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Outstanding informational needs in the area of Soil and Water, and Air Quality have delayed publication of the Final Staff Assessment. As a result, staff will publish the FSA on or about September 8, 2016.

The unavailability of potable water to serve the project has prevented staff from finalizing its analysis. Staff is working to draft a Soil and Water Condition of Certification that will allow the project to move forward if evidence is provided demonstrating the availability of water.

Further, the applicant's revised emission reduction offset package referenced in the Antelope Valley Air Quality Management (AVAQMD) District's Final Determination of Compliance (FDOC) dated July 25, 2016, was provided to staff on August 19, 2016. Finally, an AVAQMD Revised FDOC was docketed today, August 24. The Revised FDOC included several administrative corrections, including a small correction to the daily emissions. With these data needs satisfied, staff will be able to finalize their analyses in time to publish on September 8.

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