

Notice of Determination

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

State Clearinghouse Number: 20188072006

Project Title: Butte 70 Drainage (Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2019-0209-R2)

Project Location (include county): The project is located at various locations at and near the Town of Pulga on State Route (SR) 70 in Butte County (Post Mile 35.94, 37.32, 41.89, and 46.92).

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2019-0209-R2, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, California Department of Transportation.

The project includes the repair, replacement, and/or upgrading of four culverts and end treatments. The project also includes the installation of rock slope protection (RSP) at the outlets of culverts at PM 41.89 and PM 46.92 for increased amphibian passage.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the above described project on 9/26/19 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 / 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 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 California Code of Regulations section 15091.

The mitigated negative declaration / negative declaration prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency. CDFW's record of project approval as Responsible Agency is available at CDFW's regional office.

Signature: Jeff Drongesen
Jeff Drongesen, Environmental Program Manager

Date: 11/13/19

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