

Valley View Access Road Construction Project

Initial Study and Mitigated Negative Declaration



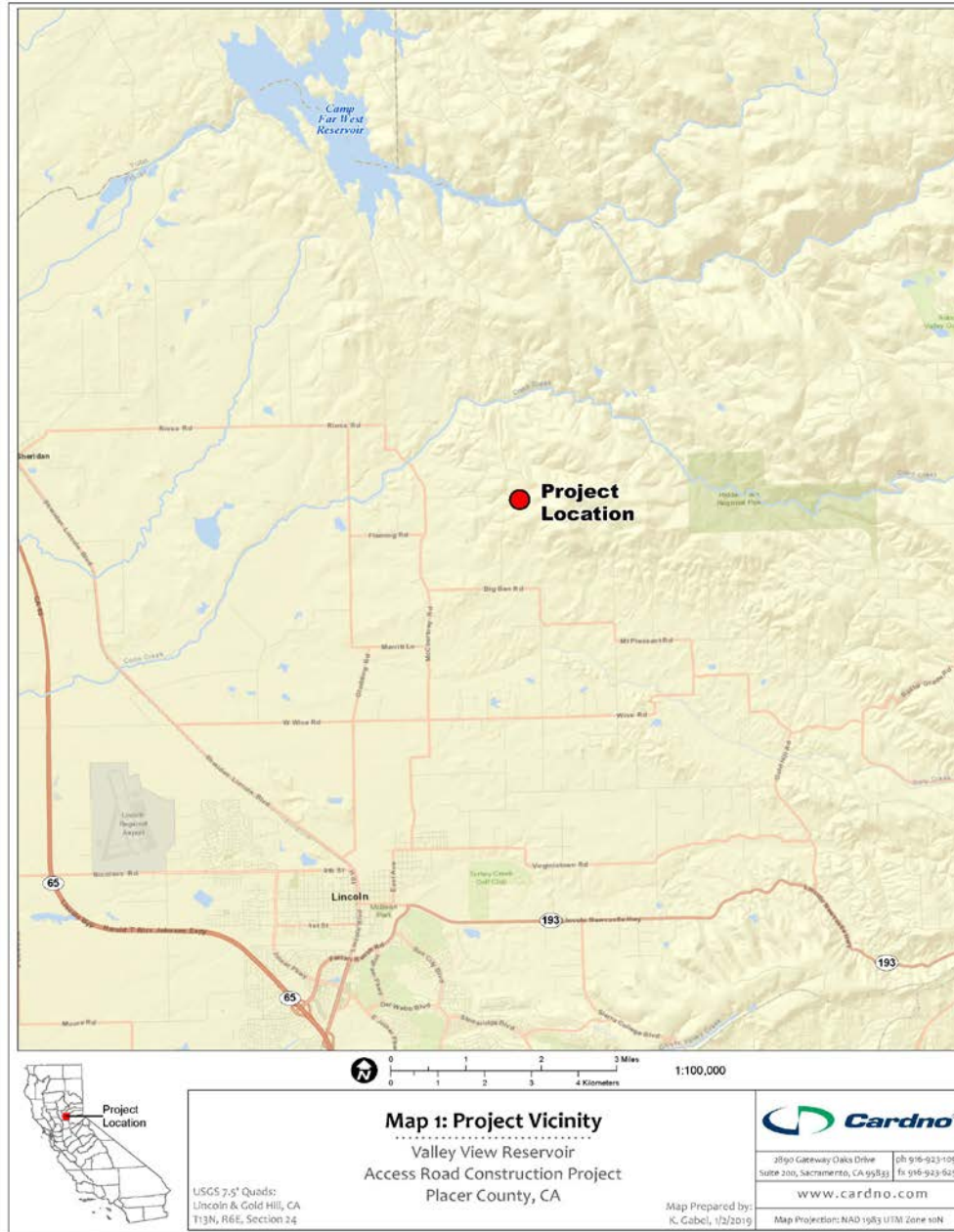
For the Board of Directors Meeting
December 9, 2020



Presentation Outline

- Describe the project
- Describe the mitigation measures
- Open and hear public testimony
- Close public hearing
- Recommend to adopt resolution

