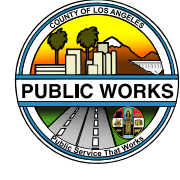




## Notice of Addendum to the Enhanced Watershed Management Program Final Program Environmental Impact Report Gates Canyon Park Regional Stormwater Project



This notice is to inform agencies and the public that the County of Los Angeles Department of Public Works has prepared an Addendum to the 2015 Los Angeles County Flood Control District Enhanced Watershed Management Programs Final Environmental Impact Report (Program EIR). The purpose of the Addendum is to evaluate site-specific environmental effects associated with the **Gates Canyon Park Regional Stormwater Project**. Gates Canyon Park was identified in the Program EIR as a potential site for structural best management practices to support the Enhanced Watershed Management Program for Malibu Creek Watershed. Consistent with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Sections 15162 and 15164(a), this Addendum summarizes site-specific activities that represent minor additions to the Program EIR, and which do not result in new significant effects, create substantially more severe significant effects, or require new mitigation measures beyond those adopted as part of the Program EIR.

**Project Title:** Gates Canyon Park Regional Stormwater Project

**Project Description:** The proposed project would construct a centralized underground infiltration system, which includes the following components:

- Diversion structure redirecting stormwater and other runoff to a new pretreatment system;
- Pretreatment system that removes trash, sediment, and other pollutants (e.g., oil, grease, metals);
- Cistern (3.5-acre-foot) to capture stormwater, which would be used for park irrigation;
- Disinfection system for stored water to reduce bacteria levels and break down pesticides;
- Infiltration wells (15) and pumps to empty the cistern and allow water to percolate into the subsurface; and
- Interpretive signs on sustainable development, and water quality and conservation efforts.

In support of the goals and objectives of the 2015 Program EIR, the proposed project would improve water quality in Las Virgenes Creek, Malibu Creek, and North Santa Monica Bay; assist the County in addressing its stormwater permit requirements; achieve water quality objectives for the project drainage area; provide a water supply benefit by reducing the use of recycled water for park irrigation; and provide recreational and aesthetic enhancements that increase public awareness of water quality and water conservation issues.

**Project Location:** The proposed project would generally be constructed within Gates Canyon Park, which is located in the unincorporated Los Angeles County area of Calabasas adjacent to the intersection of Thousand Oaks Boulevard and Mountain View Drive (25801 Thousand Oaks Boulevard). Some elements of the project would also be constructed within (underground) Thousand Oaks Boulevard and Mountain View Drive.

**Public Review Period:** March 15, 2018 to April 13, 2018 (30 days)

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**Availability of Addendum:** The Program EIR and this Addendum are available for review online at the following website: <http://www.tinyurl.com/catchtherainla>

**Method of Submitting Comments:** Please submit any written comments on this Addendum to Mr. Michael De Leon, at the address or email listed above, before 5:00 pm on April 13, 2018.