

**NOTICE OF INTENT
TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION**

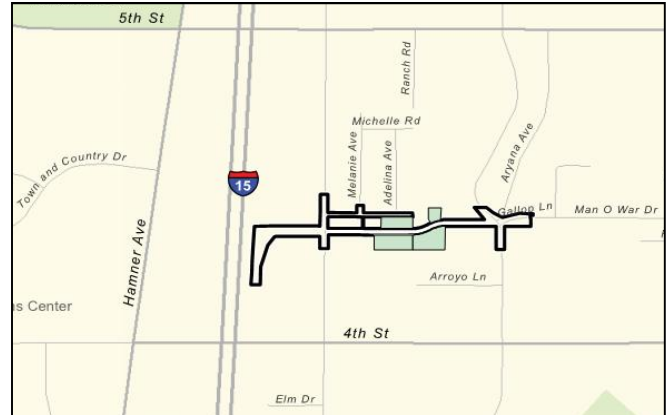
In accordance with Section 15072 of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines, this notice is to inform the general public that the Riverside County Flood Control and Water Conservation District (District) has prepared an Initial Study (IS) for the North Norco Channel Line NB, Stage 3 project and intends to adopt the Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) for the project.

Project Title: North Norco Channel Line NB, Stage 3

Project Location: South of Fifth Street, north of Fourth Street, east of the Interstate (I) 15 Freeway and the North Norco Channel, and west of the intersection of Half Circle Road and Gallop Lane in the City of Norco, Riverside County

Project Description: The District proposes to replace and upgrade an existing interim dirt-lined trapezoidal flood control channel with a concrete-lined trapezoidal and rectangular channel, including concrete culverts, across Valley View Avenue and Sierra Avenue and an Armorflex, gabion, or rock-lined invert at the western end where the Line NB channel ties into the North Norco Channel.

Storm drain lines, inlets, and catch basins would also be constructed/reconstructed on Sierra Avenue, Fortuna Road, Valley View Avenue, and Gallop Lane.



Findings: In accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act, the District has conducted an Initial Study, which analyzes potential impacts the project may have on the environment. The result of this study shows this project will not significantly impact the environment and a Mitigated Negative Declaration is proposed. This public notice is to solicit comments, questions or concerns about the environmental analysis and project impacts.

Comment Period: April 27, 2017 to May 29, 2017

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The IS/MND and technical appendices are available for public viewing at the following locations:

Riverside County Flood Control and
Water Conservation District
1995 Market Street
Riverside, CA 92501

Norco Public Library
3240 Hamner Avenue
Suite 101B
Norco, CA 92860

The documents may also be viewed or downloaded at www.rcflood.org (lower left hand corner, CEQA/Section 18 tab).

Please submit comments on the IS/MND before 5:00 p.m. on May 29, 2017 to Mike Wong at the physical address or email above.