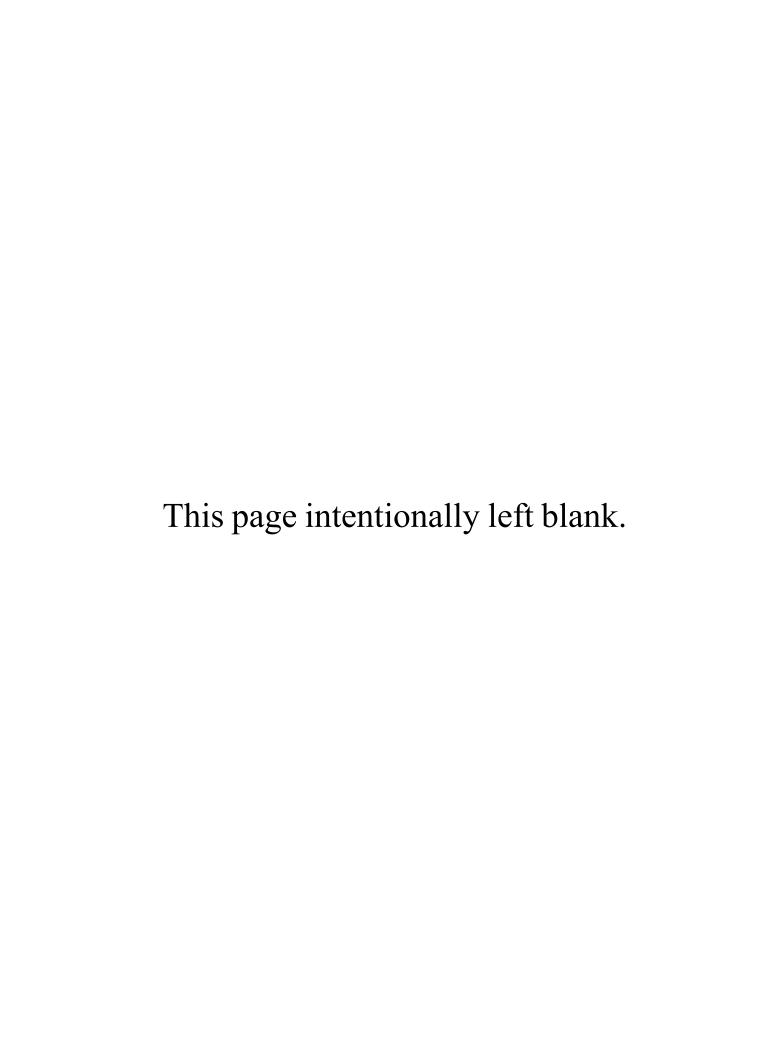
## Exhibit C



## **THOMPSON** WILDLAND MANAGEMENT

Environmental Management & Conservation Services International Society of Arboriculture Certified Arborist # WE-7468A Department of Pesticide Regulation Qualified Applicator Lic. #QL50949 B Environmental & Arborist Assessments, Protection, Restoration, Monitoring & Reporting Wildland Fire Property Protection, Fuel Reduction & Vegetation Management Invasive Weed Control, and Habitat Restoration & Management Soil Erosion & Sedimentation Control Resource Ecologist

November 25, 2024

Zaragoza property 264 Paradise Road Salinas, CA. 93907

APN's: 129-096-004-000

Subject: 264 Paradise Road Property Restoration Recommendations

Per a recent assessment of a proposed well drilling site located on the parcel at 264 Paradise Road in Salinas (APN: 129-096-004), it has been determined that sensitive habitat and/or protected special status species will not be impacted by project related activities (refer to the attached photo). This well site is located in a non-native eucalyptus woodland, and native specie trees and/or protected flora or fauna were not observed and are not occurring within or adjacent to this small project footprint. Consequently, other than the proper installation and maintenance of erosion and sedimentation control measures that may be needed, there is no indication or concern that sensitive habitat and/ or flora and fauna that have protection status will be disturbed or impacted by project operations.

Best regards,

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The proposed well drilling site (yellow arrow) is located in a non-native eucalyptus woodland with no protected flora or fauna occurring at the site.