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PRC 5534.1; W30128.4

Documentos del proyecto en español, están disponibles para su revisión en:

<http://www.slc.ca.gov/Info/CEQA/LTB.html>

NOTICE OF PUBLIC REVIEW AND INTENT TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

(State CEQA Guidelines, sections 15072 and 15073)

A Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) has been prepared by the California State Lands Commission (CSLC), as lead agency under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) (Pub. Resources Code, § 21000 et seq.), in response to an application submitted by Lind Tug and Barge, Inc. for the Oyster Shell Mining Project (Project). The MND was prepared in compliance with the requirements of CEQA, the State CEQA Guidelines (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 15000 et seq.), and CSLC Regulations (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 2, § 2901 et seq.).

Project Title: Lind Tug and Barge, Inc. Oyster Shell Mining Project

Project Location: Lease No. PRC 5534.1 is located in South San Francisco Bay adjacent to the San Mateo Bridge, San Mateo and Alameda counties.

Project Description: Lind Tug and Barge Inc. (LTB) proposes to continue mining relic historic oyster shell deposits from South San Francisco Bay for processing and commercial sales primarily as a source of calcium for soil amendments and nutrient supplements for livestock and poultry. LTB is currently limited to annual volumes of 80,000 cubic yards per Lease No. PRC 5534.1 and other regulatory permits. LTB is for applying to the CSLC for a new lease to allow for the continued mining of oyster shells at the maximum annual limit for a 10-year term expiring in 2028.

The Project MND can be downloaded, in PDF format, at www.slc.ca.gov (click on the Information and CEQA Updates links). Paper copies of the MND are also available for review at the locations below:

California State Lands Commission ¹ 100 Howe Ave., Suite 100-South Sacramento, CA 95825	California State Lands Commission 750 Alfred Nobel Drive, Suite 201 Hercules, CA 94547
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¹ All documents referenced in the MND will also be available at this address for public review during normal working hours. (State CEQA Guidelines, § 15072, subd. (g)(4).)

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The MND is available for at least a 30-day review and comment period beginning June 29, 2018 and ending July 30, 2018. All comments must be received by or before **5:00 PM on Monday, July 30, 2018**, and can be sent to:

California State Lands Commission or Email: CEQA.comments@slc.ca.gov Attention: Christopher Huitt 100 Howe Ave., Suite 100-South Sacramento, CA 95825-8202

Important Notes to Commenters

1. You are encouraged to submit electronic copies of your written comments. If written comments are sent by email, please send the comments to CEQA.comments@slc.ca.gov and write the following in the subject line of your email: Oyster Shell Mining Project MND Comments.
2. If you represent a public agency, please provide the name, email address, and telephone number for the contact person in your agency for the Project.
3. Before including your mailing or email address, telephone number, or other personal identifying information in your comment, please be aware that the entire comment—including personal identifying information—may become publicly available, including in the MND and posted on the Internet). The CSLC will make available for inspection, in their entirety, all comments submitted by organizations or businesses or by individuals identifying themselves as representatives of organizations or businesses.

The Project's MND will be considered for adoption at the August 23, 2018, scheduled meeting of the CSLC, unless otherwise stated on the CSLC's website. The meeting is expected to be in the Los Angeles area. Please refer to the CSLC's website at www.slc.ca.gov when specific meeting information becomes known.

Should you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Christopher Huitt at (916) 574-2080 or via email at christopher.huitt@slc.ca.gov.

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