

Notice of Determination

Appendix D

To:
[X] Office of Planning and Research
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County of:
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From:
Public Agency: California Natural Resources Agency
Address: 1416 9th Street, Rm 1311
Sacramento, CA 95814
Contact:
Phone: 916-651-7593

Lead Agency (if different from above):
County of Humboldt-Planning and Building Dept
Address: 3015 H Street
Eureka, CA 95501
Contact: Michael Wheeler
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SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

State Clearinghouse Number (if submitted to State Clearinghouse): 2019012046

Project Title: The Cochran Creek and Quail Slough Enhancement Project

Project Applicant: California Trout, Inc.

Project Location (include county): In the Indianola area, 6743 Myrtle Ave, APN 402-181-01; Humboldt County

Project Description:
Project is for fish passage and habitat enhancement at the confluence of Fay Slough and Cochran Creek including the following components: 1) Improving fish passage by replacing the existing tide gate with a fish-friendly, side-hinged gate and constructing a new channel in increase fish passage; 2) Creating a muted tidal cycle and enhanced estuarine habitat by replacing the tide gate on Cochran Creek; 3) Enhancing habitat with approximately 1,000 feet and 2.0 acres of new stream channel and flood plain; 4) Reducing over-bank flooding of adjacent farmland and reduce fish stranding; and 5) Enhancing drainage.

This is to advise that the California Natural Resources Agency has approved the above ( [ ] Lead Agency or [X] Responsible Agency )

described project on 2/3/2020 and has made the following determinations regarding the above described project. (date)

- 1. The project [ ] will [X] will not have a significant effect on the environment.
2. [ ] An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA. [X] A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures [X] were [ ] were not made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [X] was [ ] was not adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations [ ] was [X] was not adopted for this project.
6. Findings [X] were [ ] were not made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, or the negative Declaration, is available to the General Public at:
Humboldt County Planning Division, 3015 H Street, Eureka, CA 95501

Signature (Public Agency): [Signature] Title: Assistant Secretary

Date: 2/7/2020 Date Received for filing at OPR: FEB 07 2020