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MEMORANDUM

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From:

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Natural Resources Specialist

Subject: South Bay Water Recycling Program Kaiser-Kiely Pipeline

The Bureau of Reclamation, pursuant to funding provided through Title XVI of Public Law 102-575, has been providing up to 25 percent of the total cost to the city of San Jose to help fund the South Bay Water Recycling Program (SBWRP). Reclamation released a Final Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the SBWRP in May 1996 and issued a Record of Decision in July 1996.

San Jose has continued to design additional pipelines and associated facilities within the SBWRP area. Reclamation has continued to provide funding for these projects under Title XVI and has prepared Findings of No Significant Impacts (FONSIs) tiering from the original EIS. The latest proposal is the Kaiser-Kiely Pipeline which consists of approximately 975 feet of 12-inch recycled water pipeline connecting north on Kiely Boulevard to the Santa Clara Central Park Recycled Water Pipeline (See attached map).

In a letter dated April 9, 2012, the State Historic Preservation Officer concurred with Reclamation's finding that the retrofit project would result in no historic properties affected pursuant to 36 CFR Part 800.4(d)(1) (See attached cultural resources memo).

Upon review of the addendum for Kaiser-Kiely Pipeline and the FONSI for Santa Clara Central Park Recycled Water Pipeline, Reclamation has determined that the impacts from the Kaiser-Kiely Pipeline have been adequately analyzed in the previous addendum and the conclusions from the EIS and the FONSI have not changed. Therefore, no further action is necessary.

Attachments - 2

cc: MP-700 (D.White)

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FIGURE 1 Kaiser Kiely Extension

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EDMUND G. BROWN, JR., Governor OBFICIAL FILE COP RECHIVEL APR 1 1 2012 Reply in Reference To: BUR120403A

Re: Section 106 consultation for the Proposed South Bay Water Recycling Program (SBWRP) Phase 1C Project (Kaiser-Kiely Pipeline Extension), City of Santa Clara, Santa Clara County, California (Project #09-SCA-092.19)

Dear Ms. Leigh:

Thank you for consulting pursuant to 36 CFR Part 800 (as amended 8-05-04) regulations implementing Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA). For the above cited undertaking, you are seeking my comments on (1) the delineation of the Area of Potential Effect (APE), (2) historic property identification efforts, and (3) concurrence on a finding of "No Historic Properties Affected" pursuant to 36 CFR Part 800.4(d)(1).

Phase 1C of the SBWRP consists of multiple pipeline installations that have been partially subsidized by the BUR through Title XVI funds and consulted on over the last three years. The current undertaking involves installing approximately 900-linear feet of 12-inch diameter buried pipeline within the road corridors of Kiely Blvd. (680 ft) and Kaiser Dr. (215 ft) between the existing Central Park Extension and an entry point at the location of a demolished Kaiser Hospital. BUR determined the vertical APE will range between 5-13 ft and the horizontal APE includes the curb to curb width of the aforementioned roads for the 900 ft length of the proposed alignment, or an estimated 1.29 acres. Located within the (paved, landscaped and built) urban environment of Santa Clara, the APE is depicted in Figure 3 of the following study you provided as evidence of historic property identification efforts:

 Historic Property Survey Report/Finding of Effect, South Bay Water Recycling (SBWR) Kaiser-Kiely Extension Project, City of Santa Clara, Santa Clara County (Basin Research Associates 2012)

Historic property identification work involved a CHRIS information search, a NAHC sacred lands and contacts search, consultation with contacts provided by the Native American Heritage Commission, and field-survey of the APE. The latter consisted of a pedestrian survey along the sidewalks and landscape features adjacent Kiely Blvd and Kaiser Dr. The above work identified no cultural resources in the APE.

Based on a review of your submitted cover letter, cultural resource study SCANNED photos of the APE; I have the following comments: FIGER Cantrol No.

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- 1. I find the APE appropriately determined and documented pursuant to 36 CFR Part 800.4(a)(1).
- 2. I find the Level of Effort discussed in submitted materials adequate for identifying historic properties pursuant to 36 CFR Part 800.4(b)(1).
- 3. I **concur** with a finding of "No Historic Properties Affected" pursuant to 36 CFR Part 800.4(d)(1).

Please be advised that under certain circumstances, such as a change in project scope or an unanticipated discovery, BUR may have additional future responsibilities for the undertaking pursuant to 36 CFR Part 800. Thank you for considering historic properties as part of your project planning and please contact Jeff Brooke of my staff at (916) 445-7003 or by email at ibrooke@parks.ca.gov if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Milford Wayne Donaldson, FAIA

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State Historic Preservation Officer