

Notice of Determination

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SUBJECT: *Filing of Notice of Determination pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21108*

State Clearinghouse Number: 2003101065

Project Title: Esalen Institute Hot Springs Creek Bridge Replacement (Extension and Amendment No. 1 to Streambed Alteration Agreement No.1600-2014-0224-R4)

Project Location: The Project is located on Hot Springs Creek, west of the Highway 1 crossing in Monterey County, California; NW ¼ of Section 9, Township 21 South, Range 3 East, USGS 7.5 Minute Quad Map Partington Ridge, MDB & M; Latitude 36°07'31.59"N, Longitude 121°38'17.77"W.


Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed an Extension and Amendment No. 1 to Streambed Alteration Agreement no. 1600-2014-0224-R4 issued to the Project applicant, Esalen Institute.

The Project includes activities related to the replacing an existing foot bridge with a new, slightly larger bridge that will accommodate golf carts and emergency vehicles as well as pedestrians. Amendment No. 1 includes details of recent design modifications.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the above described project on 4/11/19 and has made the following determinations regarding the project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (i):

1. The project will not have a significant effect on the environment. This determination is limited to effects within CDFW's permitting jurisdiction as a Responsible Agency.
2. CDFW considered the mitigated negative declaration prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
3. Mitigation measures were made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan was adopted by CDFW for this project.
5. A statement of overriding considerations was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
6. Findings were not made by CDFW pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15091.

The mitigated negative declaration prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency.

Signature 
Julie A. Vance, Regional Manager

Date: 4/11/19

Governor's Office of Planning & Research

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____

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