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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2015102005

Project Title: Tix Pond Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2018-0751-R1)

**Project Location:** The project to be completed is located within the Eel River watershed, approximately 3.75 miles northeast of the town of Garberville, County of Humboldt, State of California. The project is located in Section 09, T04S, R04E, Humboldt Base and Meridian; in the Fort Seward U.S. Geological Survey 7.5-minute quadrangle; Humboldt County Assessor's Parcel Number 223-123-007; latitude 40.1291 N and longitude 123.7378 W at the pond.

**Project Description:** The project is limited to one encroachment. The encroachment is for an aesthetic pond on an unnamed tributary to Dean Creek. Water is not diverted for any use. Work for the pond will include maintenance of the spillway and management of invasive species.

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

- 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. A ☑ mitigated negative declaration / ☐ negative declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
  - CDFW considered the  $\boxtimes$  mitigated negative declaration /  $\square$  negative declaration prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
- 3. Mitigation measures \( \subseteq \text{ were / } \subseteq \text{ were not made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.} \)
- 4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan ☐ was / ☒ was not 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 Public Resources Code section 21081, subdivision (a).

The M mitigated negative declaration / Inegative declaration prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency. CDFW's record related to the Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement is available to the public for review at CDFW's regional office.

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Date: 4 18/19

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