



State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife
2025 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE
CASH RECEIPT
DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/25) Previously DFG 753.5a

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STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)

2025050610

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LEAD AGENCY

ROSS VALLEY SANITARY DISTRICT

LEAD AGENCY EMAIL

DATE

06/23/2025

COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING

Marin

DOCUMENT NUMBER

PROJECT TITLE

PALM/MANN/CYPRESS GRAVITY SEWER IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME

ROSS VALLEY SANITARY DISTRICT

PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL

PHONE NUMBER

(415)259-2949X217

PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS

1111 ANDERSON DR

CITY

SAN RAFAEL

STATE

CA

ZIP CODE

94901

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

☐ Local Public Agency

☐ School District

☒ Other Special District

☐ State Agency

☐ Private Entity

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

☐ Environmental Impact Report (EIR)

\$4,123.50

\$

0.00

☒ Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)

\$2,968.75

\$

2,968.75

☐ Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW

\$1,401.75

\$

0.00

☐ Exempt from fee

☐ Notice of Exemption (attach)

☐ CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)

☐ Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)

☐ Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only)

\$850.00

\$

0.00

☒ County documentary handling fee

\$

50.00

☐ Other

\$

PAYMENT METHOD:

☐ Cash

☐ Credit

☒ Check

☐ Other

TOTAL RECEIVED

\$

3,018.75

SIGNATURE

X

AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE

MARIN COUNTY CLERK, A. OXLAJ AREVALO, DEPUTY COUNTY CLERK



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NOTICE

Each project applicant shall remit to the county clerk the environmental filing fee before or at the time of filing a Notice of Determination (Pub. Resources Code, § 21152; Fish & G. Code, § 711.4, subdivision (d); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 753.5). Without the appropriate fee, statutory or categorical exemption, or a valid No Effect Determination issued by the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW), the Notice of Determination is not operative, vested, or final, and shall not be accepted by the county clerk.

COUNTY DOCUMENTARY HANDLING FEE

The county clerk may charge a documentary handling fee of fifty dollars (\$50) per filing in addition to the environmental filing fee (Fish & G. Code, § 711.4, subd. (e); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 753.5, subd. (g)(1)). A county board of supervisors shall have the authority to increase or decrease the fee or charge, that is otherwise authorized to be levied by another provision of law, in the amount reasonably necessary to recover the cost of providing any product or service or the cost of enforcing any regulation for which the fee or charge is levied (Gov. Code, § 54985, subd. (a)).

COLLECTION PROCEDURES FOR COUNTY GOVERNMENTS

Filing Notice of Determination (NOD):

- ☐ Collect environmental filing fee or copy of previously issued cash receipt. *(Do not collect fee if project applicant presents a No Effect Determination signed by CDFW. An additional fee is required for each separate environmental document. An addendum is not considered a separate environmental document. Checks should be made payable to the county.)*
- ☐ Issue cash receipt to project applicant.
- ☐ Attach copy of cash receipt and, if applicable, previously issued cash receipt, to NOD.
- ☐ Mail filing fees for CRP document to CDFW prior to filing the NOD or equivalent final approval (Cal. Code Regs. Tit. 14, § 753.5 (b)(5)). The CRP should request receipt from CDFW to show proof of payment for filing the NOD or equivalent approval. Please mail payment to address below made attention to the Cash Receipts Unit of the Accounting Services Branch.

If the project applicant presents a **No Effect Determination** signed by CDFW, also:

- ☐ Attach No Effect Determination to NOD *(no environmental filing fee is due)*.

Filing Notice of Exemption (NOE) (Statutorily or categorically exempt project (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, §§ 15260-15285, 15300-15333))

- ☐ Issue cash receipt to project applicant.
- ☐ Attach copy of cash receipt to NOE *(no environmental filing fee is due)*.

Within 30 days after the end of each month in which the environmental filing fees are collected, each county shall summarize and record the amount collected on the monthly State of California Form No. CA25 (TC31) and remit the amount collected to the State Treasurer. Identify the remittance on Form No. CA25 as "Environmental Document Filing Fees" per Fish and Game Code section 711.4.

The county clerk shall mail the following documents to CDFW on a monthly basis:

- ✓ A photocopy of the monthly State of California Form No. CA25 (TC31)
- ✓ CDFW/ASB copies of all cash receipts (including all voided receipts)
- ✓ A copy of all CDFW No Effect Determinations filed in lieu of fee payment
- ✓ A copy of all NODs filed with the county during the preceding month
- ✓ A list of the name, address and telephone number of all project applicants for which an NOD has been filed. If this information is contained on the cash receipt filed with CDFW under California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 753.5, subdivision (e)(6), no additional information is required.

