

## 7.0 EFFECTS FOUND NOT TO BE SIGNIFICANT

Section 15128 of the State CEQA Guidelines states that an EIR shall contain a statement briefly indicating the reasons that various possible significant effects of the project were determined not to be significant and were therefore not discussed in the EIR. The Section further states that such a statement may be included in an attached copy of an Initial Study. The revised Initial Study provided as an Appendix to this report describes potential effects of the project that were determined not to be significant and why. It also identifies impacts that were determined to be significant, but mitigable. The project currently incorporates all of the mitigation measures identified in the Initial Study; therefore, significant effects would no longer result with implementation of the project for these issue areas. The reader is referred to the Initial Study and the Project Description (Section 3.0 of the EIR) for further detailed information on this issue.

The project as currently proposed (Tank Alternatives A7B and A8B and Pipeline Alternatives A-E) would result in less than significant impacts for the following issue areas:

- Land Use
- Air Quality
- Water Resources
- Mineral Resources
- Biological Resources
- Agricultural Resources
- Paleontological Resources
- Cultural Resources
- Energy Resources
- Coastal Beaches & Sand Dunes
- Seismic Hazards
- Geologic Hazards
- Hydraulic Hazards
- Aviation Hazards
- Fire Hazards and Fire Protection
- Hazardous Materials and Waste
- Noise and Vibration
- Glare

- Public Health
- Transportation and Circulation
- Water Supply
- Water Treatment and Disposal
- Utilities

It should also be noted that the project would also result in less than significant impacts for the issue areas (aesthetics and recreation) addressed in the body of the EIR.

Additionally, the project's residual level of impact (if any) for all issue areas is of such a small magnitude that the contribution would be considered "de minimus" or negligible with respect to cumulative impacts and, therefore, not considered cumulatively considerable.