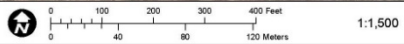
Project Summary





LEGEND

- Proposed New Access Road Segment
- - - Existing Access Road

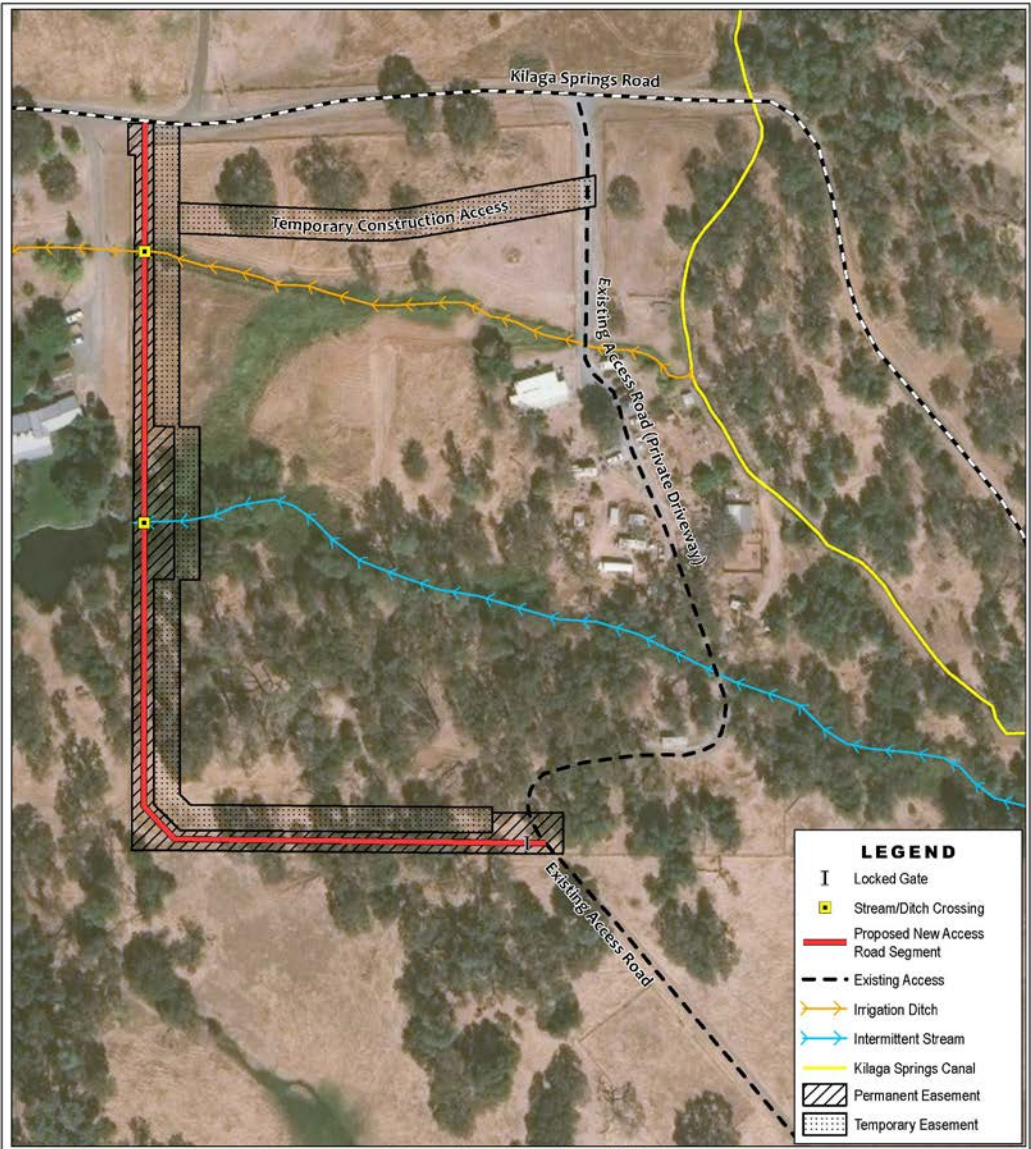


Map 2: Project Area in the Vicinity of Valley View Reservoir
 Valley View Reservoir
 Access Road Construction Project
 Placer County, CA

USGS 7.5' Quads:
 Lincoln & Gold Hill, CA
 T13N, R6E, Section 24

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LEGEND


I	Locked Gate
■	Stream/Ditch Crossing
—	Proposed New Access Road Segment
- - -	Existing Access
→	Irrigation Ditch
↔	Intermittent Stream
—	Kilaga Springs Canal
▨	Permanent Easement
⋯	Temporary Easement