DOCUMENT RETENTION

The county shall retain two copies of the cash receipt (for lead agency and county clerk) and a copy of all documents described above for at least 12 months.

RECEIPT NUMBER

- # The first two digits automatically populate by making the appropriate selection in the County/State Agency of Filing drop down menu.
- # The next eight digits automatically populate when a date is entered.
- # The last three digits correspond with the sequential order of issuance for each calendar year. For example, the first receipt number issued on January 1 should end in 001. If a county issued 252 receipts for the year ending on December 31, the last receipt number should end in 252. CDFW recommends that counties and state agencies 1) save a local copy of this form, and 2) track receipt numbers on a spreadsheet tabbed by month to ensure accuracy.

DO NOT COMBINE THE ENVIRONMENTAL FEES WITH THE STATE SHARE OF FISH AND WILDLIFE FEES.

Mail to:

California Department of Fish and Wildlife
Accounting Services Branch
P.O. Box 944209
Sacramento, California 94244-2090

Notice of Determination 21-2025-101

Appendix D

To:
☒ Office of Planning and Research

U.S. Mail:

Street Address:

P.O. Box 3044

1400 Tenth St., Rm 113

Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

Sacramento, CA 95814

☒ County Clerk
County of: MarinAddress: 3501 Civic Center Drive, Suite 234San Rafael, CA 94903**From:**Public Agency: Ross Valley Sanitary DistrictAddress: 1111 Anderson DriveSan Rafael, CA 94901Contact: Phillip BenedettiPhone: 415-259-2949 x 217

Lead Agency (if different from above):

Address: _____

Contact: _____

Phone: _____

SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

State Clearinghouse Number (if submitted to State Clearinghouse): 2025050610Project Title: Palm/Mann/Cypress Gravity Sewer Improvements ProjectProject Applicant: Ross Valley Sanitary DistrictProject Location (include county): Multiple locations in Kentfield, Marin County (see Attachment A)

Project Description:

See Attachment A

FILED

JUN 23 2025

SHELLY SCOTT
MARIN COUNTY CLERK
BY: [Signature], DeputyThis is to advise that the Ross Valley Sanitary District(☒ Lead Agency or ☐ Responsible Agency)

has approved the above

described project on 6/18/2025 and has made the following determinations regarding the above
(date)
described project.

1. The project [☐ will ☒ will not] have a significant effect on the environment.
2. ☐ An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
☒ A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures [☒ were ☐ were not] made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [☒ was ☐ was not] adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations [☐ was ☒ was not] adopted for this project.
6. Findings [☒ were ☐ were not] made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, or the negative Declaration, is available to the General Public at:

Ross Valley Sanitary District, 1111 Anderson Drive, San Rafael CA 94901 or at info@rvsd.org

Signature (Public Agency):

Title: Senior Engineer

Date:

6/20/25

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____

Authority cited: Sections 21083, Public Resources Code.
Reference Section 21000-21174, Public Resources Code.

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POSTED 6/23/25 TO 7/23/25

ATTACHMENT A

Cross streets for the City/nearest community:

- Kentfield (zip code: 94904)
 - Palm Avenue, Mann Drive, Cypress Avenue, and Hill Drive.

Project Description

The Palm/Mann/Cypress Gravity Sewer Improvements Project (#959) (Project) site is located in the Ross Valley Sanitary District (RVSD) service area within the town of Kentfield in Marin County, California. The primary objective of this Project is to relieve hydraulic and structural deficiencies and reduce groundwater infiltration associated with aging RVSD infrastructure. The Project includes replacement of existing pipe segments via open cut removal (45 linear feet [LF]), and pipe bursting (5,451 LF). Existing pipe segments would be replaced with new polyvinyl chloride (PVC) or high-density polyethylene (HDPE) pipes. The Project also includes construction of new sanitary sewer lines via open cut trenching (1,622 LF), construction of 17 new manholes, removal and replacement of 1 existing manhole, removal of 4 existing manholes, and abandonment of 4 existing manholes. Lower laterals and property line cleanouts would be replaced at all locations.

The Project site encompasses approximately 0.3 acres and the total area disturbed would be approximately 12,200 sq ft. Depths of the excavation would vary between 3 and 10 ft based on location. Rehabilitation of all sanitary sewer mains would occur within the existing alignment. Most pipelines either fall within public rights-of-way or designated easements running through private property. For work in backyard easements, portable equipment would be used to accommodate space restrictions and minimize impact.