

Notice of Determination

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Reclamation District 1500
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SUBJECT: *Filing of Notice of Determination pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21108*

State Clearinghouse Number: 2019109100

Project Title: Karnak Pump Station Erosion Repair and Debris Screen Retrofit (Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2020-0044-R2)

Project Location: The project is located in the East Levee Canal, tributary to the Sacramento River, in the County of Sutter, State of California; Latitude 38.470601, -121.392187.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2020-0044-R2, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, Reclamation District 1500.

The Project is limited to the retrofit of the existing pump station's debris screen and adjacent erosion repair. Project activities will include: (1) installation of approximately 320-feet of a new sheet pile wall along the south bank of the canal to remediate the erosion of the canal bank; (2) placement of approximately 500 tons of drain rock and approximately 130 cubic yards of topsoil backfill behind the sheet pile wall; (3) removal and replacement of approximately 350-feet of existing chain-link fence; (4) installation of nine new 10-foot wide automatic conveyor-belt style debris removal screens to replace the existing debris catchment system; and (5) implementation of seeding and erosion control measures based on the erosion control plan, including native plant seeds, sterile straw mulch, and erosion control blankets. This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the above described project on the date signed below 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.

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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.

DocuSigned by:
Jeff Drongesen Date: 5/7/2020
Jeff Drongesen, Environmental Program Manager