## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

## **KENNEWICK IRRIGATION DISTRICT**

## NOTICE OF MITIGATED DETERMINATION OF NON-SIGNIFICANCE

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NOTICE IS HEREBY given that the Kennewick Irrigation District (KID) has issued a Mitigated Determination of Non-significance under State Environmental Policy Act Rules (Chapter 197-11 WAC).

## **Action Description:**

The Irving Street Siphon Improvement Project will consist of modifying an existing concrete lined canal by the installation of up to three new 48-inch diameter pipes running parallel to an existing siphon. When the Irving St. crossing of the Division IV Canal was constructed, the canal was filled in and a siphon installed. The siphon was undersized causing additional head loss through the canal system. The addition of this new pipe will reduce head loss through the siphon in the location of the filled in canal. In addition to the siphon modifications, KID is planning to complete work upstream and downstream of the siphon. Upstream work will consist of installation of a new weed screen. Work will mostly occur on the uphill side canal embankment. Downstream work will consist of widening of the canal to the uphill side to match the adjacent HDPE lined canal section.

After reviewing a completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the agency, KID has determined that the proposed action will not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. This determination is based in part on mitigating terms and conditions prescribed in the Mitigated Determination of Non-significance.

**Public Review:** Interested parties may view the Mitigated Determination of Nonsignificance and associated technical support documents on the KID website at <u>www.kid.org</u>.

**Comment Period:** KID will not act upon this determination for a period of at least fourteen (14) days. The public is invited to comment on this Mitigated Determination of Non-significance by submitting written comments to the e-mail address listed below. To be considered, all comments must be received by KID by the close of business on <u>May 8, 2024</u>.

For more information regarding this Mitigated Determination of Non-significance, please contact:

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