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Title: REPORT - ADOPTION OF A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION AND MITIGATION

MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM, AND APPROVAL OF PROJECTS FOR THE GEYSERS-DELTA POND CONNECTION IMPROVEMENTS AND THE DELTA DIFFUSER

MAINTENANCE PROJECT

BACKGROUND: The Geysers-Delta Connection Improvements project includes improvements to the Delta Pond connection to meet the City's desired recycled water conveyance capacity of 50 million gallons per day. The Delta Pond Diffuser Maintenance project includes dredging sediment in Santa Rosa Creek that has buried the effluent diffuser from Delta Pond. Both projects are covered by a single Initial Study / Mitigated Negative Declaration, which demonstrated that all potential impacts can be reduced to less-than-significant levels with the mitigation measures outlined in the Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program Report.

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended by the Transportation and Public Works Department and the Water Department that the Board of Public Utilities, by resolution: 1) adopt the Mitigated Negative Declaration for the Geysers-Delta Pond Connection / Diffuser Improvements; 2) adopt the Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program; 3) approve the Geysers-Delta Connection Improvements project; 4) approve the Delta Pond Diffuser Maintenance project; and 5) direct staff to file a Notice of

Determination.

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Attachments: 1. Staff Report, 2. Attachment 1_Initial Study-MND, 3. Attachment 2_Response to Comments, 4.

Attachment 3_Final MMRP, 5. Resolution, 6. Exhibit A_MND-Final MMRP, 7. Presentation (added

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