Map 3: Work and Staging Areas
 Valley View Reservoir
 Access Road Construction Project
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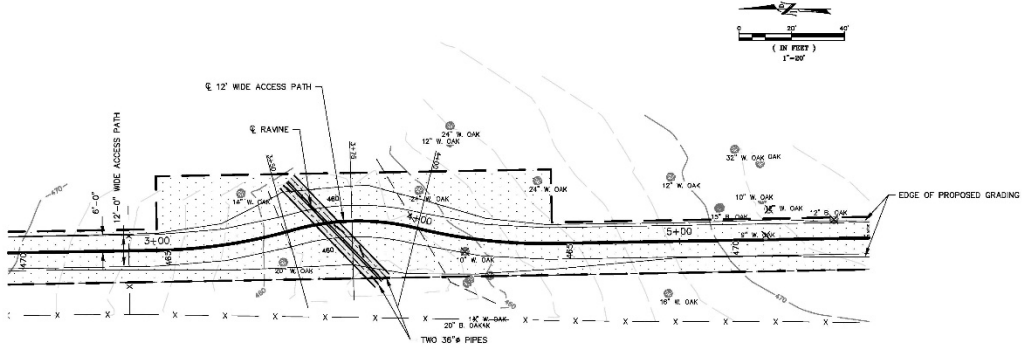
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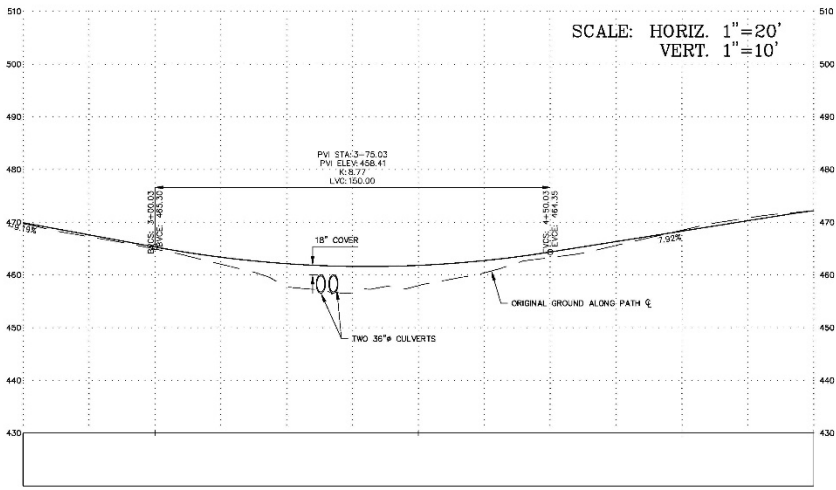
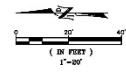
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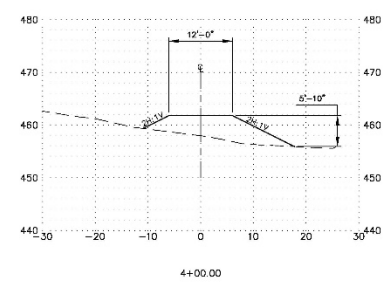
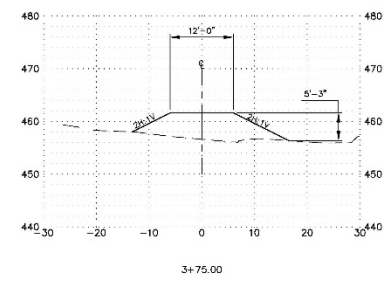
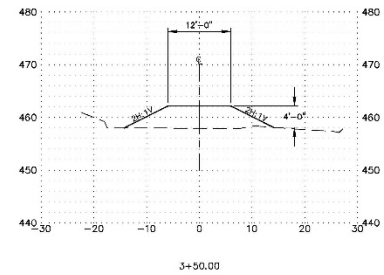
PLAN



PROFILE

SCALE: HORIZ. 1"=20'
VERT. 1"=10'

GRADING SUMMARY:
FILL FACTOR = NONE
CUT = 37 CY
FILL = 368 CY
NET = 331 CY (FILL)



CROSS SECTIONS
SCALE: 1"=10'

INITIALS	REVISION	DATE	REV. NO.

