Notice of Determination

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Subject: Filing of Notice of Determination
in Compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resource Code.

State Clearinghouse Number: 2017052051
Project Title: Veterinary Medical Center Vision - Primary Electrical Feeders
Project Location: University of California, Davis
County: Yolo

Project Description: UC Davis proposes the VMC Primary Electrical Feeders project as part of the implementation of the Veterinary Medical Center (VMC) Vision Plan to renovate and expand the existing William R. Pritchard Veterinary Teaching Hospital (VMTH). The VMC Primary Electrical Feeders project proposes to install a new feeder between the Health Science District (HSD) electrical switchgear and the H switchgear to provide redundancy and allow for full utilization of the HSD switchgear. This feeder will be a minimum of (12) 5.0 inch conduits and concrete encased. The alignment proposes an underground route from the existing Health Science’s Switch Gear Building south along the Equestrian Lane, south of the Arboretum to connect to conduits running under Old Davis Road. The proposed primary electrical feeder lines would connect with the existing lines on campus. The Veterinary Medical Center (VMC) Vision Project Tiered Initial Study (TIS) and Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) included the VMC Primary Electrical Feeders project and evaluated the environmental effects of the VMC Vision projects implemented within the existing VMTH complex.

This Notice of Determination is to advise that the University of California ☑ Lead Agency has approved the above-described project on 7/14/18 and has made the following determinations:

1. The project would have no impact, or a less than significant impact with the incorporation of all relevant Mitigation Measures and continued adherence to adopted Practices and Procedures identified in the UC Davis 2003 Long Range Development Plan (LRDP) Final EIR.
2. ☑ Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures ☑ were made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. The implementation of applicable 2003 LRDP Final EIR mitigation measures will be monitored and reported pursuant to the 2003 LRDP Final EIR’s MMRP.
5. The previous statement of overriding considerations in the 2003 LRDP Final EIR was reaffirmed for this project.
6. Findings ☑ were made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration with comments and responses and record of project approval is available to the general public at: UC Davis Office of Environmental Stewardship and Sustainability, 436 Mrak Hall, University of California, Davis, CA 95616, Attn: Matt Dulich, (530) 752-9597.

Signature: __________________________
Matt Dulich
Title: Director, Environmental Planning
Date: 7/17/18

Dated Received for filing at OPR:

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21087, Public Resources Code.

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