



# BIGHORN-DESERT VIEW WATER AGENCY

## NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

**To:**

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**From:**

Bighorn-Desert View Water Agency  
622 South Jemez Trail  
Yucca Valley, CA 92284

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

**Documentary Handling Fee:** \$2,060.25

**Receipt Number:**

(\$2010.25 Department of Fish and Game Filing Fee and \$50.00 San Bernardino County Clerk Processing Fee)

**STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER:**

2010051021

**TITLE:** Bighorn-Desert View Water Agency (BDVWA) Mitigated Negative Declaration for Water Infrastructure Restoration Program (WIRP): Ames/Reche Groundwater Storage and Recovery Program; and Pipeline Installation/Replacement Project

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION/LOCATION:** The WIRP outlines specific system improvements to remediate deficiencies in the BDVWA water system over the first five years of a 20-year period including the Ames/Reche Groundwater Storage and Recovery Program improvements and the Pipeline Installation/Replacement Project. Specific improvements in the Ames/Reche Water Storage and Recovery Program include: spreading grounds construction and operation; connecting pipelines installation and installation of up to three temporary wells, two of which may remain permanently. The Pipeline Installation/Replacement Project is comprised of the following: pipeline improvements installation and/or replacement, fire hydrant installation and isolation valve replacement.

Located in the southern portion of San Bernardino County, the BDVWA service area covers 44 square miles and includes portions of the Town of Yucca Valley and the unincorporated communities of Landers, Flamingo Heights and Johnson Valley. The Pipeline Installation/Replacement Project is located throughout the BDVWA service area. The Ames/Reche Groundwater Storage and Recovery Program will be located in Pipe's Wash north of Winters Road and west of Warren Vista Road.

This is to advise that the Bighorn-Desert View Water Agency has approved the above described project on June 29, 2010 with an effective date of June 29, 2010, and has made the following determinations regarding the above 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 this project.
4. A statement of overriding considerations  was,  was not, adopted for this project.
5. Findings  were,  were not, made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the EIR, Mitigated Negative Declaration, or Negative Declaration and record of project approval are available to the General Public at: **Bighorn-Desert View Water Agency, 622 South Jemez Trail, Yucca Valley, CA. 92284**

  
Marina D. West

June 29, 2010  
(Date)

General Manager  
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Date Received for filing at OPR: \_\_\_\_\_