N.I.D.
NEVADA IRRIGATION DISTRICT
NEVADA COUNTY -- PLACER COUNTY
GRASS VALLEY
CALIFORNIA

VALLEY VIEW ACCESS ROAD
GRADING
PLAN, PROFILE AND CROSS SECTIONS

APPROVED BY:	DESIGNED:	DATE:	ISS NO. 2222
SURVED:	DRAWN:	DATE:	DRAWING NO. ---
FACILITY NUMBER: 10469	CHECKED:	DATE:	SHEET NO. 2 of 2

SCALE: 1"=10' (PLAN), 1"=20' (PROFILE), 1"=10' (CROSS SECTIONS)

Northern Entrance of Road (north view)



Private Irrigation Ditch (westerly view)



Intermittent Stream (westerly view)



South Portion of Access Road (westerly view)



South end of Access Road (westerly view)



Mitigation Measures

- Air Quality
- Biological Resources
- Cultural Resources
- Hazards & Hazardous Materials
- Hydrology & Water Quality
- Noise

Air Quality

- BMPs required per Placer County Air Pollution District (Rule 288) will be employed during construction.

Biological Resources

- BIO-1 Botanical Surveys
 - Special status plant survey in June
- BIO-2 General Construction Measures
 - Limiting work area, limiting work hours, limiting vegetation removal and remove all equipment when project is completed
- BIO-3 Environmental Awareness Training
 - Construction staff to attend pre-construction training for special status species, mitigation measures and BMPs and reporting
- BIO-4 Frog & Turtle Monitoring
 - Construction to be between June & February to avoid breeding FYLG. Preconstruction surveys for frogs and turtles

Biological Resources - *continued*

- BIO-5 CW Act & Fish & Game Code Compliance
 - Permits 401, 404 and 1602 to be obtained if relevant and all conditions in permits implemented
- BIO-6 Protection of Special Status Raptors/Bird Nests
 - Construction between Aug 16 and Feb 26 to avoid bird nesting
 - Pre-construction survey for bird nests between March 1 and August 15.
 - Found bird nests will require space buffers as mitigation
- BIO-7 Protection of Riparian Habitats
 - Limiting riparian vegetation removal to 0.02 acres, other riparian vegetation to be marked and avoided
- BIO-8 Protection of Oak Woodlands
 - Removal of 11 oaks will be mitigated with 1-to-1 replacement
 - Other oaks to be protected by marking and/or fencing

Cultural Resources

- CULT-1 Inadvertent Discovery of Previously Unknown Cultural, Paleontological or Tribal Resources
 - If any cultural, paleontological or tribal resources are found, work is to stop and an archeologist is to be consulted. Work within the 150 feet of the finding shall cease until cleared by the Archeologist.
- CULT-2 Unanticipated Discovery of Human Remains
 - If any bones/burial found an Archeologist shall be consulted and in turn will contact the County coroner. Work within the 150 feet of the finding shall cease until cleared by the Coroner and other parties and appropriate mitigations have been completed.

Hazards and Hazardous Materials

- HAZ-1 Standard Fire Prevention Measures
 - District and/or Contractor to implement standard fire prevention measures including availability of fire prevention equipment, portable communication equipment, etc.

Hydrology and Water Quality

- HYD-1 Water Quality and Best Management Practices
 - Erosion control structures/BMPs to be used and placed where needed (bales, waddles, plastic sheeting, etc).
 - Spill Prevention and Control Plan (SPCP) to be created and followed.
 - All maintenance, fueling, storage of equipment to be more than 50 feet away from wetted areas (intermittent stream and irrigation ditch). Maintenance materials (oils, grease, lubricants, antifreeze) will be appropriately stored in staging areas away from sensitive areas.

Noise

- NOISE-1 Noise Best Management Practices
 - Limited construction between sunrise to sunset but not outside 7 am to 7 pm on week days
 - Weekend work to be avoided when practical, and not outside 8 am to 7 pm
 - Sound-control devices required on all vehicles (mufflers)
 - Change equipment locations to other less impactful areas, if possible
 - Limit idling equipment to 5 or fewer minutes



Open Public Comment



Close Public Comment



NID staff requests the Board of Directors to:

Adopt Resolution #2020-29 adopting a Mitigated Negative Declaration, approve the Project and the Mitigated Monitoring and Reporting Program for the Valley View Access Road Construction Project