

November 30, 2022

John E. Forsythe CPUC Project Manager California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco, CA 94102

## Re: Monthly Report Summary #10 for the Del Mar Reconfiguration (TL674A Reconfiguration and TL666D Removal) Project

Dear Mr. Forsythe,

This report summarizes the compliance monitoring activities that occurred during the period from October 1 to 31, 2022, for the Del Mar Reconfiguration (Del Mar) Project in the city of San Diego, California. Compliance monitoring was performed once between October 1 and 31, 2022, to ensure all project-related activities conducted by San Diego Gas and Electric (SDG&E) and its contractors were in compliance with the Final Environmental Impact Report (Final EIR) for the Del Mar Project, as adopted by the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) on June 19, 2019.

The CPUC has issued the following Notice to Proceed (NTP) for the Del Mar Project to SDG&E:

• NTP #1 (November 16, 2020) — Installation of underground 69-kilovolt (kV) cable and duct bank, removal of an existing circuit breaker, reconfiguration of an existing tap, removal of existing overhead line, and installation of new steel riser poles.

The WSP USA Inc. (WSP) compliance monitoring team completed an onsite compliance check during this reporting period to verify compliance of ongoing site preparation and construction activities. The CPUC/WSP compliance monitoring team visited the Del Mar Project site and other project construction areas on October 10, 2022. The WSP site inspection report that summarizes observed construction activities and compliance events, as applicable, and verifies mitigation measures (MMs) and applicant proposed measures (APMs) was completed for the site visit. This report is attached below (Attachment 1).

Project activities associated with the Transmission Line (TL) 674A Reconfiguration component were conducted in October 2022 and were covered under NTP-1. No work was conducted for the TL666D removal, C510 Conversion, and C1448 Conversion during this reporting period. Construction activities during the October 2022 reporting period included installing and encasing vault lids at Vault 110 and 111; trenching and installing conduit; installing handholes adjacent to Vault 112; backfilling trenches with native material; saw cutting, removing, and paving asphalt; ground and capping asphalt; mandrelling between Vault 110 and 111; removing BMPs and cleaning the right-of-way; recontouring slopes to reestablish pre-construction gradients; demobilizing equipment and materials from the Pumpkin Patch Staging Yard; and splicing cable. Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) erosion and sediment control best management practices (BMPs) were maintained at the Durante Fly Yard, Del Mar Substation, Pumpkin Patch Staging Yard, and all active underground work areas, as applicable.

In addition, SDG&E conducted routine inspection, maintenance, and monitoring activities between October 1 and 31, 2022. Inspection activities included weekly inspections of the Del Mar work area boundaries and construction yards for cleanliness and Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) inspections at all construction activity areas to ensure there were no BMP deficiencies. SDG&E conducted monitoring, as applicable, for cultural, paleontological, and biological resources, as well as for

Native American concerns.

Project compliance during the October 2022 monitoring period was achieved through regular communication with and reporting by SDG&E. Communication between the CPUC/WSP compliance team and SDG&E has been regular and effective. SDG&E's weekly environmental compliance reports for October 2022 provides an overview of construction progress and mitigation measure implementation during construction, including a description of construction activities, construction activity completion status, a summary of the MMs and permit conditions that were implemented, a summary of non-compliance incidents and public complaints (as applicable), a record of Project personnel that received safety and environmental awareness training during the reporting week. During the month of October, six new personnel were provided the Worker Environmental Awareness Program (WEAP) training prior to starting work. To date, 354 Project personnel have received the required WEAP training.

Overall, the SDG&E Project has maintained compliance with the Mitigation Monitoring, Compliance, and Reporting Program (MMCRP) based on adherence to applicable MMs and APMs and satisfaction of pre-construction requirements and conditions of approval for NTP-1.

### **Compliance Incidents**

No non-compliance incidences occurred during the October reporting period.

#### **Public Concerns**

SDG&E did not receive any complaints during the reporting period of October 2022.

### **Minor Approvals**

No minor approvals occurred during the reporting period of October 2022.

Sincerely,

Fernando Guzman

Compliance Manager, WSP

cc:

Cassandra Oliveira, WSP Kelli Fitzgerald, SDG&E Christina Terzich, SDG&E

# **ATTACHMENT 1**

CPUC Site Inspection Reports October 10, 2022



### Del Mar Reconfiguration Project CPUC Site Inspection Form

Project:	Del Mar Reconfiguration Project	Date:	October 10, 2022
Project Proponent:	San Diego Gas and Electric (SDG&E)	Report #:	26
Lead Agency:	California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC)	Monitor(s):	Samuel Akinyemi
CPUC PM:	John E. Forsythe, Energy Division	AM/PM Weather:	Clear, 69° F
CPUC CM (WSP):	Fernando Guzman	Start/End time:	2000 to 2300
Project NTP(s):	Notice to Proceed (NTP)-1.		•

SITE INSPECTION CHECKLIST (Based on monitor's observations during site visit; responses do not imply that monitor observed all staff, crews, and parts of the project during this inspection)

