



City of Malibu

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RE: Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) Quarterly Progress Report
Malibu Civic Center Wastewater Treatment Plan

Dear Sam:

The following is the quarterly progress report for the Malibu Civic Center Wastewater Treatment Plan, which covers work activities performed on this project during the period between July 1, 2016 and September 30, 2016. To date, the City continues to make progress on all MOU Milestone requirements.

Below is a list of the work performed during the last quarter:

- On July 5, 2016, the City issued a "Notice to Proceed" to Myers and Sons Construction, LP, to construct the Civic Center Wastewater Treatment Facility - Phase 1, Treatment Plant Project, and Specification No. 2036.
- On July 5, 2016, the City issued a "Notice to Proceed" to Vido Artukovich & Son, Inc./Vidmar, Inc., JV, to construct the Civic Center Wastewater Treatment Facility - Phase 1, Pipelines and Pump Stations Project, Specification No. 2036A.
- On July 5, 2016, the City issued a "Notice to Proceed" to Cascade Drilling, LP, to construct the Civic Center Wastewater Treatment Facility - Phase 1, Injection Wells Project, Specification No. 2036B.
- On October 26, 2016, the City conducted a meeting with property owners of the Civic Center Wastewater Treatment Facilities Project Assessment District to provide an update of the project and to coordinate service lateral connection locations.
- The City's water quality monitoring consultant, Rincon Consultants, continues to collect baseline background data for the project's Groundwater/Surface Water Monitoring Programs.



In general, the Malibu Civic Center Wastewater Treatment Facilities Project – Phase 1 is now in the construction phase. Last July, the City issued Notice to Proceeds to all three Contractors whom immediately began working on their respective projects. The Treatment Plant Contractor has performed major demolition and earthwork at the site and is currently constructing the facility's building structures. The Pipelines and Pump Stations Contractor has installed approximately 25% of the total pipelines while the Injection Wells Contractor has completed drilling the three exploratory injection wells. At this time, notwithstanding any unforeseen delays, the project is expected to be completed on time.

The City continues to implement the groundwater and surface water monitoring program as required by the project permits. The third quarter 2016 water monitoring report was recently completed and submitted to the RWQCB. Staff continues to also hold quarterly meetings with stakeholders as needed to keep them informed of the progress of the project.

As you can see, the City is still committed to working with the community, and the State and Regional Water Boards in a diligent effort towards the completion of the wastewater treatment facility for the Civic Center area. The City also recognizes and appreciates the Regional Board's help and cooperation with revising the MOU Phase 1, 2 and 3 completion dates. Although the City still faces a monumental task in completing this project within the Regional Board's and revised MOU completion dates, we are very proud of the work we have accomplished thus far, and are fully committed to cooperatively working with the State and Regional Boards in making every effort to complete this highly complex and very expensive wastewater project within the time allowed.

If you have any questions, or require additional clarification, please do not hesitate to contact me at (310) 456-2489, extension 247, or bbrager@malibucity.org.

Sincerely,



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