Buena Vista Lagoon Enhancement Project

SANDAG Receives Over 220 Comments on Lagoon Draft Environmental Impact Report

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The public review period for the Buena Vista Lagoon Enhancement Project Draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR) recently closed. Over the course of the 55-day period, more than 220 people, organizations and agencies submitted comments, totaling over 390 pages in length. The project team is carefully reviewing and responding to each comment. All responses will be included in the Final EIR.

The Draft EIR assesses the potential environmental impacts from the proposed enhancement of the Buena Vista Lagoon and equally evaluates four project alternatives: freshwater, saltwater, a hybrid containing both freshwater and saltwater, and a no project alternative.

As part of the public review period, a public meeting was held on July 23, 2015. Over 100 people attended the public meeting at Carlsbad Senior Center to learn more about the proposed lagoon enhancement alternatives and comment on the Draft EIR.

SANDAG thanks all who participated in the public review and comment period. Please look for future eNews updates over the next 12 – 18 months as the project team works to complete the environmental review process.

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