible agencies must transmit their comments on the scope and content of the NOP, focusing on specific information related to their own statutory responsibility, within 30 days of receipt of the NOP from the Lead Agency. This is a courtesy notice provided by the State Clearinghouse with a reminder for you to comment in a timely manner. We encourage other agencies to also respond to this notice and express their concerns early in the environmental review process.

Please direct your comments to:

Patrick Mathews
Salinas Valley Solid Waste Authority
128 Sun Street, #101
Salinas, CA 93901

with a copy to the State Clearinghouse in the Office of Planning and Research. Please refer to the SCH number noted above in all correspondence concerning this project.

If you have any questions about the environmental document review process, please call the State Clearinghouse at (916) 445-0613.

Sincerely,

Scott Morgan
Director, State Clearinghouse

Attachments
cc: Lead Agency
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**Lead Agency Contact**

- **Name:** Patrick Mathews
- **Agency:** Salinas Valley Solid Waste Authority
- **Phone:** 831 775-3005
- **Fax:**
- **Address:** 128 Sun Street, #101, Salinas
- **City:** Salinas
- **State:** CA
- **Zip:** 93901

**Project Location**

- **County:** Monterey
- **City:** Salinas
- **Region:**
- **Cross Streets:** Multiple: Harrison Rd/US101, Sun St., Crazy Horse Cyn Rd., Johnson Cyn. Rd.
- **Lat / Long:**
- **Parcel No.:** Various
- **Township:**

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**Proximity to:**

- **Highways:** US 101
- **Airports:** Salinas Municipal
- **Railways:**
- **Waterways:**
- **Schools:**
- **Land Use:** Harrison Road: Commercial, Sun Street: General Industrial, Landfill/Crazy Horse and Johnson Canyon: Public/Quasi-Public

**Project Issues**

- Aesthetic/Visual; Agricultural Land; Air Quality; Archaeologic-Historic; Biological Resources; Coastal Zone; Drainage/Absorption; Flood Plain/Flooding; Forest Land/Fire Hazard; Geologic/Seismic; Noise; Population/Housing Balance; Public Services; Recreation/Parks; Solid Waste; Toxic/Hazardous; Traffic/Circulation; Vegetation; Water Quality; Water Supply; Wetland/Riparian; Growth Inducing; Landuse; Cumulative Effects

**Reviewing Agencies**

- Resources Agency; Department of Parks and Recreation; Resources, Recycling and Recovery; Department of Water Resources; Department of Fish and Wildlife, Region 4; Native American Heritage Commission; Caltrans, Division of Aeronautics; California Highway Patrol; Caltrans, District 5; Air Resources Board; Air Resources Board, Major Industrial Projects; Department of Toxic Substances Control; Regional Water Quality Control Board, Region 3
Notice of Completion & Environmental Document Transmittal

Mail to: State Clearinghouse, P.O. Box 3044, Sacramento, CA 95812-3044 (916) 445-0613
For Hand Delivery/Street Address: 1400 Tenth Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

Project Title: Long Term Facility Needs Study

Lead Agency: Salinas Valley Solid Waste Authority (SVSWA)  
Mailing Address: 128 Sun Street, #101  
City: Salinas  
Zip: 93901  
County: Monterey

Project Location: County: Monterey (alternative sites)  
City/Nearest Community: Salinas  
Cross Streets: Multiple locations: Harrison Rd/US101, Sun St, Crazy Horse Cyn Rd, Johnson Cyn Rd  
Zip Code: Various  
Longitude/Latitude (degrees, minutes and seconds): ° N ° W  
Total Acres: __________

Assessor's Parcel No.: Various  
Within 2 Miles: State Hwy #: US 101  
Aerports: Salinas Municipal Airport  
Waterways:  
Railways:  
Schools:  

Document Type:  
CEQA:  
☐ NOP  
☐ Early Cons  
☐ Neg Dec  
☐ Mit Neg Dec  
☐ Draft EIR (Prior SCH No.)  
☐ Supplement/Subsequent EIR  
☐ Rezone  
☐ Prezone  
☐ Use Permit  
☐ Land Division (Subdivision, etc.)  
☐ Other:

Local Action Type:  
☐ General Plan Update  
☐ General Plan Amendment  
☐ General Plan Element  
☐ Community Plan  
☐ Site Plan  
☐ Rezone  
☐ Prezone  
☐ Use Permit  
☐ Land Division (Subdivision, etc.)  
☐ Other:

Development Type:  
☐ Residential: Units  
☐ Office: Sq. ft.  
☐ Commercial: Sq. ft.  
☐ Industrial: Sq. ft.  
☐ Educational:  
☐ Recreational:  
☐ Water Facilities: Type  
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☐ Transportation: Type  
☐ Mining: Mineral  
☐ Power: Type  
☐ Waste Treatment: Type  
☐ Hazardous Waste: Type  
☐ Other: Solid waste transfer and processing

Project Issues Discussed in Document:  
☐ Aesthetic/Visual  
☐ Agricultural Land  
☐ Air Quality  
☐ Archeological/Historical  
☐ Biological Resources  
☐ Coastal Zone  
☐ Drainage/Absorption  
☐ Economic/Jobs  
☐ Fiscal  
☐ Flood Plain/Flooding  
☐ Forest Land/Fire Hazard  
☐ Geologic/Sediment  
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☐ Noise  
☐ Population/Housing Balance  
☐ Public Services/Facilities  
☐ Recreation/Parks  
☐ Schools/Universities  
☐ Septic Systems  
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☐ Soil Erosion/Compaction/Grading  
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☐ Land Use  
☐ Cumulative Effects  
☐ Other:

Present Land Use/Zoning/General Plan Designation:  
Harrison Road: Commercial, Sun Street: General Industrial, Landfill/Crazy Horse and Johnson Canyon: Public/Quasi-Public

Project Description: (please use a separate page if necessary)
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Note: The State Clearinghouse will assign identification numbers for all new projects. If a SCH number already exists for a project (e.g. Notice of Preparation or previous draft document) please fill in.

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