

CENTRAL VALLEY FLOOD PROTECTION BOARD

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**Notice of Intent to Adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration****Central Valley Flood Protection Board
Yuba County, California**

- Project Title:** Marysville Ring Levee Improvement Project – Phases 2B and 3 Utility Relocation (Project)
- Project Location:** The City of Marysville is located approximately 50 miles north of Sacramento, California in Yuba County and is surrounded by 7.5 miles of levee. These levees vary in height from 17 to 28 feet and protect the City of Marysville from flooding. Phase 2B and 3 are located along the existing levee south of 1st Street, north and west of the Yuba River, and east of A Street, 12th Street, and Hwy 20. Utilities will be relocated as part of the Project, adjacent to the existing levee in Phases 2B and 3.
- Project Description:** The Central Valley Flood Protection Board (CVFPB) along with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) and Marysville Levee District (MLD) propose improvements to the Marysville Ring Levee (MRL). A previous Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) was adopted in 2010 with the initial Environmental Assessment/Initial Study (EA/IS). A Supplemental Environmental Assessment/Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration (EA/IS/MND) was adopted for Phases 2B and 3 in 2019. Since 2019, additional design refinements to the utility relocation along Phases 2B and 3 have occurred, resulting in the need for an additional Supplemental EA/IS/MND. Utilities are anticipated to be relocated in 2021.
- Public Meeting:** A virtual public meeting will be held to discuss the Project and accept public questions and comments. The public meeting will be held December 15th, 2020 at 4:00 P.M. Instructions to access the virtual meeting through the internet and obtain a copy of the draft document will be posted at the following web link:
<https://www.spk.usace.army.mil/Missions/Civil-Works/Marysville-Ring-Levee/>

Following the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), a Draft Supplemental EA/IS/MND has been prepared for this Project. The results of the Draft Supplemental EA/IS/MND indicate that mitigation measures would reduce all potential adverse impacts to less-than-significant levels. The CVFPB is expected to consider adoption of the MND and approval of the Project during a regularly scheduled CVFPB meeting on February 26th, 2021.

Comments on the Draft Supplemental EA/IS/MND will be accepted from December 11, 2020 to January 10, 2021.

Written comments may be submitted to:

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The 2010 EA/IS, 2019 Supplemental EA/IS/MND and Draft Supplemental EA/IS/MND are available at the link above or on the Central Valley Flood Protection Boards website www.cvfpb.ca.gov, under Public Notices. Copies of the Draft Supplemental EA/IS/MND can be made available upon request.