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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2017042022

Project Title: Dedinsky Water Diversion and Stream Crossings Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2019-0979-R1)

Project Location: The project is located within the Dean Creek watershed, approximately four miles east of the town of Redway, County of Humboldt, State of California. The project is located in Section 9, T4S, R4E, Humboldt Base and Meridian; in the Harris U.S. Geological Survey 7.5-minute quadrangle; Assessor's Parcel Number 223-123-004. The point of diversion (POD) occurs on APN 223-124-001 at latitude 40.1182 N and longitude 123.7309 W, for use on APN 223-123-004 (a distance of approximately 4,400-feet).

Project Description: The project is limited to three encroachments. Two encroachments will upgrade failing or undersized stream crossings. Work for these encroachments will include excavation, removal of the failing or undersized crossings, replacement with new properly designed crossings, backfilling and compaction of fill, and rock armoring as necessary to minimize erosion. The other encroachment is for water diversion from an unnamed tributary to Dean Creek located on an adjacent parcel (APN 223-123-001); a shared POD that serves the domestic and commercial irrigation needs of approximately ten parcels in the vicinity. CDFW anticipates permitting the use of this shared water source under a pending Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement (LSAA #1600-2019-0733-R1). The Permittee shall cooperate with all other diverters of this water source to achieve compliance with the measures described in that Agreement in a coordinated fashion.

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. An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA. CDFW considered the Environmental Impact Report prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
- Mitigation measures ⋈ were / □ were not made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
- 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.
- Findings were not made by CDFW pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21081, subdivision (a).

The Environmental Impact Report prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency.

<u>Signature</u>	
Cheri Sanville, Senior Environmental Scientist Supervisor	
Date Received for filing at OPR:	