# Pacoima Spreading Grounds Basin Enhancement Project Air Quality Monitoring Program Summary Report for October 2022

## 1. Background

- During the month of October 2022, 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 PM<sub>10</sub> concentration of 20 25 μg/m³ for all four (4) stations.
  - All stations ran continuously
- Comparison of upwind and downwind stations at the Project site with nearest South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) monitoring station (Reseda) PM<sub>2.5</sub> showed similar trends in the data.

### 2. Field Activity Summary

- Grading of Basin 6 completed
- > The following field activities were continued/initiated:
  - Grading operations of Basin 1
  - Structural work of:
    - East Settling Basin & West Settling Basin walls
    - Intake canal walls and invert

### 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 PM<sub>10</sub> concentrations were in compliance with SCAQMD Rule 403 for the month of October 2022.



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