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Memorandum

	Auburn State Recreation Area and Auburn Project Lands General Plan and Resource Management Plan
Re:	SCH # 2017112065
From:	Scott Morgan, Director
To:	All Reviewing Agencies
Date:	August 26, 2019

Pursuant to the attached letter, the Lead Agency has *extended* the review period for the above referenced project to **September 17, 2019** to accommodate the review process. All other project information remains the same.

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To: Responsible agencies, trustee agencies, and other state agencies

This letter is to inform state responsible agencies, trustee agencies, and other reviewing agencies of an extension to a public review and comment period. California State Parks (CSP) and the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation (Reclamation) prepared a draft joint Environmental Impact Report and Environmental Impact Statement (EIR/EIS) for the Auburn State Recreation Area (ASRA) General Plan/Auburn Project Lands (APL) Resource Management Plan (GP/RMP), California State Clearinghouse Number 2017112065. The draft EIR/EIS was released for public review and comment period from July 19 through September 3, 2019. To provide additional opportunities for public and agency review of the draft EIR/EIS, CSP and Reclamation have extended the review and comment period **through September 17, 2019**.

Project Location: ASRA and APL are located in the Sierra Nevada Foothills, northeast of Sacramento. They include approximately 30,600 acres of public land that is situated along nearly 40 miles of the North and Middle Forks of the American River. ASRA/APL is located south of Interstate 80 in both El Dorado and Placer Counties.

Project Overview: The proposed project is the adoption of a GP/RMP. The GP/RMP is necessary to replace the Interim RMP and provide a long-term and comprehensive framework for the management of the existing river and canyons in ASRA/APL. It also provides goals and guidelines to ensure natural and cultural resources protection; additional recreation opportunities and facilities to accommodate recreation use; public safety measures; and efficient operation and management of lands within ASRA/APL.

Public Review and Comment Period: The Draft EIR/EIS is available for public review from July 19 through September 17, 2019. Copies of the Draft EIR/EIS are available for download and a list of locations for viewing printed copies are available at <u>www.parks.ca.gov/PlanASRA</u>

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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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