## NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF NON-FEDERAL COST SHARING REPORT FOR MURRIETA CREEK FLOOD CONTROL, ENVIRONMENTAL RESTORATION AND RECREATION PROJECT, PHASES 1A-2B

Interested community members, organizations and public agencies are encouraged to review and comment on the State Flood Control Subventions Program: Murrieta Creek Flood Control, Environmental Restoration and Recreation Project, Phases 1A – 2B ("Project") State Cost-Share Report ("Non-Federal Cost Sharing Report" or "Report"), which is posted in compliance with California Code of Regulations, Title 23, Section 572(e).

The 45-day public notice and written comment period for the Report begins on July 11, 2025, and ends on August 25, 2025 at 5:00 p.m.

## **Non-Federal Cost Sharing Report**

The California Department of Water Resources ("DWR") recently notified the Riverside County Flood Control and Water Conservation District ("RCFCWCD" or "District") that Flood Control Subventions Program staff had reviewed the Report and determined that the Project meets the requirements set forth in the California Water Code Section 12585.7(d).

In accordance with the California Water Code, Section 12585.7, the baseline state cost share for eligible non-federal costs of the Project is 50%. The Report describes how the Project meets the DWR Flood Control Subventions Program's Disadvantage Area Objective per California Code of Regulations, Title 23, Section 574(e), and substantiates the Project's eligibility for an additional 20% state cost share, resulting in a maximum 70% state cost share of the eligible non-federal costs of the Project. Per the notice, the state cost share is solely applicable to the federal interest portion of the Project, which is limited to recreation and fish and wildlife features upstream of Winchester Road, and all Project features downstream of Winchester Road. The State will not reimburse the District for any funds spent by the Non-Federal Sponsor beyond the federal interest.

## **Report Locations**

The Non-Federal Cost Sharing Report can be downloaded at <u>Subvention Murrieta Creek State Cost Share Report September 2023.pdf</u>. Alternatively, the Report and public notice may be accessed by visiting <a href="https://rcflood.org/public-notices">https://rcflood.org/public-notices</a>.

A printed copy of the Report is also available Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the front counter of the District, 1995 Market Street, Riverside CA 92501.

## **Public Comments and Contact Information**

Please submit comments regarding the Report in writing no later than 5:00 p.m. on August 25, 2025, to RCFCWCD, 1995 Market Street, Riverside CA 92501, Attn: Emergency Management and Government Affairs. Written comments should make reference to the "State Flood Control Subventions Program: Murrieta Creek Flood Control, Environmental Restoration and Recreation Project, Phases 1A – 2B State Cost-Share Report".

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