Worker Environmental Awareness Program (WEAP) Training	Yes	No	N/A
Has Worker Environmental Awareness Program (WEAP) training been completed by all new hires (construction and monitors)?			
Erosion and Dust Control (Air and Water Quality)			
Have temporary erosion and sediment control measures been installed?	Х		
Are erosion and sediment control measures properly installed and functioning?	Х		
Is mud tracked onto paved public roadways cleaned up in accordance with the project's Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP)?	Х		
Is dust control being implemented (i.e., access roads watered, haul trucks covered, streets cleaned on a regular basis)?	Х		
Are work areas being effectively watered prior to excavation or grading?	Х		
Is excessive fugitive dust leaving the work area?		Х	
Equipment			
Are all vehicles observed maintaining a speed limit of 15 mph on unpaved roads?	Х		
Are all vehicles/equipment observed arriving onsite clean of sediment or plant debris?	Х		
Are vehicles/equipment turned off when not in use?	Х		
Work Areas			
Is exclusionary fencing or flagging in place to protect sensitive biological or cultural resources?	Х		
Are vehicles, equipment, and construction personnel staying within approved work areas and on approved roads?	Х		

Are all excavations and trenches covered at the end of the day?	Х		
Are ramps installed at 100-foot intervals with ramps not exceeding 2:1 slopes?			Х
Biology			
Have preconstruction surveys been completed for biological (Western Snowy Plover, Coastal California Gnatcatcher, Burrowing Owl, Least Bell's Vireo, California Least Tern, San Diego Pocket Mouse, rare plants, etc.) resources as appropriate?	Х		
Are biological monitors present onsite?	Х		
Are appropriate measures in place to protect sensitive habitat and/or drainages (i.e., flagging, signage, exclusion fencing, biological monitor, appropriate buffer distance enacted)?	Х		
Have wildlife been relocated from work areas?			Х
Have impacts occurred to adjacent habitat (sensitive or non-sensitive)?		Х	
Were any threatened or endangered species observed? If yes, list observations below:		Х	
Are there wetlands or water bodies present near construction activities?		Х	
Have there been any work stoppages for biological resources?		Х	
Cultural and Paleontological Resources			
Are identified cultural/paleo resources that will not be relocated/salvaged clearly marked for exclusion?			Х
Are archaeological and paleontological monitors onsite if needed?	Х		
Are appropriate buffers maintained around sensitive resources (e.g. cultural sites)?			Х
Have there been any work stoppages for cultural/paleo resources?		Х	
Hazardous Materials			
Are hazardous materials stored appropriately?	Х		
Are procedures in place to prevent spills and accidental releases?	Х		
Are appropriate fire prevention and control measures in place?	Х		
Is contaminated soil properly handled or disposed of, if applicable?			Х
Work Hours and Noise			
Are night lighting reduction measures in place, as needed?	Х		
Is construction occurring within approved hours?	Х		
Are noise control measures in place within 100 feet of sensitive receptors as needed?			Х

AREAS MONITORED (i.e., structure numbers, yards, or substations)
Pumpkin Patch Yard
TL6973 Reconfiguration – Via de la Valle
<b>DESCRIPTION OF OBSERVED ACTIVITIES</b> (i.e., mitigation measures of particular focus or concern, construction activity, any discussions with first-party monitors or construction crews)
I arrived onsite at the Pumpkin Patch Yard at 2000 and met with the San Diego Gas and Electric (SDG&E) Environmental Inspector (EI). I attended the safety tailboard meeting at 2030 and met with the SDG&E Field Construction Advisor (FCA) to discuss the construction activities planned for the shift. I observed a covered dumpster within the Pumpkin Patch Yard (Photo 1). The track out from the Pumpkin Patch yard that was mentioned in previous reports has been cleaned ((Photo 2). I observed fire tools in bed of a truck prior to leaving the site (Photo 3).
I drove to the active work area along Via de la Valle where asphalt paving operations were observed (Photo 4).
MITIGATION MEASURES VERIFIED (Refer to MMCRP Report only on MMs pertinent to your observations today)
MM BR-3 – All project personnel appeared to be WEAP trained.
APM TRA-01 - During construction, SDG&E established provisions to maintain emergency vehicle access throughout construction, including lane closure.
SPCC – Procedures were in place to prevent spills and accidental releases.
RECOMMENDED FOLLOW-UP (i.e., items to check on next visit, minor issues to resolve)
<b>COMPLIANCE SUGGESTIONS OR ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS</b> (i.e., suggestions to improve compliance on-site, environmental observations of note)
COMPLIANCE SUMMARY  Check all applicable boxes below to indicate new conditions or issues that have occurred since your last visit. Note this information on the monitoring datasheet and document with photographs.
New biological or cultural discovery requiring compliance with mitigation measures, permit conditions, etc.
Potential compliance incident(s) observed. Document incident(s) and potential for environmental resources to be impacted.
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Date	Location	Photo	Description
10/10/22	Pumpkin Patch Yard	4014 93 MADE A STATE OF THE ST	Photo 1 – Covered dumpster within the Pumpkin Patch Yard.
10/10/22	Pumpkin Patch Yard		Photo 2 – Cleaned area where track out from Pumpkin Patch Yard was previously observed.

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10/10/22	Pumpkin Patch Yard		Photo 3 – Fire tools in the bed of a truck within the Pumpkin Patch Yard.
10/10/22	TL6973 Reconfiguration – Via de la Valle	GON oebes	Photo 4 – Crews paving segments of road.

Completed by:	Samuel Akinyemi
Firm:	WSP USA, Inc.
Date:	October 18, 2022

Reviewed by:	Cassandra Oliveira
Firm:	WSP USA
Date:	11/30/2022