



# South Coast Air Quality Management District

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February 18, 2015

County Clerk, Monique Davis  
County of Los Angeles  
12400 E. Imperial Hwy, Room 2001  
Norwalk, CA 90650

Dear Ms. Davis:

**Re: Notice of Determination - Final Subsequent Mitigated Negative Declaration for the Signal Hill West Unit Facility - Gas Plant Modification Project, Signal Hill, California; SCH No. 2014111077**

Enclosed are two copies of a Notice of Determination (NOD) for the above-mentioned project, located within Los Angeles County, California. The California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) document for the proposed project was adopted on February 18, 2015. Please record and post notification in accordance with the provisions of CEQA. Enclosed is the \$75 handling fee for posting the notice.

The NOD contained herein is for a permit to construct for which the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) has prepared the Final Subsequent Mitigated Negative Declaration (SMND) for the project. The SCAQMD has determined that the project will have no impact on wildlife and the habitat upon which it depends. Therefore, the project is exempt from the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) filing fee, pursuant to Fish and Game Code 711.4(c), Title 14, CCR. An approved no effect determination from the Department of Fish and Game is also included for the project, as required pursuant to Section 753.5 (c), Title 14, CCR.

Please confirm receipt of one copy and return to the undersigned. A self-addressed envelope is provided for your convenience. If you have any questions, please contact me at (909) 396-2706 or Cynthia Carter at (909) 396-2431.

Sincerely,

Michael Krause  
Program Supervisor, CEQA

**NOTICE OF DETERMINATION**

**To:** County Clerk, Monique Davis  
County of Los Angeles  
12400 E. Imperial Hwy., Room 2001  
Norwalk, California 90650

**From:** South Coast Air Quality Management District  
21865 Copley Drive  
Diamond Bar, California 91765

**SUBJECT:** FILING OF NOTICE OF DETERMINATION IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 21152 OF THE PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE

**Project Title:** Final Subsequent Mitigated Negative Declaration for the Signal Hill West Unit Facility - Gas Plant Modification Project

**SCH Number:** 2014111077                      **Date Adopted:** February 18, 2015

**Contact Person:** Michael Krause                      **Telephone Number:** (909) 396-2706

**Project Location:** Signal Hill West Unit Facility - 1215 E. 29th Street in Signal Hill, California, 90755

**Project Description:** Signal Hill Petroleum, Inc. (SHP) is proposing a modification to a previously-approved project evaluated in a 1998 Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND), adopted by the City of Signal Hill on June 16, 1998. A Draft Subsequent MND (SMND) has been prepared to evaluate environmental impacts of the project to upgrade the existing natural gas processing plant at its West Unit Production Facility. The purpose of the project is to: 1) expand the existing vapor recovery system; 2) modify the existing natural gas dehydration system; 3) make beneficial use of the natural gas by sale; and, 4) provide operational flexibility by allowing for reduced operations and the ability to sell excess gas to Long Beach. Improvements to the gas plant will occur in the same location as the current gas processing facility to allow SHP to continue processing natural gas for independent producers in the area. No new combustion equipment will be installed.

This is to advise that the *South Coast Air Quality Management District* has approved the above-described project and has made the following determinations:

1. The proposed project will not have a significant adverse impact on the environment.
2. The Final Subsequent Mitigated Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures were made a condition of the approval of this project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan under PRC Section 21081.6 was adopted for this project.
5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations was not adopted for this project because the potential environmental impacts were not significant.
6. Findings were not made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the Final Subsequent Mitigated Negative Declaration, supporting documentation, and record of project approval may be examined at: SCAQMD, 21865 Copley Drive, Diamond Bar, California, 91765.

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Date Received for Filing

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
Barry R. Wallerstein, D. Env.  
Executive Officer