Pacoima Spreading Grounds Basin Enhancement Project Air Quality Monitoring Program Summary Report for April 2023

1. Background

- > During the month of April 2023, real-time monitoring of air pollutants through four monitoring locations (Figure 1) for the Pacoima Spreading Grounds Basin Enhancement Project (Project) was conducted for the staging activities and active hauling.
- Results indicated average ambient PM₁₀ concentration of 22 24 μg/m³ for all four (4) stations.
- ➤ Comparison of upwind and downwind stations at the Pacoima project site with nearest South Coast Air Quality Management District (AQMD) monitoring station (Reseda) PM_{2.5} showed similar trends in the data.

2. Field Activity Summary

- ➤ The following field activities were continued/initiated:
 - Hauling operations of Basin 2
 - o Grading operations of Basin 1 & 5
 - Jack & bore operation at West Settling Basin
 - Structural work of:
 - East Settling Basin weir and overflow structures

3. Air Monitoring Summary

- > During staging and hauling activities, real-time monitoring of air pollutants for the Project was conducted and included:
 - ➤ Continuous 24 hours per day PM₁0 monitoring at all four stations and meteorological parameters at two stations (one upwind and one downwind) for entire month
 - Monitoring of ozone and NO₂ at two stations (one upwind and one downwind) continuously.

4. Compliance Summary

➤ Air monitoring data for PM₁₀ concentrations were in compliance with SCAQMD Rule 403 for the month of April 2023.



Figure 1. Pacoima Spreading Grounds air monitoring stations for the Southern site. DS: Dust Sentry.