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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2015102005

Project Title: Pool stream Crossing Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2018-0015-

R1)

**Project Location:** The project to be completed is located within the Eel River watershed, approximately 6 miles east of the town of Willits, County of Mendocino, State of California; Assessor's Parcel Number 107-055-10; latitude 39.3876 N and longitude -123.2392 W at the stream crossing.

**Project Description:** The project is limited to two (2) encroachments (Table 1). One encroachment is to upgrade a failing and undersized culvert. Work for this encroachment will include excavation, removal of the failing culvert, and replacement with new properly sized culvert, backfilling and compaction of fill, and rock armoring as necessary to minimize erosion. One encroachment is to retroactively permit an existing culvert, and to monitor it for potential for failure or sediment delivery.

Table 1. Project Encroachments with Description

ID	Latitude/Longitude	Description
Stream Crossing-1	39.3876, -123.2392	Replace undersized 12" diameter culvert with a minimum 18" diameter culvert, set to grade and place rock armor at inlet and outlet to prevent erosion.
Stream Crossing-2	39.3890, -123.2406	Retroactively permit existing 18" diameter culvert. Monitor the crossing for maintenance needs. If instream work is deemed necessary to prevent erosion, sediment delivery, or protect fish and wildlife, Permittee shall submit an amendment to this Agreement.

The Permittee has disclosed an active water well and has agreed to provide annual water extraction reports to CDFW (see Reporting Measures herein). The well is located at latitude 39.3863 N, longitude -123.2411 W.

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):

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