

## DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY SAN FRANCISCO DISTRICT, U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS 450 GOLDEN GATE AVENUE, 4<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94102-3404

August 10, 2023

SUBJECT: Upper Guadalupe River Study

Mr. Rick Callender Chief Executive Officer Santa Clara Valley Water District 5750 Almaden Expressway San Jose, CA 95118

Dear Mr. Callender,

Section 1002 of the Water Resources Reform and Development Act of 2014 requires the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers District Engineer to notify non-federal sponsors regarding feasibility study milestone schedules for active studies.

On June 20, 2023, the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works) endorsed the 3x3x3 schedule exemption waiver extending the total study time for the Upper Guadalupe River Flood Risk Management Project from 36 months to 59 months with the Chief's Report completion by November 30, 2025. The Feasibility Cost Share Agreement for this project was executed on December 30, 2020; therefore, the updated baselined schedule for the General Reevaluation Report (GRR) Reformulation the Upper Guadalupe River, CA will be as follows:

a. Release of Draft Report – February 28, 2022 (completed November 07, 2022)

b. District Engineer submits final feasibility report – June 30, 2025 (previously June 30, 2023)

c. Signed Chief's Report – November 30, 2025 (previously December 29, 2023)

Study schedules will be posted and available to the public on the District Website: <u>https://www.spn.usace.army.mil/Missions/Projects-and-Programs/Current-</u> <u>Projects/Upper-Guadalupe-River/</u>. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Michael Mercado, Project Manager, at (415) 503-2901.

Sincerely,

Timothy W. Shebesta Lieutenant Colonel, U.S. Army District Commander and Engineer